

ASPEN HILL LIBRARY
4407 Aspen Hill Rd, Rockville, MD 20853



photo by Montgomery County Public Libraries

About the Library: Aspen Hill Library was designed by John H. Sullivan of Rockville, MD and built in 1967. The building reflects the architectural design then typical of modular wings that are joined by a central core. Aspen Hill has a Children's Room and large Adult area on the main level with a Community Room on the lower level.

- **Facilities:** Quiet Study Room, 24 hour bookdrop
- **Computers:** 25 computers, Early Literacy Workstation, Wi-Fi, 2 copier/printers
- **Nearby Branches:** Twinbrook, Wheaton, Olney

On Snapshot Day— October 5, 2011

- **828** visitors came into the Aspen Hill Library.
- **155** questions were answered by the information staff.
- **1034** items were checked out that day including books, DVDs, CDs and other materials.
- There were database retrievals.
- There were catalog requests.
- Besides the actions above, library staff across the system helped patrons with resumes, job applications, career guidance and small business help.

Legislative Districts: County Council District 3, Maryland Legislative District 19, U.S. Congressional District 6

GAITHERSBURG INTERIM LIBRARY

Lakeforest Mall 701 Russell Ave, Suite D201, Gaithersburg, MD 20877



photo by Bette Ann Hubbard

During the Gaithersburg Library renovation a small interim location has opened at the Lakeforest Mall..

Located on the second floor of the mall next to Sears, this facility is approximately 3000 sq. ft. and holds about 25,000 volumes. There are no electrical outlets for laptops in the branch.

There were about twelve thousand visitors a month to the branch during the summer of 2011 and an average of one new library card has been issued there almost every day it has been open.

Gaithersburg Library's community programs are being hosted elsewhere or are suspended for the duration.

- **Computers:** 2 catalog computers, no Wi-Fi (Lakeforest Mall has Wi-Fi), 1 copier/printer
- **Nearby Branches:** Germantown, Quince Orchard

On Snapshot Day— October 5, 2011

- 347 visitors came into the Gaithersburg Interim Library.
- 29 questions were answered by the information staff.
- 448 items were checked out that day including books, DVDs, CDs and other materials.
- There were catalog requests.
- Besides the actions above, library staff across the system helped patrons with resumes, job applications, career guidance and small business help.

Legislative Districts: County Council District 3, Maryland Legislative District 17, U.S. Congressional District 6

ROCKVILLE MEMORIAL LIBRARY

21 Maryland Ave, Rockville, MD 20850



photo by Montgomery County Public Libraries

About this Library: The Rockville Memorial Library is one of a group of Montgomery County libraries which have been built recently or are moving forward in the County's Capital Improvements Program (CIP). Each one of these libraries acts as a cultural, economic and community focus in an urban "town center".

The new Rockville Memorial Library building opened to the public in December, 2006; the curving facade, exterior landscaping and interior spaces are intended to reflect each other alluding to the I-270 "Technology Corridor" where the human genome was first decoded and echoing the double helix of DNA.

The Rockville Memorial Library is one of the most actively used libraries in the system. The branch is home to the Disability Resource Center as well as the Children's Resource Center collection. The Montgomery County Public Libraries' (MCPL) Administrative Offices, the Office of Community Partnerships, Montgomery County's Geographic Information Systems department, the Literacy Council of Montgomery County and the office of the Friends of the Library, Montgomery County, Inc. all occupy the building's third floor.

- **Facilities:** 2 Meeting Rooms, Quiet Study Room, 24 hour bookdrop
- **Computers:** 35 computers, Wi-Fi, copier/printer, 2 microfiche/microfilm readers
- **Nearby Branches:** Aspen Hill, Twinbrook

On Snapshot Day— October 5, 2011

- 1502 visitors came into the Rockville Memorial Library.
- 308 questions were answered by the information staff.
- 1457 items were checked out that day including books, DVDs, CDs and other materials.
- There were database retrievals.
- There were catalog requests.
- Besides the actions above, library staff across the system helped patrons with resumes, job applications, career guidance and small business help.

Legislative Districts: County Council District 3, Maryland Legislative District 17, U.S. Congressional District 8

TWINBROOK LIBRARY

202 Meadow Hall Dr, Rockville, MD 20851



photo by Aileen Klein

The Twinbrook Library building was constructed in the Twinbrook Shopping Center in 1959. It was the first public library in Montgomery County to be located in a shopping center.

When it first opened in 1959, the Twinbook Library occupied rented space in the basement of the People's Drug Store across Veirs Mill Road from the current facility.

It was last renovated in 1999 when an elevator was installed, a new heating and air conditioning system was installed, a new children's area and a quiet study room were added to the floor plan.

- **Facilities:** 1 Meeting Room, 24 hour bookdrop
- **Computers:** 13 computers, Wi-Fi, copier/printer
- **Nearby Branches:** Aspen Hill, Rockville, Kensington Park

On Snapshot Day— October 5, 2011

- **1342** visitors came into the Twinbrook Library.
- **71** questions were answered by the information staff.
- **730** items were checked out that day including books, DVDs, CDs and other materials.
- There were database retrievals.
- There were catalog requests.
- Besides the actions above, library staff across the system helped patrons with resumes, job applications, career guidance and small business help.

Legislative Districts: County Council District 3, Maryland Legislative District 17, U.S. Congressional District 8