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Logging In

- 1. Log into your Bibliocommons account
- 2. Click on admin in the upper righthand corner of the screen, and then select "Suggested Purchases" from the menu that pops up
- 3. The default view for the Suggested purchases dashboard is the unreviewed requests. You can navigate between pages on the dashboard by selecting different tabs at the top of the page.

The dashboard shows you all unanswered suggested purchases from all libraries. To view only your requests, remember to check the "From This Website Only" box at the top of the page. The Dashboard is your control center. From here you can: - view requests - approve or deny requests

- filter requests to
- only your library

Actions

All of the actions you can take are done by using buttons next to each request.

• Checkmark

- This approves the suggestion and opens a popup with the approval canned responses. You can select one to send to the patron or you can select "Custom Response" to write your own. Once you click approve, the message is sent to the patron and the suggestion is moved to the "Approved" tab.
- **X**
 - This rejects the suggestion and opens a popup with the rejection canned responses. You can select one to send to the patron or you can select "Custom Response" to write your own. Once you click deny, the message is sent to the patron and the suggestion is moved to the "Denied" tab.
- Pencil
 - This allows you to edit the suggestion. This is typically done to add information or edit incorrect information.
- Clipboard
 - This allows you to add staff notes to a suggestion. Staff notes can be seen by anyone with a bibliocommons admin account.



To Approve or Deny Multiple Requests at Once

Check the boxes to the left of the requests you would like to deal with. Once you have selected all you would like to make the decision for, click either "approve" or "deny" at the top of the list. Send the canned responses and you are done.

Viewing Approved / Denied Requests

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Approved requests go to the "Approved" tab at the top of the page. Once a request is approved, you will need to acquire it and place it on hold for the person who requested it, as that is not done automatically.

Denied requests go to the "Denied" tab at the top of the page. You can view these to see if there are trends of books being requested to see if there is a gap you need to fill in your collection.

Remember to check the "From This Website Only" box at the top of the page to view only your library's requests.



Approved

Denied

Auto-Approved Authors List

Applegate, Katherine Arnold, Tedd Baldacci, David Barnett, Mac Blabev, Aaron Box. C.J. Brown, Sandra Castillo. Linda Child. Lee Connelly, Michael Craft, Jerry Dean, James Dean, Kim Dicamillo, Kate Elliott, Rebecca Evanovich. Janet Gibbs, Stuart Griffiths, Andy Grisham. John Gutman, Dan Hale, Shannon Hannah, Kristin Hilderbrand, Elin Hoover, Colleen Hunter, Erin Kann, Victoria

King, Stephen Kingsbury, Karen Kinnev. Jeff Macomber. Debbie Mallerv. Susan Martin, Ann Osborne, Mary Pope Patterson, James Peirce. Lincoln Penny, Louise Picoult, Jodi Pilkey, Dav Reynolds, Jason Riordan, Rick Robb, J.D. Roberts, Nora Sandford, John Simpson, Dana Sparks, Nicholas Steel, Danielle Stilton, Geronimo Tarshis, Lauren Thomas, Angie West, Tracey Willems, Mo Yang, Kelly