EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY AND UNLAWFUL HARASSMENT

Douglas County Libraries (the "Library") is dedicated to the principles of equal employment opportunity. We prohibit unlawful discrimination against applicants or employees on the basis of age 40 and over, race (including traits historically associated with race, such as hair texture and length, protective hairstyles), sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, color, religion, national origin, disability, military status, genetic information, marital status, or any other status protected by applicable state or local law.

Retaliation against an employee for filing a complaint under this requirement or for assisting in a complaint investigation is prohibited. If any staff member perceives retaliation for their participation in an investigation, they should contact their supervisor or the Human Resources department immediately. The situation will be promptly investigated by the Human Resources department. Additional details can be found in the Library's Employee Handbook.

This policy applies to all employees and Board of Trustees members, including supervisors, managers, co-workers, and non-employees such as customers, volunteers, clients, vendors, and consultants.