The Library Board of Directors recommends that future acquisitions of art for a permanent art collection of the Bismarck Veterans Memorial Public Library focus on original art from North Dakota and regional artists. Prints and lithographs are not considered original art. The collection should have balance of all mediums such as sculpture, painting, fiber art, etc. It should also reflect the diversity of artistic styles such as realism, abstract, surrealism, etc. This artwork would not be limited to recently created pieces. Pieces are accepted for the permanent collection at the discretion of the director.

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