



**RUTHERFORD
COUNTY**
LIBRARY SYSTEM

WI-FI HOTSPOT USER AGREEMENT

Rutherford County Library System circulates Mobile HotSpots for RCLS card holders, **ages 18 and older**, with the appropriate privileges. Reading the user agreement is required prior to the first checkout of a Wi-Fi HotSpot and signifies patron will abide by these rules.

Wi-Fi HotSpots are portable wireless Internet access. Each Wi-Fi HotSpot box contains a Wi-Fi HotSpot unit and an AC adapter/charger.

Wi-Fi HotSpots check out for 7 days, and cannot be renewed. Wi-Fi HotSpots cost \$5.00, paid up front, for data. Each cardholder may checkout a maximum of 1 (one) Wi-Fi HotSpot at a time. Late fees for the Wi-Fi HotSpot are \$1.00 per each day late.

In accordance with RCLS policy returning these items late OR in the book drop *may result in the removal of borrowing privileges* for the patron.

- **First overdue or book drop return** | Patron receives warning.
- **Second overdue or book drop return** | Patron is barred from Wi-Fi HotSpot checkout for 30 days.
- **Third overdue or book drop return** | Patron is banned from checking out Wi-Fi HotSpot from RCLS.

In Wi-Fi HotSpots cost more to replace than the average library item, which is why we want to make sure all users are aware of the cost of replacement for damaged or unreturned units. Wi-Fi HotSpots range from \$69.99 to \$99.99 for the total unit.

By reading this agreement you agree to pay the cost of the Wi-Fi HotSpot if the item is lost or otherwise damaged when checked out to your account. In the case that only the charger is lost, the replacement cost is \$15.00. As with all other library materials, the library card holder will be responsible for the total cost of the unit if the device is damaged or lost.

*Mobile Internet coverage is NOT guaranteed in all areas. Please check the coverage map at linebaugh.org or T-mobile.com for a general coverage map

This document **must be read** prior to the first check-out of a Wi-Fi HotSpot.

Patron **must be 18 years of age or older** to check out a Hotspot. A note will remain in the Patron's RCLS account reflecting this reading:

Patron has read and agreed to Wi-Fi Hotspot terms - Date | associate's initials

** Due to the nature of the items, we ask that all WiFi HotSpots be **returned in person to the circulation desk** of any RCLS branch and **NOT** placed in any of the book drops. **