



Bismarck Veterans Memorial Public Library

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MEDIA ADVISORY

**FOR IMMEDIATE
RELEASE:**

The Otto Bremer Trust Makes Big Investment in New Bookmobile

WHAT:

The Otto Bremer Trust grants substantial amount to new Bookmobile

The Bismarck Library Foundation, Inc. is happy to announce the Otto Bremer Trust has awarded a grant of \$40,000 toward the construction of a new Burleigh County Bookmobile. The library is planning to replace the beloved but aging library-on-wheels after pulling in over 122,000 miles of service and 19 years of use. Based in St. Paul, MN, the Otto Bremer Trust also challenged the Bismarck Library Foundation, Inc. to raise \$10,000 from new or re-engaged donors of which the Trust could match. We are thrilled to announce we have met that goal through donations and pledges. OBT's generous donation of \$50,000 total puts them in the Magic School Bus Giving Level. It is the largest financial grant we have received for this campaign so far.



Bismarck Library
Foundation, Inc.

ABOUT THE BISMARCK LIBRARY FOUNDATION, INC.

The Bismarck Library Foundation, Inc. was established in 1975 to support the Bismarck Veterans Memorial Public Library. Our mission is to enrich publicly-funded Library services by raising private funds to enhance collections, resources, and facilities.



ABOUT THE OTTO BREMER TRUST

The Otto Bremer Trust, based in St. Paul, Minn., is a private charitable trust established in 1944 by founder Otto Bremer, a successful banker and community business leader. OBT owns 92 percent of Bremer Bank and manages a diversified investment portfolio. The mission of OBT is to invest in people, places, and opportunities in the Upper Midwest. Since its inception, OBT has invested more than \$600 million in organizations throughout Minnesota, North Dakota, and western Wisconsin. Visit ottobremer.org.

WHEN:

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WHERE:

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