

BETHEL PARK PUBLIC LIBRARY

POLICY NUMBER: 109

TITLE: Public Notice Bulletin Board Policy

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STATEMENT OF POLICY

1. Bethel Park Public Library (BPPL) encourages the display by non-profit, civic, and community groups of informational bulletins and posters regarding educational, cultural, civic, intellectual, and charitable activities of interest to the local community.
2. Materials supplied by commercial establishments may be displayed on the library's bulletin board if they are consistent with the library's mission statement. The Library Director is authorized to judge which materials meet this criteria.
3. Excluded from display are personal ads and notices, notices of items for sale or rent, and political campaign advertising, and/or notices advocating or promoting partisan political issues.
4. Due to limited space, items may be no larger than 11" x 17".
5. Materials may be displayed for a limited time only.
6. Materials will be posted as space allows.
7. The library reserves the right to establish length of time and place for the display of materials submitted. The library also reserves the right to restrict the geographic area from which materials will be accepted and to determine the frequency with which materials may be posted for the same group.
8. All items for display become the property of the library unless prior arrangements have been made.