CCPL PARTNERSHIPS

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CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI PUBLIC LIBRARIES

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PARTNERSHIPS

01 What role do partnerships currently play in expanding library services?

02 What characteristics make partnerships effective and sustainable?

03 Where might partnerships help address emerging community needs?

WHY USE PARTNERSHIPS?

Programs and services

Information about services

Promote the library

PAST AND PRESENT FUNDING PARTNERS

DONATIONS & GRANTS

- **Friends of Corpus Christi Public Libraries**
- **Barbra Bush Houston Literacy Foundation**
- **Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation**
- **Charity League of Corpus Christi**
- **Ed Rachel Foundation**
- **The John G. and Marie Stella Kenedy Memorial Foundation**
- **Junior League**
- **Texas State Library & Archives Commission**

PROGRAMMING WITH PARTNERS
IN THE LIBRARY

- **Coastal Bend Food Bank**
- **Corpus Christi Astronomical Society**
- **Junior League Literacy Committee**
- **Library Tours: Local Schools & Organizations**
- **Master Gardeners/Master Naturalist**
- **Museum of Science and History**
- **National Park Services**
- **Oso Bay Wetlands Preserve & Learning Center**
- **Texas State Museum of Asian Cultures**
- **United Way Success by Six**

OUTREACH

- **Head Start**
- **KEDT Kids Festival**
- **Parks & Recreation Department**
- **Public school districts & private schools**
- **Senior Centers**
- **Teen Bookfest**
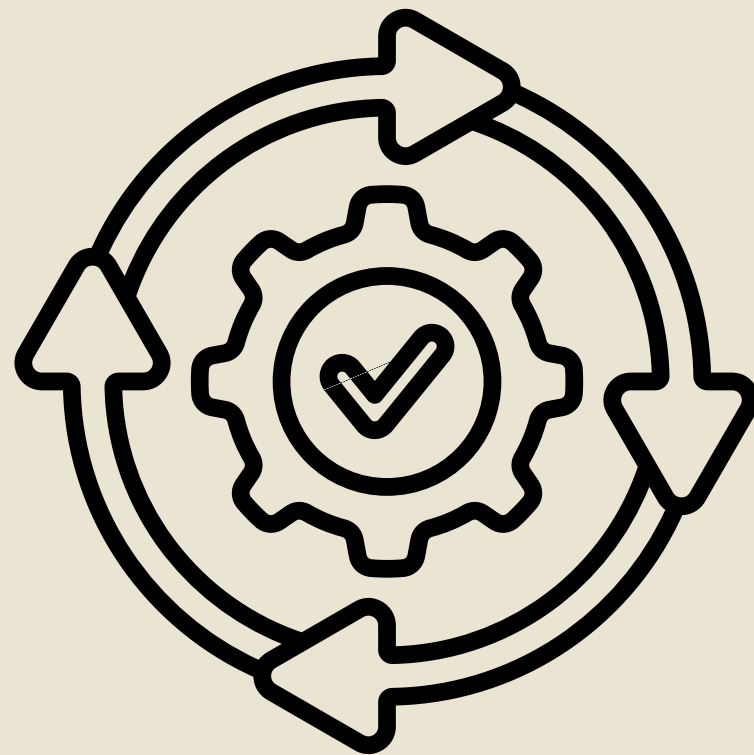- **Workforce Solutions of the Coastal Bend**

OTHER PARTNERSHIPS

- **Virtual Storytimes**
- **Community Court at the Library**
- **Donation drives: coat drive, pet supplies drive, crochet projects nursing homes, glasses for Lions Club**
- **TAMUK: Social work intern**
- **National Honor Society volunteer hours**
- **Outreach Tables in the Library**
  - **Workforce Solutions of the Coastal Bend**
- **TAMUCC: Local History & Archives Internships**
- **American Association of University Women book sales**
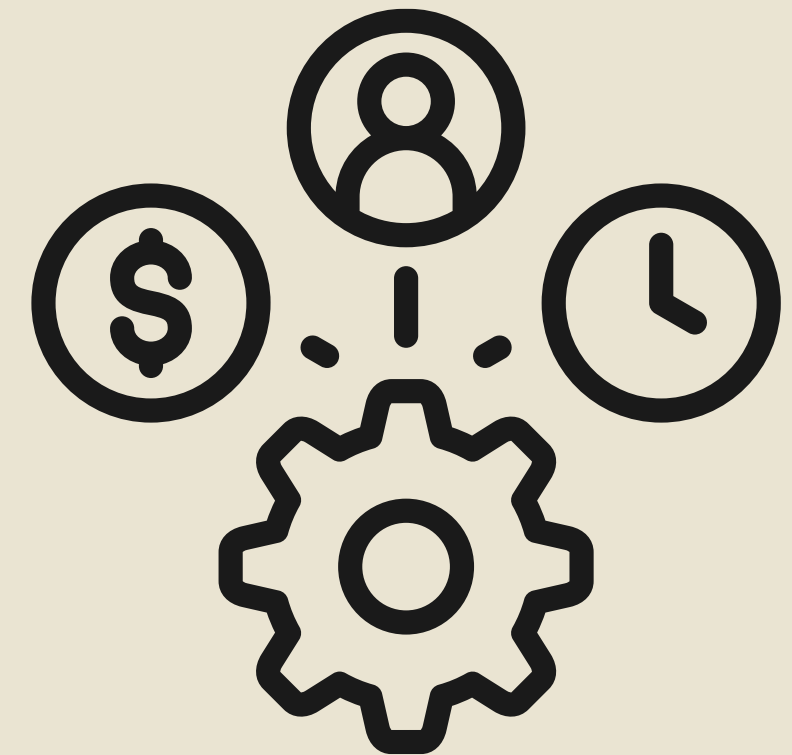- **Library card drives with schools**

PARTNER LONGEVITY

The Need Continues

Willingness

Resource Availability

THANK YOU