



February 7, 2025

Ofilia Barrera
Rita & Truett Smith Public Library
300 Country Club Bldg. 300
Wylie, 75098

Dear Ofilia Barrera,

Congratulations to the Rita & Truett Smith Public Library! On behalf of the Texas Municipal Library Directors Association, I am pleased to inform you that you have been awarded the 2024 Achievement of Excellence in Libraries Award.

Your application clearly demonstrated your commitment to providing exceptional service to your community. Of the 542 public library systems in Texas, your library is one of only 102 who have earned this year's award. With this honor, your library is now in the top 19% of all public libraries in the state.

We know you will want to proudly display your accolades, which include a congratulatory letter, a digital medal and an award template that can be used to order a plaque. The digital medal is an image file that can be used (but not altered) on websites, email signatures, stationery, and other official library promotional materials. The digital image can be made to be clickable to the TMLDA award site or to a page displaying your accomplishment and/or completed application.

Again, congratulations on this accomplishment, and thank you for enriching the lives of your residents and providing your community with outstanding and innovative services.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Cynthia Pfladderer".

Cynthia Pfladderer
President, Texas Municipal Library Directors Association

