



Lyons Public Library

Confidentiality of Library Records Policy

In regards to the confidentiality of library records, the Lyons Public Library strictly adheres to New York State Civil Practice Law and Rules Section 4509 which was signed on June 13, 1988.

§ 4509. Library records. Library records, which contain names or other personally identifying details regarding the users of public, free association, school, college and university libraries and library systems of this state, including but not limited to records related to the circulation of library materials, computer database searches, interlibrary loan transactions, reference queries, requests for photocopies of library materials, title reserve requests, or the use of audio-visual materials, films or records, shall be confidential and shall not be disclosed except that such records may be disclosed to the extent necessary for the proper operation of such library and shall be disclosed upon request or consent of the user or pursuant to subpoena, court order or where otherwise required by statute.

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