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New EVPL CEO-Director announced

Evansville, IN, November 18, 2019 – The Evansville Vanderburgh Public Library Board of Trustees is pleased to announce Scott Kinney has accepted the position of the library's CEO-Director.

"We look forward to welcoming Scott to EVPL," said EVPL Board of Trustees President Chuck Whobrey. "His library experience, passion for community engagement, and commitment to exceptional service will make him a great resource as we continue building the best possible library resources and services for our community."

Scott Kinney is currently the Director of the Mobile Public Library located in Mobile, Ala. Prior to his tenure in Mobile, Kinney served as Director of the Sweetwater County Library System in Green River, Wyo. and as the Director of the Chadron Public Library in Chadron, Neb. Kinney received his Bachelor of Business Administration and Psychology from Kearney University and his Master of Library and Information Science from Florida State University.

A national search for EVPL's new CEO-Director began in July 2019. The search was conducted by the Search Committee of the EVPL Board of Trustees and <u>Bradbury Miller Associates</u>, library consultants specializing in executive searches.

Kinney will begin his role as EVPL's CEO-Director by mid-January 2020, following the departure of Cynthia Sturgis Landrum in June 2019. Marcia Learned Au has served as the interim CEO-Director during the transition period.

Evansville Vanderburgh Public Library has served our community for more than a century. With eight locations throughout Vanderburgh County, immediate access to hundreds of thousands of digital resources, and a dedicated team of library professionals, EVPL strives to create opportunities for you to discover, explore, and connect with your library. For more information, visit evpl.org.

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