

**ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS**

**TAB: Patron Services**

**DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20-80-24**

**SECTION: Facility Usage**

**SUBJECT: PICKETING AND PROTESTS**

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**SUMMARY**

This regulation describes the Library Board's policy on reacting to public demonstrations on library property.

**Effective Date:**

August 17, 2011

**Reviewed:**

October 4, 2017

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July 14, 2022

**POLICY**

a. Peaceful demonstrations and picketing are permitted on Library property in areas designated by staff, unless the activity obstructs traffic or interferes with Library patrons' use of the Library. If Library uses and/or traffic is obstructed, Library personnel will call local police.

b. Demonstrators and picketers are responsible for following all laws, including municipal rules and regulations.

c. The County Librarian may, on Election Day and/or during Advanced Voting, direct staff to temporarily relocate or close a library's designated area if the area is too near a polling place, pursuant to KSA 25-2430.

**PROCEDURES**

The County Librarian maintains written procedures to implement the terms of this policy.

**July 14, 2022**

**ARM 20-80-24 End**