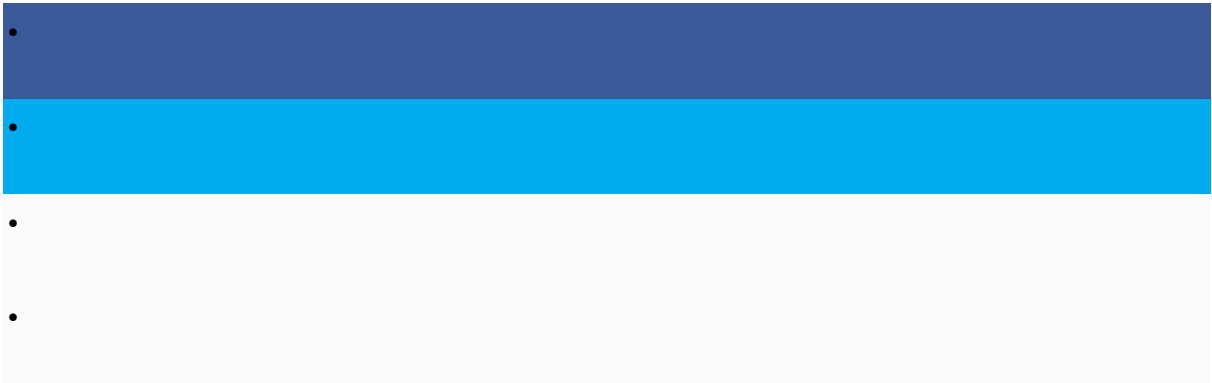


San Pablo set to break ground for new library

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A groundbreaking ceremony for the new [San Pablo Library](#) branch will be held at 4 p.m. Sept. 19 at the corner of [Church Lane and San Pablo Avenue](#).

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The [\\$6 million project, designed by Group 4 Architecture](#), will include a full-service cafe and is expected to open next summer.

Speakers at the ceremony will include City Manager Matt Rodriguez, Mayor Rich Kinney, county Supervisor John Gioia, interim County Librarian Terry Speiker and San Pablo Library branch Manager Gia Paolini.