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5.8 Inclement Weather Closings

It is the policy of the Emmetsburg Public Library to close during instances of inclement weather when Iowa Lakes Community College has cancelled its classes, the college library has also closed, and the Smith Wellness Center has closed. Notices of such closings will be broadcast on local area radio stations.

In all other instances, the decision to close due to inclement weather will be made by the library director or, in cases where the library director is not available for consultation, the library employee in charge.

Overdue charges will not be assessed for days the library is closed for inclement weather. Patrons may still leave messages on the library's answering machine to renew books.

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