Policy 6500

Recognition of Service for Board Members	
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Policy Statement

Outgoing board members will be recognized for their service to the Okotoks Public Library (OPL) Board.

Purpose or Rationale

Board members volunteer their time to attend board meetings, work on board committees and participate in various events.

Therefore, this policy is in place to ensure that OPL board members are duly recognized upon completion of their service to the board.

Procedures

Upon completion of their service to the OPL board, board members will be recognized as follows:

- After service of any length, a book plate recognizing the board member's years of service
 will be placed inside a book or on an audio-visual item of the board member's choice as
 part of the OPL's collection. If the chosen item is currently not part of the OPL
 collection, the OPL will purchase the item.
- After three (3) years of service, the board member will receive a certificate of recognition.

The Board Chair is responsible for identifying outgoing board members and presenting the certificate. The Library Director is responsible for inserting the book plate.