

City of Denton

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AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT: Library

ACM: Frank Dixon

DATE: July 14, 2025

SUBJECT

Receive an informational report and hold a discussion about digital newspapers and magazines at Denton Public Library.

BACKGROUND

Rachel Reeves, Technical Services Manager, will provide an overview and demonstration of the new PressReaderTM digital newspaper and magazine service.

PressReaderTM is a digital periodical platform for newspapers and magazines. Library patrons have access to over 7,000 publications in over 60 languages from countries across the world. The service allows reading, downloading issues or articles, reading in magazine or text view, printing, and accessibility features such as font change and listening. In addition to the PressReaderTM content, Denton Public Library has added digital access to The Wall Street Journal and New York Times newspapers. New York Times content includes all NYT content including historical issues dating back to 1851, Wirecutter, The New York Times Cooking, The Athletic, and more.

The presentation slides are attached as Exhibit 2.

EXHIBITS

- 1. Agenda Information Sheet
- 2. Digital Periodicals Presentation

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