



- You will note in the bills this month a large bill for F&M Electric for \$1,998.54. This was for work at the Coldwater Branch, including installation of 2 power poles, 2 wall outlets, repair of a damaged floor outlet, and the replacement of an electric heater in our northeast emergency exit stairway. This was the third of the original four 1979 electric heaters to need replacing in the last couple of years. There is one remaining in the southeast stair which is working at present, but may go out at any time based on it's age.
- In next month's packet there will be a bill for plumbing work at the Coldwater Branch for about \$300 to repair our water fountain, which would not shut off.
- We had a meeting of the Technology Committee on February 5 to discuss what we need and want, versus what we can afford. Recommendations are in the report in the Discussion section of the agenda.
- I have ordered almost all of the capital expenditures approved last month for the Bronson Branch media center, so far coming in even cheaper than the original quotes we had.
- Curtis and I have spent many hours working in the new Bronson Branch media room and have many yet to do. We have hardwired about 30 internal network connections in the media room, and going from the new server closet back into the old building. Over 2000 feet of cable have been used so far. Next up will be installing the networking equipment and finishing all the cabling, assembling furniture, and moving lots of stuff. The bulk of the work by the builders will be finished very soon, I believe, but we will still have a few more weeks before we are finished enough to open.



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