

NEW ROCHELLE PUBLIC LIBRARY RECONSIDERATION OF LIBRARY RESOURCES FORM

The New Rochelle Public Library (NRPL) is aware that patrons may take issue with the inclusion of specific items or practices, and they welcome the expression of concern by library users.

Before filling out our Reconsideration of Library Resources form be sure to review the following Library policies:

<u>Collection Development Policy</u>

(<u>nrpl.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/Collection-Development-Policy_Updated-January</u> -2025-for-Printable-Version-.pdf)

• <u>Reconsideration of Library Resources Policy</u> (<u>https://nrpl.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/FINAL-2024-Reconsideration-of-Library-Re</u> sources-Policy-without-Reconsideration-Form-.pdf)

1. The NRPL Board and Director will only consider those concerns brought by New Rochelle residents. Are you a New Rochelle resident?* (subject to verification)

__Yes __No

- 2. Are you expressing this concern as an individual or as a member of an organization?*
- 3. Full Legal Name*

4. Address*

5. How would you prefer to be contacted*

Email		
Phone		
Other		

6. Preferred contact information (Email, phone number, etc.)*

Email address _	
Phone number	
Other	

7. About which library resource do you have a concern?*

___Book

- ___DVD/Blu-Ray
- ____Audio Recording

____Magazine

___Newspaper

____Streaming Service

___Database

8. Title (if applicable)*

9. Author/Director (if applicable)*

10. What in the work do you object to? Please comment on the resource as a whole as well as being specific. Please cite pages, scenes, sections etc. (or timestamps or scenes for audiovisual works) What harm do you think will come from the use of this resource?* 11. Have you examined the entire resource?*

___Yes No

12. Is there anything positive about this resource?

13. What age group(s) would you consider appropriate for this resource?*

14. Location of the resource*

____Main Library - Adults

____Main Library - Teens

____Main Library - Children

____Huguenot Children's Library

15. If this is a children's book, do you believe that it would be more appropriate in the adult or teen collection?*

16. What brought this resource to your attention?*

17. Are you aware of the judgment of this resource by literary critics?*

18. How does this work comply or fail to comply with the New Rochelle Public Library's Collection Management Policy?*

- 19. Please suggest other resources that could provide similar information on this topic to the community. What material of equal or better quality on this subject would you recommend?*
- 20. Do you believe other people should have the right to decide what resources and information are available for you and your family to access?*

___Yes ___No

If 'No', why not?

21. Have you read our following policies* [options to select all: Collection Development and Maintenance Policy, Reconsideration of Library Resources Policy]

Collection Development and Maintenance Policy

____Reconsideration of Library Resources Policy

___Select all

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