Wireless Internet Usage Policy

- 1. The Library remains a public building and use of patron's own equipment does not exempt users from the provisions in the Internet Acceptable Use Policy.
- 2. All patrons use the Internet and Wireless Internet at their own risk and are cautioned to use good judgment in doing so. Because of the open nature of the Internet, there are areas that may be deemed inappropriate for viewing in the Library's public setting. Patrons are expected to be respectful of their fellow patrons, including minor library patrons, when using the Library's networks, wired or wireless.
- 3. The Library offers an OPEN, UNSECURED wireless network for public use. The content on this network is not filtered or otherwise blocked.
- 4. By using the Library's wireless network, the user agrees that the Library has no responsibility for any personal information that is compromised, or for any damage caused to users' hardware or software due to security issues or consequences caused by viruses or hacking.
- 5. Users are responsible for ensuring that their computer has adequate protection against computer viruses, spyware, and any and all other malware that their computer may be exposed to on the Internet or from email attachments, so that it does not infect other devices on the Library network.
- 6. The Library does not monitor the content accessed by users of the Internet terminals or the online actions of Internet terminal users. If, however, Library staff becomes aware that a user is using the Internet terminal for illegal purposes, Library staff will contact the police.
- 7. Library staff may verify whether the Library's wireless connection is up and running, but will not be required to assist in making changes to the user's network settings or perform any troubleshooting on the user's computer.
- 8. The Library cannot guarantee uninterrupted wireless service.

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