



Materials Selection Inquiry Form

The Staff and Board of Trustees of the Chili Public Library realize that the library, acting to serve the residents of the community of Chili, will add materials to its collection which may be deemed controversial. For this reason, we are providing a procedure for the public to aid any criticism of library materials. Please fill out the attached form "Patron Complaints Regarding Library Materials". No comment will be considered without name, address and phone number included.

Questions regarding this policy should be referred to the Library Director. If, following discussion with the Library Director, the user's concerns remain unresolved, the user will be provided a "Patron Complaint Regarding Library Materials" form. Upon receipt of the completed form, the Library Director will thoroughly review it and respond in writing to the user. If the concerns are still not resolved, the matter may be presented to the Library Board of Trustees for its final review. Please notify the Library Director if you plan to attend.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Whom do you represent?: Yourself _____ Organization (Name) _____

Title/Source of Material _____

Author/Artist _____ Publisher _____

1. Did you read or listen to or view the entire work/medium? ___ What parts did you read, listen to, or view? _____

2. What do you believe is the theme of this work/medium?

3. To what in this work/medium do you object? Please be specific, cite pages or scenes.

4. What do you feel might be the result of reading or viewing this work/medium?

5. For what age group would you recommend this material?_____

6. Are you aware of critical judgments of this work/medium?_____

7. In the place of this material, what work/source would you recommend that would convey as valuable a picture and perspective of the subject treated?

8. What would you like the Chili Public Library to do about this work/medium?

9. Do you feel that your request for review is consistent with the Library Bill of Rights, The Freedom to Read Statement, the Access to Electronic Information, Services and Networks Statement, and the Chili Public Library Selection Policy?

10. Please list any additional comments.
