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**Poetry Writing Workshop to be Held
at Central Library on April 30**
Activity Takes Place During National Poetry Month

SAN DIEGO – As part of its continuing support for local writers and in recognition of National Poetry Month, the City of San Diego Public Library will present a poetry writing workshop at the Central Library on Saturday, April 30. The workshop will be taught by Susan Luzzaro, who teaches English at Southwestern College.

The program will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Wangenheim Room, located on the third floor of the Central Library, 820 E St., in downtown San Diego.

The workshop is limited to 15 participants, who should bring 15 copies of one of their poems. Ms. Luzzaro and other class participants will provide critiques of the work. To register for the program, contact Pamela Sanderson of the San Diego Public Library at 619-236-5847.

This event is supported by Poets and Writers Inc. through a grant from the James Irvine Foundation. Funding for the program was provided by the California Center for the Book.

April is National Poetry Month, inaugurated by the Academy of American Poets in April 1996. National Poetry Month brings together publishers, booksellers, literary organizations, libraries, schools, and poets around the country to celebrate poetry and its vital place in American culture.

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