

Oelwein Public Library Long Range Plan for 2020-2023

Mission Statement: The Oelwein Public Library serves as a place in the community for people to share resources and information.

Goal: Residents will have access to a diverse, current collection.

Objective: The material budget will increase by 10% per year.

Objective: The collection will be evaluated and purged of unused and/or dated material each year.

Objective: New genres and mediums will be added as they are developed dependent on community interest.

Goal: Residents will receive exceptional customer service.

Objective: Staff will attend a minimum of one continuing education class per year.

Objective: Staff will take part in a minimum of one community event per year.

Objective: Staff will improve electronic communication methods by 2021.

Goal: Residents will have a welcoming facility for meeting and interacting with others.

Objective: A study room enclosure will be integrated by 2021.

Objective: Parking lot plantings will be restored by 2022.

Objective: Exterior steel beams will be repainted by 2023.

Objective: Sunday hours will be expanded by 2023.