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WVLS Board of Trustees Tom Bobrofsky, President 300 N 1st Street Wausau, WI 54403

Dear Tom and WVLS Board Members,

T.B. Scott Free Library would like to express our great appreciation for the efforts of the WVLS management and staff for procuring and administering the Beanstack software and mobile application that provided an online presence for the summer literacy and reading programs for our library and for libraries throughout Wisconsin.

Libraries were challenged with the onset of COVID-19 and needed to quickly find an alternative for a vital program that encourages youth to read and get into the habit of reading as well as continue to use the resources available at the library. We know the important role libraries play in providing encouragement over the summer months to prevent significant delays in reading skills, and the efforts of WVLS made this a manageable task during this unprecedented time.

WVLS provided a platform for cooperative problem solving with colleagues through the unified program Beanstack – it provided space for collaboration so T.B. Scott Free Library was not alone in deciding how to best provide and document summer program experiences.

Thank you again for the leadership provided by WVLS staff. It was very much appreciated.

Sincerely,

Stacy Stevens, MLS

Director T.B. Scott Free Library