HOTSPOT LENDING AGREEMENT



Please note: This is a preview copy only. Borrowers will read, sign, and submit a digital copy at the Circulation Desk.

- 1. Borrowers must read, understand, initial each box, and sign this Agreement before they check out an Orbic Speed hotspot.
- 2. To borrow a hotspot device, borrowers must have a valid Adult BCPL card and no outstanding fines. A government- issued photo ID will be checked for current address.
- 3. Borrower must adhere to the Bullitt County Public Library's <u>Operational Policies</u> including the Borrower's Policy, Check Out Policy, Information Security Policy, and Public Internet Access Policy.
- 4. Orbic Speed hotspots have internet content filtering installed that is compliant with the <u>Children's</u> Internet Protection Act.
- 5. The borrower is solely responsible to protect against loss of the device and will be billed for reasonable repair or replacement costs associated with damage or loss of a device and/or peripherals due to neglect or abuse. The borrower's library card privileges will be blocked until the device is returned in working order and/or replacement fines are paid. The Library may use any appropriate means to collect the amount owed for fees, damage, loss, or theft of the device. Replacement costs for lost or damaged devices are as follows:
 - a. Orbic Speed hotspot \$200
 - b. Hotspot power cord \$10
 - c. Hotspot travel case \$10
- 6. The checkout period for a hotspot is **four (4)** weeks. Devices may be renewed once, unless they are on hold for another patron.
- 7. Hotspots must be checked out and returned to the same BCPL Circulation desk on or by the due date for immediate check-in after which there will be an inspection of the item to ensure it was returned in the condition it was received. Please do not use the book drop.
- 8. If the Orbic Speed hotspot is lost, damaged, or not returned within **seven (7)** days after the due date, wireless service will be remotely terminated, and the hotspot will become unusable.
- 9. Bullitt County Public Library is not responsible for the loss of any personal data while using this equipment.
- 10. Bullitt County Public Library has received funding for the Hotspot Lending Program from the Emergency Connectivity Fund made available by the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, which requires that patrons must not otherwise have access to equipment or services sufficient to meet their educational needs.