

Service Policy 486

**Art Exhibit Policy**

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It is the intent of the Spring Lake District Library to provide an aesthetically pleasing environment in the Library. In this spirit, the Library provides a venue for art exhibits in designated areas of the Library.

Artwork for display in the Spring Lake District Library will be acquired and exhibited through purchases, donations, co-sponsorships or loans, in accordance with the goals and objectives of the Library. Art on loan for exhibit will be governed by the requirements of the Loan Agreement and the Statement of Conditions Under Which Objects are Received.

The Spring Lake District Library Public Art Collection and Exhibits will represent a spectrum of artistic expression. All artwork must have artistic merit and meet acceptable professional standards appropriate for the Library setting.

The views expressed in the artwork exhibited at the Spring Lake District Library are those of the artists and not necessarily those of the Library or its staff.

Artwork that no longer has a relevant place in the public art collection will be decommissioned and disposed of in accordance with either standard library procedures or special prior arrangements with the donor.