(Policies for Irondale Public Library)

III. WHO MAY USE THE LIBRARY

- A. The Library will serve all members of the public. Service will not be denied or abridged because of race, age, or gender, nor because of religious, racial, social, economic or political status.
- B. Library cards are free to those who reside in Jefferson County. Persons working within the city limits of Irondale can have a card without any expense to them. Persons who reside outside of Jefferson County may obtain a library card for an annual fee. Persons who reside outside the county but work within the city limits of Irondale may have a card annually at no fee. Irondale Public Library will pay the fee of \$15 to the Jefferson County Library Cooperative. A library card is required to check out library materials but is not necessary for using library materials or equipment within the Library building.
- C. The use of the Library or its services shall be limited when excessive demands of groups or individuals tend to curtail service to the general public.
- D. The use of the Library or its services may be denied for due cause. Such cause may be failure to return materials or to pay penalties, destruction of library materials, property or equipment, disturbance of other patrons, or any other objectionable conduct on Library premises.

(See also, XI. Guidelines for Patron Behavior in the Library)

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