Section II: Service Policies

TITLE: Petitioning and Distributing Materials on Library Property

Lake Villa District Library (LVDL) recognizes the presentation of petitions and the distribution of literature by individuals and groups as a fundamental right, protected by the First Amendment. LVDL also upholds the rights of its patrons and employees to enter and leave the building safely, without being impeded or unduly hindered.

Petitioning Guidelines:

- Permission to petition must be obtained from the staff member in charge.
- Collection of signatures within the building is limited to up to two hours, in the LVDL lobby.
- Only two (2) people may collect signatures in the lobby at any one time.

Distributing Guidelines:

- Members of the public may distribute pamphlets and other literature outside the building.
- Car pamphleting is prohibited.
- Selling or soliciting on library property is not allowed. (see Patron Behavior Policy)

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