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The Waukee Public Library is a vital part of the city. It serves as a gathering place for the community and is dedicated to promoting the free exchange of ideas. It will inspire and inform the community by providing library customer service that exceeds expectations.

*Vision Statement*

The Waukee Public Library will have a vibrant library where people want to be. It will meet the needs of a diverse and growing constituency by providing services and partnering with other community organizations. The Board of Trustees and the staff will work together to serve the public and to respond to the changing nature of library services.

*Role Statement*

The Waukee Public Library provides a wide variety of materials and services to patrons of all ages. To fulfill this mission, the Library has two roles: that of provider and that of partner.

The provider roles of the Library are to provide:
- circulating collections of current high-demand, high-interest materials in a variety of formats
- collections representing a broad spectrum of knowledge on a variety of subjects and in a variety of formats
- reference services providing timely and accurate information in a variety of formats with access from diverse locations
- programs and services for all ages that encourage reading, learning, and cultural enrichment

The partner roles of the Library are:
- to coordinate the development of collections, programs, and services in local history and genealogy with other pertinent organizations
- to cooperate with other agencies and governments in providing relevant community information
- to facilitate the provision of formal and independent education support, including information literacy training, through outreach and other means

The mission statement is reviewed periodically by the Board of Trustees of the Waukee Public Library