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‘Revolutionary Reads’: Fort Vancouver Regional Libraries Launches New Reading and Event Series

*Three books by author Cory Doctorow chosen for inaugural series with special author event planned in March*

VANCOUVER, Wash. – Fort Vancouver Regional Libraries is excited to launch a new reading and event series to engage readers, spark dialogue, and inspire ideas that just might change the world.

FVRLibraries’ “Revolutionary Reads” launches this year focusing on three books (*Little Brother*, *In Real Life*, and *Information Doesn’t Want to Be Free*) by science fiction novelist, blogger and technology activist Cory Doctorow, as well as a series of events throughout the library district related to technology, information, and cyberspace. Programs start in February and run through March at FVRLibraries locations throughout Clark, Skamania and Klickitat Counties, concluding in a special author event on March 26. Of course, copies of Cory Doctorow’s books are available for checkout at FVRLibraries locations.

**Author Event**

Cory Doctorow will be speaking at 7 pm on March 26 at Clark Community College’s Gaiser Hall, 1933 Fort Vancouver Way Vancouver, WA 98663. A short Q&A and author signing will follow the talk. Copies of his books will be available for purchase at the event. The event will be
simulcast at Stevenson Community Library and White Salmon Community Library for patrons in Skamania and Klickitat Counties.

For information about Revolutionary Reads, visit https://www.fvrl.org/revolutionary-reads.

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**About Fort Vancouver Regional Libraries**

Established in 1950, Fort Vancouver Regional Libraries (FVRLibraries) provides a vast range of information and cultural services to almost 490,000 Southwest and South Central Washington citizens in Clark, Skamania and Klickitat Counties, and the city of Woodland and Yale Valley Library District in Cowlitz County. FVRLibraries provides a collection of more than 650,000 items, online library services at www.fvrl.org, two bookmobiles, telephone information services, 24/7 online help, outreach programs, and 15 public library locations: Community Libraries in Battle Ground, Cascade Park, Goldendale, La Center, North Bonneville, Ridgefield, Stevenson, Three Creeks, Vancouver, Vancouver Mall, Washougal, White Salmon Valley and Woodland; and Library Express facilities in Yacolt and Yale.

**About Cory Doctorow**

Cory Doctorow is a science fiction author, activist, journalist and blogger — the co-editor of Boing Boing (boingboing.net) and the author of *Walkaway*, a novel for adults, a YA graphic novel called *In Real Life*, the nonfiction business book *Information Doesn’t Want to Be Free*, and young adult novels like *Homeland*, *Pirate Cinema* and *Little Brother* and novels for adults like *Rapture Of The Nerds* and *Makers*. He works for the Electronic Frontier Foundation, is a MIT Media Lab Research Affiliate, is a Visiting Professor of Computer Science at Open University, a Visiting Professor of Practice at the University of South Carolina’s School of Library and Information Science and co-founded the UK Open Rights Group. Born in Toronto, Canada, he now lives in Los Angeles.