

Relationship of Board of Trustees and Director Statement

This statement is subject to the terms and conditions set forth by the Yankton Community Library Board of Trust by-laws and the South Dakota Codified laws.

While the funding body of the Library is the Yankton City Commission, the Library Board of Trustees holds exclusive legal responsibility for the operation of the YCL, budgetary process, and policies. The Board shall appoint a Library Director as the administrator with full responsibility for services, book selection, personnel management, and physical facilities upkeep/management. The Library Director shall have the responsibility for recommending policies and for bringing to the attention of the governing board the desirability of formulating policies. It is the responsibility of the Library Director to follow the policies established by the Library Board of Trustees. It is also the responsibility of the Library Director to interpret Board policies and enact daily procedures and direct staff tasks that accurately reflect those policies.