Public Internet Acceptable Use Policy

Adopted by Board of Cedar Mill & Bethany Community Library Association

The Cedar Mill & Bethany Community Libraries offer Internet access to its patrons
as a way of providing free and open access to resources reflecting the great
diversity of interests and opinions in our communities. Library devices, Internet
stations, and public WiFi are expected to be used in a responsible and appropriate
manner.

Although Internet access provides a wealth of information, it is a largely
unregulated medium and some materials may be inaccurate, incomplete,
controversial or offensive. Users are encouraged to evaluate the validity of
information accessed via the Internet.

Internet use in a shared library space requires all patrons to be mindful of the
diverse population that may inadvertently view content accessed via the internet.
All internet use will be managed in a manner consistent with the Library’s Behavior
Policy.

- Users holding a valid Washington County library card may register for use of
  the Libraries’ Internet stations each day the Libraries are open. Guest passes
  are available to visitors for daily use. Time limits are subject to change and
  will be posted.
- Public WiFi is available for use.
- Parents or legal guardians assume responsibility for their minor children’s use
  of the Internet.
- Failure to use the Internet stations, library devices, or public WiFi
  appropriately and responsibly may result in revocation of Internet use
  privileges, library privileges and/or criminal prosecution.
- Please refer to Library Behavior Policy regarding food, drink, noise, and other
  guidelines regarding shared use of the Library facilities, equipment, and
  systems.

Interacting with the Libraries Online

We welcome online discourse on Library-run social media and website resources.
We reserve the right to review and remove content that is deemed irrelevant,
inappropriate or offensive. We reserve the right to reproduce content shared on our
social media and website. Personal information will not be included on any
reproduction, unless granted consent by the individual.