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The Mount Olive Public Library's De-Selection of Materials Policy

Materials that no longer fit the service roles of the Library will be withdrawn from the collection. This may include materials that are damaged, include obsolete information, or are no longer used. Decisions will be based on accepted professional practice, such as those described in *The CREW Method*, and the professional judgment of the Library Director or designated staff. When necessary, local specialists will be consulted to determine the continued relevance and reliability of materials.

Items withdrawn from the collection will be disposed of in accordance with local law, which permits discarding into the trash, recycling of paper, or transfer to the *Friends of the Mount Olive Public Library* for sale. Discarded magazines and newspapers may be given to other libraries or social service agencies at the discretion of the Library Director.