



# ZION-BENTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

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***ZB Library hires new Director.***

April 24, 2018

The Zion-Benton Public Library is pleased to announce that Mikael Lars Jacobsen has accepted the position of Library Director.

Mikael will start his new position as Library Director on May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2018.

Linda Stoppenbach, Interim Library Director, will stay on to help Mikael settle into his new position as Library Director.

Mikael comes to us from the Skokie Public Library, where he was the Learning Experiences Manager. He has been there since 2014 and he manages a department of 24 staff. Skokie's Learning Experiences department provides learning experiences for all ages.

The Zion-Benton Public Library Board and Staff are looking forward to the fresh energy and experiences he will bring to the library.

A welcome party where the community will have an opportunity to meet the new Library Director is being organized, stay tuned for details!

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