Waukegan Public Library



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The Waukegan Public Library Foundation, established in 1986, is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization which encourages voluntary financial support for the Waukegan Public Library. This support will be used to help meet both the present and future needs of the Waukegan Public Library.

The purpose of the Waukegan Public Library Foundation is to enhance the quality of Library services to the community by; securing resources to support library programs and projects not normally met by public funding; to stimulate and encourage gifts of funds, books, desirable collections, endowments and bequests to the library; and receive, hold, manage, use and dispose of funds and properties of all kinds, whether given absolutely or in trust, for the benefit of Waukegan Public Library.

The purposes of the corporation shall be exclusively charitable and educational within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The Library faces many challenges to stay relevant in the digital age. Collections continue to grow—not only of books, but of audio/visual materials, periodicals, and computerized reference materials. As patrons rely more heavily on the Internet for information, technology and its hardware and software needs make large demands on the Library's budget. To help the Library and the Foundation continue to provide the "Standard of Excellence," donors may participate in several ways:

- Capital Campaign
- Gift of Reading Fund
- Tribute Fund
- Planned Giving

Gifts given to any of the above areas may be given in h<mark>on</mark>or or in memory of a friend or family member,

or to commemorate a special event in your life. Donations may also be gifted through an auto-payroll deduction or possibly matched from your employer or organization. All donations will be acknowledged on our recognition wall. The Foundation represents the dreams of the future, anticipating the highest level of service Waukegan Public Library can provide. Tax dollars provide a good library; gifts make an excellent library. Please contact Richard Lee, Executive Director, for further information on becoming a donor.

We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give.

-Winston Churchill

Donation Form

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