

## *Library Director*

Danville Public Library seeks a Library Director with vision who honors the values of public library services, understands the importance of partnering with community agencies by maintaining and fostering open communications with the residents of the city and empowers staff by encouraging collaborative efforts. We are looking for a director who can articulate, support and promote the library's mission and work in a highly effective manner with the Board of Trustees, the Danville Library Foundation, and the City of Danville government.

Danville Public Library is a beautiful, active municipal library in east central Illinois, serving a population of 33,000; the county seat with a mix of urban & rural; and an operating budget of \$1,998,377. The library serves 350 patrons daily and circulated 110,865 items in 2018.

Danville Public Library, originally built in 1995, recently completed a substantial \$300,000+ renovation of its facility to include a new Teen Zone, LED lighting throughout, and a large group study room.

**Qualifications:** Master's degree in library science from a school accredited by the American Library Association, with a minimum of five years of library experience with at least three years at a responsible administrative/leadership level strongly preferred. The successful candidate will have a demonstrated record of budgeting and finance, facilities management, selection of books and other materials, personnel management and development, an understanding of current technologies and the evolving nature of libraries and service trends. The library director also will appreciate the value of programming and community engagement and have excellent communication skills.

**Compensation:** Salary beginning at \$69,065 based on qualifications and experience, plus a full benefits package.

Interested candidates should submit a letter of interest, resume, and the names of three professional references to Suzie Smith at [shalftown@danvillepubliclibrary.org](mailto:shalftown@danvillepubliclibrary.org). First consideration will be given to applicants who respond on or before August 5, 2019.