

## **Green Free Library**

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### **Wireless Internet Acceptable Use Policy**

The Green Free Library offers Free Wireless Internet access (aka 'hot spot' or 'WiFi') for library patrons and/or visitors to use with their own personal laptops and other mobile devices. This connection is 802.11b and 802.11g compatible.

The Library is unable to assist with configuring personal equipment. If you require assistance, you may need to contact the hardware or software manufacturer. Remember that **use of the Internet is not private**. It is strongly advised to keep antivirus and spyware software up-to-date on personal equipment.

Users will be able to visit chat rooms, use 'instant messenger' and email, and have access to online games. Library staff will not monitor, control, or restrict access to equipment or the range of information available within the limits of state and/or federal law. Parents or guardians who wish to limit the access of their own children to the Internet should personally oversee their use of the Internet and other forms of electronic information. Minors (anyone under 18 years of age) who visit the library without parent or guardian are responsible for their own decisions and behaviors. Minors will not be able to borrow Library owned wireless hardware.

In providing public access to the Internet, the Library recognizes the importance of the First Amendment ideal of Freedom of Speech and Press and the access to information and ideas which that freedom implies.

Internet users are asked to respect the privacy of other users. Abusive or illegal activities are forbidden while using the Library's Internet service. Patrons may lose their library privileges and use of the Library's WiFi if they willfully participate in these activities.

Misuse of the WiFi service includes, but is not limited to, violations of the Green Free Library Wireless Internet Acceptable Use Policy, damaging or attempting to damage equipment, interfering with Library operations, and interfering with other patron's Internet usage.