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Whately, Massachusetts 01093

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**2008 Report of the S. White Dickinson Memorial Library Board of Trustees**

The S. White Dickinson Library settled into its 58<sup>th</sup> year providing an expanding variety of services. The Board of Trustees tended to needed repairs of the building including the roof gutter system and the front brick repair. A Long Range Plan to address library services and facility needs will be finalized this year.

The library's traditional service was enhanced by the addition of increased technology of computers, systems and website. The invaluable support of the Friends of the Library in their fundraising activities added to the increased events the library offers.

We are grateful to our Library director, Christine Moulton, and her devoted attention to the needs and interests of library patrons of all ages, making the library an inviting place and source of enriching experiences for all. Our library is ranked 18<sup>th</sup> of 68 libraries of similar size in the state, an accomplishment of the combined efforts of all involved, directed by Chris.

We appreciate the financial and material donations from individuals, local organizations and those made in memory of loved ones to support our programs and add to our collections. We thank all our friends who volunteer time, creativity and talent of all kinds to contribute to the library. The library has been fortunate to have the devoted commitment and high regard of its community.

The Board of Trustees and the Library Director meet the second Thursday of each month.

Respectfully submitted,

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