Subject: Exhibits and Displays

Purpose:

To give the community an opportunity to showcase exhibits of cultural, civic or educational interest to promote the mission of the library. Displays help create a comfortable place for people to visit and gather.

Policy:

Display space is limited throughout the library system but, if available should be used for cultural, civic or educational items and to promote interest in books, reading, and library materials, or to provide information about local art or cultural groups. Preference will be given to exhibits that are timely and of general interest. Displays that focus on public issues (including elections and political issues) must include information about major aspects of differing points of view. Displays that are solely commercial in focus are not allowed.

The Library Director or designee may reject any exhibit or display that does not fit with the mission of the library or that is not neat and presented attractively. Labels for exhibit items must look professional.

The Library will take reasonable care to ensure the safety and security of items displayed, however the Library assumes no responsibility in the event of loss, theft, or damage. Exhibitors are encouraged to insure items of value. Items displayed, including art, may not include price tags or other information regarding the purchase of items.

Display of items in the Library does not indicate endorsement of the issues, events, or services promoted by those materials.

Attachments: None

References: None

Approval:

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