

POLICY HR.6 STAFF AND BOARD MEMBER RECOGNITION POLICY

Purpose: The Brooks Library Board actively recognizes the hard work and dedication demonstrated by Library staff and Board members.

Staff Recognition:

- 1. Employee service is acknowledged by the Board with an appropriate gift up to a value equal to \$10/year of service, awarded at 5 year increments starting at the 5th year of employment.
- 2. Upon retirement, after 10 years of full time employment, employees shall receive:
 - 2.1. An honorary lifetime library card
 - 2.2. A gift to be determined at the Board's discretion
 - 2.3. A letter from the Board thanking the employee for service to the library
- 3. Presentations are to be made at a staff and Board function following their term of service.

Board Member Recognition:

- 4. When trustees conclude their service with the Board, a thank you letter will be sent to recognize their contribution of time and effort as trustee.
- 5. The Library will dedicate one (1) book plate in recognition for each year of service by the Board Member.
- 6. The Library Manager will determine which area of the collection to install the recognition after input from the retiring Board Member.

Responsibility: The Library Manager and/or the Board Chair, will be responsible for purchasing and facilitating the presentation of letters and gifts.

Approved by:

Board Chair

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