

**GREENDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY
10-DAY NOTICE OF PROPOSED POLICY CHANGE**



PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the following policy/policies will be established, reviewed, or amended by the Greendale Public Library Board at its regular monthly meeting, on Wednesday, August 16, 2023. Full copies of the proposed documents can be previewed on the library's website, or on paper at the library front desk.

1. Consider a motion to adopt a revised *Library Board Bylaws*, Article V, page 4, specifically, to include the Pledge of Allegiance in the Order of Business.

Order of Business:	
Call to order	
<u>Pledge of Allegiance</u>	
Compliance with open meeting	
Public comments (1)	Pers

2. Consider a motion to re-adopt the *Programs, Displays and Exhibits* policy, specifically, to include provision for, "...secondary peer review of chosen programs and displays representing polarizing social topics," under Policy section, page 1, and to strike the words, "...regularly scheduled..." from critical comment response under Procedure section, page 3.

Authority to approve Library-initiated and non-library-initiated programs, displays and exhibits shall be given to the Library Director. Considerations for approval may include, but are not limited to, physical space available or required, logistics of day to day management, compatibility with Library Mission, Vision and Values, congruence with the library's Materials Selection Policy, secondary peer review of chosen programs and displays representing polarizing social topics, and/or the ALA Interpretation below.

Library Director and Library Board:

- Will respond to the presentation of a completed *Request for Reconsideration* form and/or Public Comment requesting specific action at a Library Board meeting.
- Will not alter any material in question until the controversy has been reviewed, no sooner than the next ~~regularly-scheduled~~ Library Board meeting.

3. Consider a motion to re-adopt the *Materials Selection and Self Published Author* policy, specifically, to include provision for, "...secondary peer review of chosen materials representing polarizing social topics," under Criteria for Selection section, page 3.

Selection may also be affected by the following factors:

- Physical limitations of the building
- Price and format
- Specialized or archival materials beyond the scope of the Library's local history collections, or beyond the library's ability provide proper preservation or access
- Secondary peer review of chosen materials representing polarizing social topics