

Fresno County to break ground on two new libraries

Clovis and Reedley will see construction start next week on their new libraries.



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The big picture: The two new libraries are the first design-build projects the county has ever undertaken.

- Harris Construction has been contracted to lead the construction of both libraries.
- The county said the two libraries are made possible through Measure B funds, the Friends of the Clovis Library, the Friends of the Reedley Library and donations from the community.

What we're watching: The county will hold a groundbreaking ceremony for the Clovis Regional Library on Aug. 27 at 11 a.m. The ceremony will be held at 755 3rd Street in Clovis, behind the Clovis Senior Activity Center.

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- The ceremony for the Reedley library will be held on Aug. 28 at 11 a.m. The ceremony will take place at 1813 11th Street, Reedley, along the Reedley Rail-Trail.

What they're saying: "These new libraries are investments in the future of our communities," said Sally Gomez, County Librarian and Director of the Fresno County Public Library. "These projects represent years of vision, planning and community support, and they will provide opportunities for the community to connect, learn, and be inspired for generations to come."

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