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Marguerite Montgomery Elementary School Library Open to the Public Grand Opening Celebration November 6

(Woodland, CA) – Thanks to the support of the Davis Joint Unified School District and the residents of Davis through their support of Measure P, which increased the parcel tax that funds expanded library services, programs and facilities in Davis, the Marguerite Montgomery Elementary School Library is now open to the public on Tuesdays, 5:00 to 9:00 p.m. and Saturdays, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. To recognize this partnership, a grand opening celebration will be held on Saturday, November 6, 10:00 to 2:00 p.m.

"This is a wonderful service, not only for residents in South Davis, but for all library patrons who frequent the Mary L. Stephen Davis Branch Library which is now temporarily closed in order to move back to its permanent location on East 14th Street," said Yolo County Board of Supervisors Chairwoman Helen Thomson. "We are grateful to the Davis Joint Unified School District for this support and to the residents of Davis who have long supported library services. Please join us on November 6 to celebrate this joint venture."

The November 6 celebration, to be held at the Marguerite Montgomery Elementary School Library, located at 1441 Danbury Street in Davis, will include a bi-lingual story time, crafts, music, and of course, cake. The festivities will be officiated by Yolo County Supervisor Jim Provenza and Davis Joint Unified School Board President Tim Taylor.

Services at the Marguerite Montgomery Elementary School Library, which will continue even after the Mary L. Stephens Davis Branch Library re-opens, include circulation of a limited public library collection, placing and picking up of holds, and return of materials. Materials may be returned through the bookdrop near the parking lot. Davis Joint Unified School District and Yolo County Library staff is on hand during these public hours to provide key reference and to recommend materials.

"In addition to these services in south Davis, in the near future, a second Yolo County Library bookdrop for returned materials will be installed at Patwin Elementary School in West Davis," said Yolo County Librarian Patty Wong.

For more information on the Yolo County Library, visit: <u>www.yolocountylibrary.org</u> or call (530) 759-2100.