

Participants Needed for the Great Castro Valley Library Book Pass *Grand Opening of the New Castro Valley Library*

Saturday, October 31, 2009

Community members are invited to participate in the opening day ceremonies for the new Castro Valley Library on Saturday, October 31, by being part of the Great Castro Valley Library Book Pass. Participants will take part in a hand-to-hand ceremonial pass of books from the old library to the new facility. Up to 2,000 volunteers are needed to line the .7 mile route from the 20055 Redwood Road location to the new location at 3600 Norbridge Avenue. Additional volunteers are needed to help with registration sign in, set up and take down tables.

If you are interested in participating, get together with a group of friends, colleagues and family members and sign up on line at www.aclibrary.org, or call the current location at 510-670-6280, before the closing date on September 13. Books used in the book pass will be part of the opening stock for the Friends of the Library Book Store adjacent to the café in the new facility. The book pass is scheduled from 8:30 am until 10:00 am with opening ceremonies beginning at 11:00 am.

Construction of the new library, a green building with Silver LEED Certification (Leadership in Energy & Environmental Design), began in April 2008. The Castro Valley Library is a branch of the Alameda County Library system.