

Muskoka Lakes Township Public Library  
LIBRARY BOARD POLICY

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Policy Title: Vision Statement

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### Intent:

The Vision Statement of the Muskoka Lakes Public Library Board (herein after referred to as the Board) describes the future success of the Muskoka Lakes Public Library (herein after referred to as the Library). By creating a compelling vision, the Board encourages action that moves the Library towards a desirable future. This policy ensures that the Board and staff are guided by a clearly articulated vision.

### Regulations:

The Vision Statement, along with the Mission Statement and Statement of Values provides a framework for strategic decision-making for the Board and staff.

### Operating Guidelines:

The Vision Statement is developed, reviewed and/or revised by the Board as part of the planning cycle. All strategic decisions of the Board need to support the vision statement.

The Muskoka Lakes Public Library's Vision Statement is:

- a) futuristic in that it conveys a picture of a desirable future
- b) easily understood by people both inside and outside of the Library
- c) used to guide the actions of the Board and staff

### Vision Statement

To encourage the growth of minds, community, and enjoyment, now and for future generations.

### Related Documents:

MLPL GF-01 Mission Statement  
MLPL GF-03 Statement of Values  
MLPL Strategic Plan

