

March 14, 2020

**DEAR GFGS MEMBERS AND LIBRARIANS,**

Due to the Coronavirus nation-wide emergency, we have just been informed that the Montana Room of the Great Falls City Library, **AND OUR GREAT FALLS GENEALOGY LIBRARY WILL CLOSE**, effective today at 4:00 PM (Saturday, March 14). We are unsure as to when we will be able to open again; Librarian Susie McIntyre will keep us informed.

**LIBRARIANS, please email Jan Thomson at: [jannyt2162@bresnan.net](mailto:jannyt2162@bresnan.net) to confirm that you have gotten this message. Or, phone her at 406-453-6242. Your cooperation is appreciated.** Please do not go into the GFGS Library for any reason; it is essential that we follow the directives on closure. Please stay tuned to our GFGS Facebook Page, or our web page ([www.gfgenealogy.org](http://www.gfgenealogy.org)) where we will place news and updates.

**Librarians: If you become ill with flu-like symptoms please inform Jan so that Susie McIntyre can be informed (her request).** If you do not want to inform Jan then call the library and leave a message for Susie McIntyre telling her you are a GFGS Librarian and you have become ill (this is requested under an abundance of caution, for tracking purposes).

**GFGS Members: If you have recently visited the GFGS Library and you become ill with flu-like symptoms please inform Jan (see above) or inform Susie McIntyre at the Library.**

Important to Know: The Great Falls Public Library will continue to be open daily, but will operate under conditions designed to implement social distancing measures:

- Suspended Library Volunteer Service (includes MT Room and GFGS Library Volunteers)
- Suspended Bookmobile service
- Suspended InterLibrary Loan Service
- Restricted computer access to allow for Cleaning
- Suspended Use of the Online Public Access Computers
- Suspended Regular Programming, Use of Library Meeting Rooms, and Scheduled Meetings.

Thanks for your cooperation. We will keep you informed. Keep yourself safe and healthy!

**Larry D. Spicer, President, GFGS**  
**Janet Thomson, GFGS Vice President**