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PRESS RELEASE

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Mountain House Branch Library Relocates To Temporary Location in February

As its new building project gets underway, the Mountain House Branch of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library system will be moving to a temporary location located at 250 Main Street in Mountain House.

The last day of regular library hours at the existing library location will be January 31, 2014. The library will then temporarily close from February 1st through February 14th, tentatively.

For the convenience of library customers, during the temporary library closure the bookdrop will be relocated to the lobby of the Mountain House Community Services District located at 230 S. Sterling Drive in Mountain House.

The Mountain House Library staff encourages customers to visit any of the other 11 Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library locations during the closed dates. The nearest location being the Tracy Branch located at 20 E. Eaton Street in Tracy.

Upon reopening, the library will be able to continue offering the same level of service including library computers, access to the library W-Fi internet connection, and regular baby and toddler storytimes and other educational and entertaining programs for all ages.

The library staff thanks everyone for their patience and understanding during this time of transition and looks forward to continually serving the community and inspiring a love for reading and to instill the importance of literacy.

The Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library is a library system comprised of 12 branch libraries and two mobile vehicles that serve residents throughout Stockton and San Joaquin County. For more information about the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library call (209) 937-8221 (Stockton), or countywide toll-free at (866) 805-7323. Visit the Library's website at www.ssjcpl.org. Find SSJCPL on Twitter (twitter.com/ssjcpl) or Facebook (facebook.com/ssjcpl), and join in conversations celebrating literacy.

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