



Bulletin Board Policy

Statement of Purpose

The library posts informational flyers and posters as space permits. Items posted are limited to those which promote civic, cultural, and educational activities and information of interest to the community. Items promoting private, political, or commercial activities are not eligible for posting.

All items to be posted must be approved beforehand by the library. Confirmation of availability of space and approval for posting will be made by the library as soon as practicable. Items posted without review will be removed.

Examples of Acceptable Items:

- Items containing vocational, occupational, educational informational flyers,
- City, government or municipal information,
- Notices of free tax assistance for senior citizens,
- Notices announcing recreational, cultural and educational activities,
- Information that is relevant to the community or the public library.

Poster display by charitable enterprises may be permitted, if the announced activity is not deemed by the Library to be of political or religious purpose.

Examples of Ineligible Items:

- Garage/lawn sale advertisements,
- Promotional, personal notices of any sort,
- Court proceedings,
- Bankruptcy notices,
- Job postings, with the exception of Perth East Township job postings,
- Petitions or sign-up sheets,
- Business promotional and commercially related items,
- Poor quality or unattractive posters,
- Political or religious groups or groups promoting religious or political activity.

Freedom of Expression

Perth East Public Library guarantees the right of free expression by making available its bulletin boards to all individuals, whose promotional materials are consistent with the intent of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms, the Ontario Human Rights Code and the Ontario Anti-Racism Policy.

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