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TO: Honorable Town Board

From: Councilman Gene Hart

RE: National Library Week Proclamation

April 6, 2015

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**Please support the attached Proclamation celebrating National Library Week, April 12, through April 18, 2015**

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**Town of West Proclaims  
National Library Week 2015**

**Proclamation**

**WHEREAS**, libraries create potential and possibilities within their communities, campuses and schools;

**WHEREAS**; libraries level the playing field for all who seek information and access to technologies;

**WHEREAS**, libraries continuously grow and evolve in how they provide for the needs of every member of their communities;

**WHEREAS**, libraries and librarians open up a world of possibilities through innovative STEAM programing, Makerspaces, job-seeking resources and the power of reading;

**WHEREAS**, librarians are trained, tech-savvy professionals, providing technology training and access to downloadable content like e-books;

**WHEREAS**, libraries support democracy and effect social change through their commitment to provide equitable access to information for all library users regardless of race, ethnicity, creed, ability, sexual orientation, gender identity or socio-economic status;

**WHEREAS**, libraries, librarians, library workers and supporters across America are celebrating National Library Week.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, be it resolved that I Sheila Meegan, Supervisor, Eugene P. Hart and William Hanley Councilmen of the great town of West Seneca New York hereby proclaim National Library Week in West Seneca, as April 12 through 18, 2015. We encourage all residents to visit our library during our open house on Wednesday April 15, 2015 from 5:30 to 7:30 PM to view, learn and take advantage of the wonderful resources that are available to all of our Citizens.