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Good afternoon,

During the budget process last year, we initially proposed including an LED lighting project for the Library, but we decided to remove it from the budget as we didn't have concrete details at the time and I didn't want to budget for something without more details in place. Since that time, Kevin Getty has had a chance to put together a few projects in line with the previous discussions we have had with the Board in terms of green projects that will save WNPL money over a relatively short period of time. We will present these cost-savings projects to you at Tuesday's meeting. The reason we want to move on these now are:

- 1) Necessity: We have lighting that is failing which needs replaced ASAP. It only makes sense to replace this lighting with LED technology, and
- 2) Incentives: We have learned that the incentives for doing these type of LED projects will be reduced starting in 2020. We would like to take advantage of the 2019 incentives.

In terms of how to pay for these projects, we are not proposing adding anything new to our current budget, but rather reallocating funds away from the Adult Services furniture/space project into these projects.

Thanks,
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