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### News Release

## **Kern County Library to Participate in Big Library Read Program**

**Monday February 17 – Wednesday March 5, 2014**

The Kern County Library is taking part in Overdrive's Big Library Read program. Library card holders will be able to borrow and enjoy the cooking eBook *Keys to the Kitchen* by Food Network star Aida Mollenkamp, Monday February 17 through Wednesday March 5 by visiting <http://kern.lib.overdrive.com>. Additionally, customers will be able to participate in a live author Facebook chat on Wednesday, February 26 at <http://tinyurl.com/kkoe43n>.

Big Library Read is a program that gives libraries and library customers unlimited simultaneous access to a popular title during the program, creating a virtual, global book club. The Big Library Read program is made possible through a partnership between Overdrive, the leading supplier of eBooks and more to libraries, and Chronicle Books, publisher of Aida Mollenkamp's all-purpose guide to becoming a more adventurous cook.

Customers interesting in borrowing the title will be able to select a lending period of one, two, or three weeks, which begins at the date of checkout. The title can be enjoyed on all major computers and devices, including iPhone®, iPad®, Nook®, Android™ phones and tablets, and Kindle® without worrying about wait lists or holds. Titles will automatically expire at the end of the lending period. There are no late fees!

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