



STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE:	July 22, 2025
MEETING TYPE:	Atwell Public Library Advisory Board
SUBMITTED BY:	Olivia Daniels, Librarian
AGENDA CAPTION:	Volunteering as a Board Member. Presented by: Olivia Daniels, Librarian

Background Information

The Library Board's volunteer efforts are essential to the success of our library programs and services, and we sincerely appreciate the time and dedication each member contributes. As board members, it is important to represent the library in a way that reflects our values of respect, inclusivity, and partnership.

When working with the public—whether with youth, older adults, or diverse community groups—Board members are encouraged to be mindful of their language and actions to ensure a welcoming, positive environment for all.

Additionally, when attending Library events, Board members are asked to wear their official Board shirts when possible. If not available, attire should be neutral and avoid displaying logos from other organizations or any adult-themed branding.

Lastly, we rely heavily on the support of sponsors, volunteers, and community partners. It is essential to maintain a positive attitude toward these groups, especially while they are actively assisting with Library programs or events.

Budget Implications

N/A

Operational Impact

N/A

Legal Review

N/A

Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends board members to continue volunteering and representing the library while being positive and inclusive to our community as well as partners.

Supporting Documentation and Attachments