



**Please join Extraordinary Women throughout Sparta
in support of a renovated and expanded Sparta Free Library**

- This is way for women in our community to come together to support a **renovated and expanded library in Sparta**. The city has committed a generous grant of \$3,500,000 as a challenge to the community to raise \$1,500,000. Women from throughout Sparta are committed to leading the campaign by raising the first \$100,000 or more. This will have a long-term impact on the entire community, especially its children.
- The 100 Extraordinary Women Initiative asks a minimum of 100 women to each donate or pledge \$1,000 over 5 years to sponsor the **Quiet Reading Area**. This space is a haven for women with very busy lives. Each woman will have her name (or the name of a woman she wants to honor or remember) permanently listed in this area.
- Each woman gives \$1,000, which may be pledged over 5 years (\$200 per year; approximately \$18 per month). Pledge forms are available at the Sparta Free Library or on our website at <http://www.spartalibrary.org/renovationexpansion/>.
- Women can form groups for one listing, e.g. family members – mothers, grandmothers, daughters; bowling leagues, book clubs, etc.
- Men can honor or remember a woman who is important to them.
- To celebrate this very special way for women to come together, we will be holding an event on **Thursday February 21, 2019 6:00 – 7:30 at Jake’s Northwoods**. The event is complimentary for those who participate in 100 Women. There is one seat for each woman (we ask groups of women to choose one woman to represent the group).
- Each woman who participates will receive a complimentary *100 Extraordinary Women* gift.
- For more information, contact Shanneon Grant at s.grant@wrlsweb.org or 608-269-2010.