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Equipment Loan Policy

Library Equipment Loan Policy

The Minerva Free Library lends some equipment as an additional service to qualified borrowers. Lending equipment allows residents, town departments, and organizations access to items that are unaffordable for an individual or for infrequent use by an organization.

- 1. Borrowers must have an **adult** Minerva Free Library card in good standing.
- 2. Reservations must be made in advance. Use of the equipment for library purposes will have first priority. Town use will have second priority.
- 3. Borrower is financially responsible for any damages incurred or for failure to return the Equipment and/or accessories. The library will determine replacement model and cost.
- 4. Borrower will pick up and return the equipment on a schedule determined by the Library Director.
- 5. Certain equipment, determined by the Library Director, may only be borrowed by town departments, official town committees and commissions, and recognized town community organizations. Borrowing still requires a valid library card for the individual taking financial responsibility (see #3).

Donations greatly appreciated.

Board of Directors- Sherman Minerva Free Library

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The Minerva Free Library reserves the right to modify this policy at any time.