



Youngstown Free Library

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Constitution of the Youngstown Free Library Association

The Youngstown Free Library is governed by a Board of Trustees who are responsible to the Youngstown Free Library Association. The Association is described in its Constitution.

ARTICLE I: TITLE

This organization shall be known as the Youngstown Free Library Association (Association).

ARTICLE II: PURPOSE

The objective of this Association is to support the Youngstown Free Library (Library), to recommend to the Board of Trustees (Board) changes in Library policies and operations, to assist in maintaining the Library services and facilities, and to elect members of the Board of Trustees.

ARTICLE III: MEMBERSHIP

A. All residents of the town of Porter who have a Youngstown, NY 14174 mailing address and whose borrowing privileges are in good standing in the Library are members of this Association. Members in good standing are those borrowers whose privileges have not been revoked.

B. All Board members must be members of the Association.

C. There are no annual dues, fees or assessments associated with membership in the Association.

ARTICLE IV: ANNUAL MEETING

A. Annual Meeting of the Association will be held prior to the first regular meeting of the Board each year.

B. Annual meeting will be publicized and open to the public. Association members may participate in the meeting.

C. Board will provide leadership to the Association, notify members of meetings and identify items requiring Association participation and consideration.

D. The Board Trustees will be elected at the Annual meeting from the Association members. A slate of trustee nominations for the open positions will be proposed by



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the Board Nominating Committee. Additional nominations may be offered by the memberships at large.