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HARFORD COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY STAFF RECOGNIZED FOR ACHIEVEMENTS

(Belcamp, Maryland – January 23, 2015) Harford County Public Library staff members who received the prestigious Roenna Fahrney Recognition Award were honored at the January meeting of the Harford County Public Library Board of Trustees.

Recognized with individual awards were Jackie Cassidy, Havre de Grace Library; Annie Kovach, Darlington Library; and Deidrah Reeves, Jarrettsville Library. For its collaborative efforts to establish a U.S. Department of State Passport Acceptance Facility in the Bel Air Library, the Passport Team was presented the team award. Team members are Sue Asselin, Maureen Benesch, Robin Fiastro, Patricia Gobble, Bethany Hacker, Karen Hagerman, Colleen Hampton, Theresa Henn, Kori Hoene, Penny Jindra, Margaret Kopp, Amy Kraft, Beth LaPenotiere, Kelly McCaffrey, Daniel Rutherford, Will Sexton, Patricia Snyder, Hope Stavros-Barnoff, Julianne Sterrett, Kristina Stemple, Conni Strittmatter, Bethany Vangrin, Caitlin Vogtman, Raquel Warbington, Edie White and Rob Zimmerman.

"To be a recipient of the the Roenna Fahrney Recognition Award is truly an honor. Recipients are nominated by their peers in recognition of their exceptional performance, customer service skills and by making significant contributions to the Library's mission," commented Terri Schell, Senior Administrator of Human Resources.

The Roenna Fahrney Recognition Award was established in 1994 and is presented to an individual or team who has been nominated by peers and embodies the "service to the

community” spirit demonstrated by Ms. Roenna Fahrney, Library Director from 1957 to 1978.

Harford County Public Library operates 11 branches located throughout Harford County, Maryland. The library serves over 191,000 registered borrowers of all ages and has an annual circulation of over 4.1 million. Harford County Public Library is committed to connecting people with information and promoting the love of reading within the community.

Photo caption: Harford County Public Library Roenna Fahrney Recognition Award recipients were honored at the January meeting of the Harford County Public Library Board of Trustees. From left to right: Durbin Vido and Kenneth Avery, both of the Harford County Public Library Board of Trustees; Sarah Casper-Woodhead, Harford County Public Library Board of Trustees Student Representative; Mary Hastler, CEO, Harford County Public Library; Nancy Brown, Harford County Public Library Board of Trustees; Deidrah Reeves, Jarrettsville Library; Taryn Martin, Harford County Public Library Board of Trustees; Kristina Stemple, Edgewood Library Assistant Manager; Judge Susan Hazlett, Harford County Board of Trustees; Raquel Warbington, Bel Air Library Circulation Manager; Alex Allman, Harford County Board of Trustees; Annie Kovach, Darlington Library Manager; Rebecca Bowers, Harford County Public Library Board of Trustees; Penny Jindra, Bel Air Library; Curtis Beulah, Harford County Councilman; Kelly McCaffrey, Fallston Library; Beth LaPenotiere, Bel Air Library Manager; and Bruce Smith and Dwayne Adams, both of the Harford County Board of Trustees.

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