



[Nichole Flynn](#) I know a lot of people are suggesting going other places or using neighbouring libraries, but I'm thinking we shouldn't. This is our library and we shouldn't give it up just because one business man finds it inconvenient.

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[Audra Ebling](#) Here's the thing, if we stop using the library we will play into the board's hands. They will cite reduced usage as a reason to slash funding. It's a horrible position for patrons, tutors, parents, pretty much everyone but the board that really does not care what the community thinks or wants.

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[Nichole Flynn](#) we need a new board. this one seems intent on dismantling the library.

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[Cindy McDonald Grau](#) It's not just a business man, it's a board member who has no sense of what a community is. Someone who thinks we don't need libraries anymore.

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[Nichole Flynn](#) that, too. that's what needs to be addressed. we can't have a library board that hates the library and it's patrons.

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[Audra Ebling](#) Sadly, the mayor and council who appointed him knew very well how he felt about the library when they appointed him.

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[Mary Wynn Ryan](#) the current, acting mayor did not appoint him, and I have heard he has appointed the 6th ward alderman Mazzuca to draft actionable wording for removal of an appointee, which the City does not currently have. You might ask about the progress of this policy draft.

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[Jack O'Rourke](#) Time to vote the board out. If the Board truly feels they need to charge money for someone to tutor our children , the group that pays taxes to support the library - there is a serious problem in this town.

Let's also keep some facts in mind:

- there are more library staff than police officers. This is unreal.

How many parking spots in our Uptown area are set aside for the Library staff? They should have to sign up for parking permits and pay for spots like all of our commuters.

Let's move forward with many changes.

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[Cindy McDonald Grau](#) The board is appointed by the mayor not voted in.

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