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Subject: External: MPL concerns

## Hi Kristin,

Julia Lee directed me to you regarding concerns to be shared with the library board. I am sending copies of the two emails I had sent her. Would you be willing to share them with the board? Thank you!

Heather Schulz

1. I write this with a heavy heart. I am a Christian mother of nine. It deeply saddens me to see what things are being allowed, encouraged, and taught to our youth at Manitowoc Public Library; things regarding transgenderism, racism, and homosexuality. My husband and I have raised our children to know how to love others in light of how God has taught us, not how the world teaches. We are raising intelligent, responsible, upstanding, hard-working, well-rounded citizens that will contribute to society in positive and morally upright ways, according to God's standards. He does not look favorably upon the choices MPL is adopting and promoting, and I will never agree to these things."It is a dreadful thing to fall into the hands of the living God." (Hebrews 10:31)

Several Christian parents have shared with me the recent addition of the book, The Hips on the Drag Queen Go Swish Swish Swiss,to MPL shelves. It's meant for 3 years and up. Wow! I am astonished! I am at a loss of words. I have too much wisdom, having successfully raised many children, to even begin writing what damage this will cause to our young minds and hearts. God help and protect our children! Time will tell the grave results..."Rather, blessed are those who hear the Word of God and obey it." (Luke 11:28)

Sincerely, Heather Schulz

2. I have been informed that MPL now has 58 books on the LGBT topics. Why are you encouraging ungodly behavior that goes against the one true God and his Word by providing resources to "meet the needs of the community"? What needs are being met regarding these areas other than ungodly immoral needs? Why would anyone want to promote, glorify, and encourage topics such as transgender, gay, lesbian, or bisexual? Do you have children? Would you want your son/daughter to change his/her gender; maybe even start thinking about it at a young age because he/she read some bad books? What is MPL teaching children? What is MPL teaching parents? What is MPL teaching the community? This is so very sad. These things will continue to have a very negative impact on the good name and reputation of MPL. Most importantly, these things do not love, honor, respect or give glory to our God. He is very displeased.

Sincerely, Heather Schulz