

Donations and Grants

1. Decisions regarding the acceptance and disposition of any gifts, bequests, donations, and grants of money, materials, or personal property will be made by the Trustees as specified in NH RSA 202-A:4-c and 202-A:4-d.
2. Books and other materials will be accepted on condition that the Library has the authority to make whatever disposition it finds advisable. All materials acquired must be designated as gifts.
3. Monetary and real property donations will be accepted if the conditions attached thereto are acceptable to the Trustees.
4. Personal property, art objects, portraits, antiques, museum pieces, or other objects, including machinery, will be accepted if they are directly applicable to Library operation, at the discretion of the Trustees.
5. The Trustees will follow regulations of the State Library, the State Legislature, and the Attorney-General's Office of the State of New Hampshire concerning acceptance of donations and grants, monetary or otherwise, some of which, valued at \$5,000 or more, require the Trustees to hold a public hearing in accordance with NH RSA 202-A:4-d, II.
6. No gift, bequest, donation, or grant which requires the expenditure of additional town or library funds as a condition of acceptance shall be accepted unless or until those additional funds have been appropriated or are otherwise available.

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