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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### DIVISION OF LIBRARIES, ARCHIVES AND MUSEUMS CELEBRATES NATIONAL LITERACY MONTH WITH TERRITORY- WIDE CONTEST: BEHIND EVERY LIBRARY IS A DREAM

Department of Planning and Natural Resources Commissioner Jean-Pierre L. Oriol announces that the Division of Libraries, Archives and Museums, in celebration of National Literacy Month, is hosting a territory-wide contest. Students from grades Pre-K through 8<sup>th</sup> are invited to participate by creating a poster or writing an essay depicting YOUR DREAM LIBRARY. This initiative aims to foster and promote LITERACY and serve as a catalyst for our children to develop a love for reading and writing at a young age.

Prizes will be awarded per winning Grade Group in each district (STX, STT/STJ)

Pre-K- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>

Prizes have been generously donated by St. Thomas Rotary and local businesses including Barefoot Buddah.

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