

No 9100.04
RELATIONS
Reconsideration of Exhibits/Displays

Request for Reconsideration of Exhibits or Displays (new)

Objections to an exhibit or display, in whole or in part, in the Library shall be made in writing utilizing the "Request for Reconsideration of Library Exhibits/Displays" form, and directed to the Library Director who shall forward the objection to the Superintendent of Schools. The Superintendent shall establish a review committee comprised of the Library Director, librarians, and others deemed appropriate by the Superintendent. The committee will review the objection and submit the "Exhibit/Display Reconsideration Committee Evaluation Report", with recommendation to the Superintendent within two (2) weeks of receipt, based upon the following:

- The American Library Association's *Library Bill of Rights*
- The American Library Association's Freedom to View statement, and
- other guidelines as appropriate. (The above noted American Library Association statements may be found in Appendix A. Forms may be found in Appendix B.)
- Board policy, including No. 7510-02 Exhibit Spaces and Bulletin Boards
- The Library's mission
- The Materials Selection Policy, and other policies as may be appropriate.

During the review process, the material under reconsideration shall remain on display.

Upon receipt of the committee's report, the Superintendent shall, within five (5) calendar days, issue his/her decision, in writing, regarding the disposition of the objection. The Superintendent shall apply the criteria of this Policy to his/her decision making.

If the objecting party wishes to appeal the Superintendent's determination, she/he may do so, in writing, to the Board of Education within two (2) weeks of the receipt of the Superintendent's determination. The board shall rule upon the appeal, in writing, within twenty (20) days of the receipt of the same, by applying the criteria of this Policy.