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**Henderson, Nevada**  
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**2005-2006 Accomplishments**

- Friends gave monetary support to the Library's Summer Reading Program, the mobile library van for the Outreach Program, and staff development.
- Friends donated \$5,000 to the Library to purchase books for reading clubs.
- Friends gave \$5,000 to the Library to purchase children's books in memory of Finnian Connors, grandson of Board Member Midge Wilkerson
- Friends co-sponsored a newsletter with the Henderson Libraries.
- The Wholilan Scholarship Fund was moved from the Friends to the Henderson Community Foundation to align with other scholarship project of the Library.
- Used-book sales became a major income source for Friends. In 2005, proceeds from bookstores totaled \$9,952.30, and book sales made \$16,420.56.
- The second annual Library Tree Lane fundraiser was held. Proceeds of \$12,000 went to the Library Outreach Program.
- Paula Petruso replaced Bud Crainor as Board member-at-large in April. Paula became editor of the Friends newsletter, a two-page publication available in Library branches and on the Friends website.
- In order to accommodate the growing used-book sales and the Library Tree Lane fundraiser and to alleviate space needs of Library programs, Friends rented two commercial storage units.

**Report prepared by Kathryn H. Hug, Historian, 8/25/2009 • Approved by Friends Board 8/25/2009**