San Anselmo Library Public Notice Bulletin Board Policy

The San Anselmo Public Library (the Library) Public Notice Bulletin Board Policy supports the Library’s mission to cultivate community and advance equity by welcoming all people to experience the shared joys of literacy and learning. The Library is committed to racial equity and social justice. The Library strives to provide inclusive experiences for all individuals, regardless of race, religion, creed, color, ancestry, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age, physical or mental disability, military or veteran status, citizenship, or housing status. Any behavior that reduces or interferes with others’ equitable access to library materials, services, and spaces - including acts of racism or hate speech - will not be tolerated.

The Library provides a bulletin board for posting informational materials as a public service to its customers.

Library staff post all items on the bulletin board. Materials for posting must be left at the public service desks for review and posting. All notices may be removed on the last day of each month regardless of the date of posting.

Materials permitted to be displayed on the public bulletin board include, but are not limited to the following:

- Public notices from government, community, civic, education, or nonprofit agencies
- Advertisements regarding programs and events

The Town Librarian may authorize removal of any unacceptable materials displayed on Library bulletin boards. Examples of unacceptable materials include:

- Postings that reduce or interfere with others’ equitable access to Library materials, services, and spaces
- Postings that discriminate or promote hate against any individuals or groups of individuals regardless of race, religion, creed, color, ancestry, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age, physical or mental disability, military or veteran status, citizenship, or housing status
- Postings that encourage, promote, or incite illegal activity or violence against or physical injury to individuals or groups of individuals
- Political campaign materials
- Postings that contain obscene content.

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