

# MEZZANINES:

## EAST MEZZANINE LOUNGE & STUDY AREA, ACCESSIBLE SOUTH MEZZANINE & REVISED NORTH MEZZANINE



PROPOSED SOUTH MEZZANINE RENOVATION



PROPOSED MEZZANINE RENOVATIONS (LOOKING EAST)



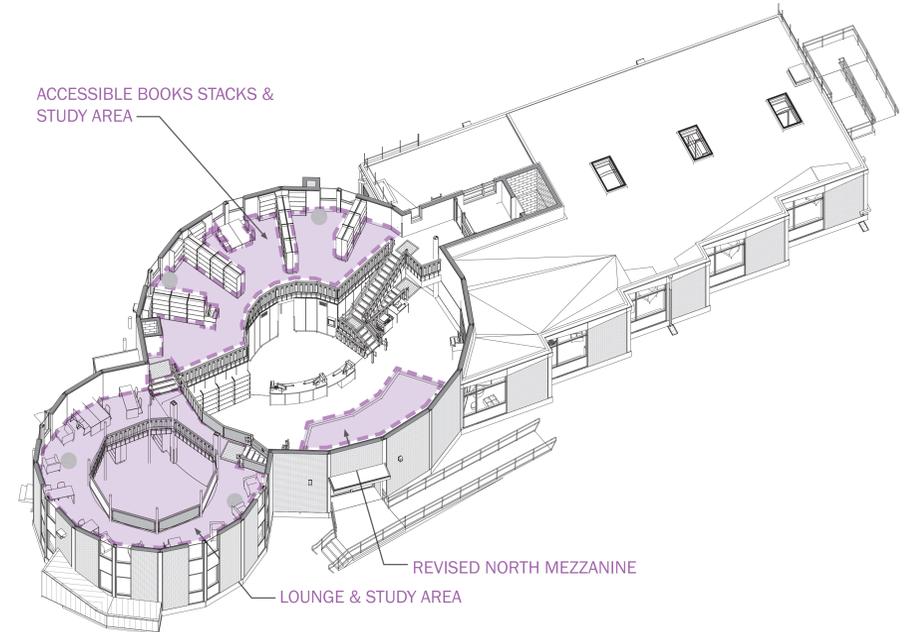
PROPOSED EAST MEZZANINE LOUNGE & STUDY AREA

The main mezzanine is accessible by both elevator and stairs. New handrails will be added to existing stairs to meet needs in compliance with the City of Winnipeg Accessibility Design Standards. The number of book stacks will be increased on the main mezzanine. Library materials will not be located on the east mezzanine as it is not an accessible area. The east mezzanine will be an extension of the main mezzanine reading and research area intended to support a range of customer needs from business development, research and reading to study groups and collaboration. Customers will have increased seating choices and options in their library experience.

The north mezzanine area above the entrance vestibule was not an original feature of the building. The steep and curved stairs do not meet current building code. The area is also not universally accessible and does not currently meet the requirements of the City of Winnipeg Accessibility Design Standards. For reasons of safety and accessibility, the north mezzanine will be removed.



PROPOSED NORTH & SOUTH MEZZANINE RENOVATION



PROPOSED LIBRARY LAYOUT - MEZZANINE

# ST. VITAL PUBLIC LIBRARY

6 FERMOR AVENUE

