

Madawaska Valley Public Library Policy Manual

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Policy Title: Statement of Authority

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Objective

To define the legal authority of the Township of Madawaska Valley Public Library Board (the Board).

Scope

The Board bears legal responsibility for the Township of Madawaska Valley Public Library (the Library) by ensuring that it operates in accordance with the *Public Libraries Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. P 44.

1. In accordance with the *Public Libraries Act*, s. 3(1), the council of the former Municipal Corporation of the Village of Barry's Bay (as of January 1, 2000 – amalgamated into the Township of Madawaska Valley), has established the Barry's Bay & Area Public Library by the adoption of municipal By-law No. 176 A By-Law to Establish a Public Library within the Corporation of the Village of Barry's Bay. Date of approval was August 8, 1960.
2. In accordance with the *Public Libraries Act*, s. 3(3), the Barry's Bay & Area Public Library shall be under the management and control of the Board which is a corporation.
3. The Library name change was effected by By-law No. 2014-08 Being a By-Law to change the name of the Barry's Bay and Area Public Library to the Township of Madawaska Valley Public Library, on January 20, 2014.

Related Documents:

Public Libraries Act, R.S.O. 1990, s. 3(1) and (3)