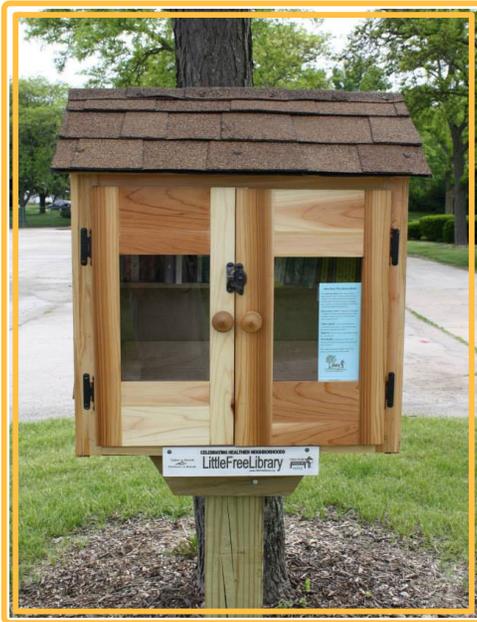


What are Little Free Libraries?

Little Free Library® is a Wisconsin-based nonprofit organization that inspires a love of reading, builds community, and sparks creativity by fostering neighborhood book exchanges around the world.



Little Free Libraries are established throughout West Allis, at businesses, in neighborhoods, and even at City Hall! We encourage residents and businesses to create more Libraries to help their neighbors connect with good books and each other.



Resources to Get Started!

Order kits, register your library, and browse an extensive FAQ about owning, using, and finding Little Free Libraries.

visit: www.LittleFreeLibrary.org

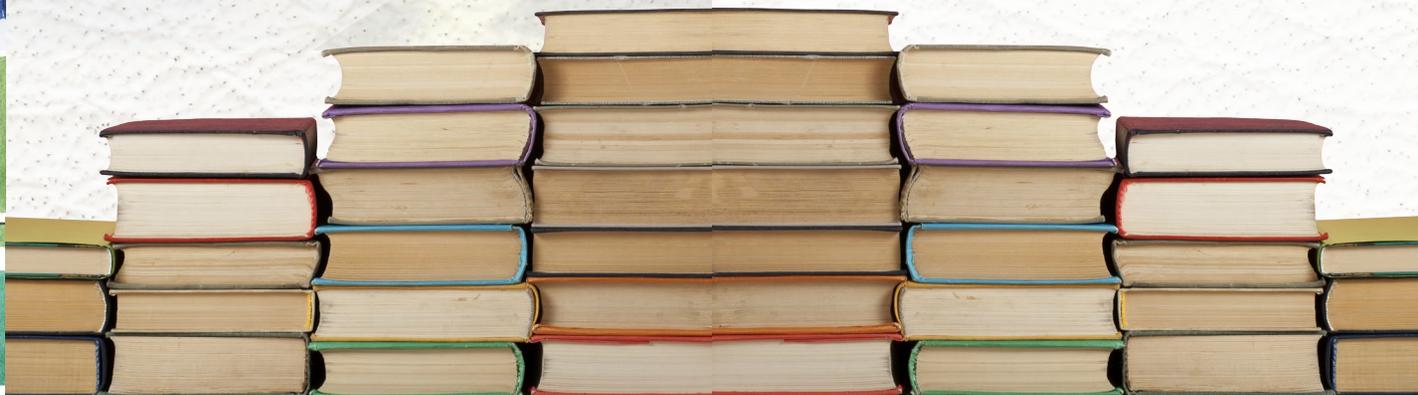
The webpage of the City of West Allis Building Inspection and Neighborhood Services (BINS) Department. Contact BINS with questions about starting your own Little Free Library in West Allis.

visit: www.westalliswi.gov/BINS

City of West Allis

Little Free Library Book Exchange

Connecting Readers,
Connecting Neighbors



westalliswi.gov/littlefreelibraries

Starting Your Own Little Free Library

Find them in West Allis!

1 I would like to start a Little Free Library. What do I do?

LittleFreeLibrary.org offers numerous resources and even building kits to get your Little Free Library up and running. Residents, organizations, and businesses may all create Little Free Libraries.

2 Do I have to register my Little Free Library?

No, you do not have to register with the City or Little Free Library. However, in order to use any official Little Free Library logos or signage, or have your library listed on their searchable map, you must register on their website (fees apply).

3 My home/business/organization has a library – how can we register to be on Little Free Library's website map?

Visit LittleFreeLibrary.org to get started. Fees apply.

4 I would like to start a Little Free Library on my residential property. Where can I put it?

Little Free Libraries are required to be located on private property and not in the City's right-of-way. Your private property typically starts anywhere from two to five feet inside of the sidewalk. If you have a survey of your property, you will be able to determine where your property line is.

A Little Free Library should also be kept away from street or alley corners, so as not to create an obstruction in a driver's vision of other vehicles or pedestrians. Contact the City of West Allis Department of Building Inspection and Neighborhood Services if you have any questions on the location of your Little Free Library prior to installing it. That may save you the hassle, time and expense of having to relocate a Little Free Library that was installed in the wrong location.

5 Do I need a permit to install a Little Free Library?

No. The City of West Allis does not require permits to establish a Little Free Library on a residential property. Note: special permitting may be needed if the planned Little Free Library location is on a city right-of-way.

