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## **Anythink Hosts Censorship Discussion with ACLU Representative During Banned Books Week**

*Event Encourages Community Members to Analyze, Discuss  
Censorship as it Relates to Modern Issues*

THORNTON, Colo.—Sept. 11, 2013—As part of Anythink’s celebration of [Banned Books Week](#), Sept. 22-28, 2013, [Anythink Wright Farms](#) will host an event titled “Censorship Today,” encouraging attendees to analyze and discuss censorship in today’s society. Led by ACLU representative, lawyer and professor Charles Nadler, this interactive discussion explores issues of censorship in education, media, employment, law and the Internet.

Attendees will learn about recent high-profile cases, current censorship law and how these have an impact on our world today. A discussion facilitated by Nadler will offer attendees a chance to talk about these important issues in an informal setting. This event is inspired by [“Fighting the Fires of Hate: America and the Nazi Book Burnings,”](#) a traveling exhibition from the [United States Holocaust Memorial Museum](#) currently on display at Anythink Wright Farms. The exhibition focuses on censorship in Nazi Germany and America’s response to the book burnings there.

Anythink libraries will celebrate Banned Books Week district-wide with [a variety of activities and experiences](#) for customers of all ages. Banned Books Week is the national book community’s annual celebration of the freedom to read, bringing awareness to the hundreds of books that are challenged and banned each year.

### **About Charles Nadler**

Charles Nadler completed his law degree in 1984 at the University Of Iowa, College Of Law. Since graduating law school, Nadler has been a partner at Nadler & Weston and has also held a variety of teaching jobs, including adjunct faculty member at Community College of Denver, Everest College and Kirkwood Community College; preceptor at Columbia College in the City of New York; and assistant professor at Central Washington

State University. In 2009, Nadler was a Colorado Criminal Defense Bar Gideon Award Recipient.

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**Event Details**

**Censorship Today**  
**Wednesday, Sept. 25, 6:30-8 pm**

Anythink Wright Farms  
5877 E. 120<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Thornton, CO 80602

*What does censorship look like today? Explore issues of censorship as they relate to education, media, employment, law and the Internet. Join ACLU representative, lawyer and law professor Charles Nadler for an interactive Q&A session regarding First Amendment rights. Light refreshments will be provided. This program is free and open to the public.*

**About Anythink™**

Anythink is a new style of library – a place of unlimited imagination, where play inspires creativity and lifelong learning. Rangeview Library District serves the residents of Adams County with seven Anythink libraries and Anythink in Motion – the district’s mobile library – and is one of the recipients of the 2010 National Medal of Museum and Library Service from the Institute of Museum and Library Services. For more information, go to [anythinklibraries.org](http://anythinklibraries.org).

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