

Board and Commission Application Form

Select the Board,
Commission, or Committee
applying for

Library Trustee

I am seeking appointment
or reappointment as a:

Full member

Personal Information

First Name

MARIE

Last Name

BRADLEY

Address

102 LAFAYETTE ST

City

LACONIA

State

NH

Zip Code

032463240

Home Phone Number

Field not completed.

Cell Phone Number

Work Phone Number

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Email Address

MARIEBRADLEY77@GMAIL.COM

Please indicate below which
items of personal
information (if any) you DO
NOT want released to the
public

My phone number.

Residency Information

I reside in Ward

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Length of Residency in City

46 yrs.

Are you a registered voter

Yes

Are you currently serving on
other City Boards,

No

Commissions, or
Committees?

Conflicts of Interest

Per RSA 673:7 and Chapter 5, Section 5-20 of the City Ordinances, a potential conflict of interest may exist if serving on more than one Board or Commission, as follows: Only one Planning Board member may be a member of the Zoning Board of Adjustment; either one appointed member or one ex-officio member of the Planning Board may be a member of the Conservation Commission; either one appointed member or one ex officio member may be a member of the Heritage Commission; a member of the Putnam Fund may not serve on the Trustee of the Trust Funds, and a member of the Trustee of the Trust Funds may not serve as a member of the Putnam Fund. For questions regarding conflicts of interest please contact the City Manager's Office at 527-1270, or email to NBrown@laconianh.gov

Please list below any experiences, skills and/or qualifications which you feel would especially suit you for this position, and your reasons for applying

I have served on the Library Board for the last 2 years and am currently serving as the Vice Chair. I am reapplying because I have enjoyed my two years on the Board working with the other members and am currently working with our Chairman and the Librarian on a project to update the Children's Library.

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Have you ever run a business?

While it is not a business, I have been married for almost 49 years. My husband and I have worked hand-in-hand raising two exceptional children and running a household while both having careers. I was also the Administrative Assistant to two City Managers for over 18 years.

What would you do to increase library usage/# of visitors?

The Library staff already does an amazing job putting together monthly educational and creative programs for Library patrons and visitors. I feel the Board can assist by working with staff to update areas within the Library that cater to the younger Library patrons. Our goal should be to make the Library a place that young children and teens want to visit as often as possible because of what it has to offer in the way of educational opportunities and technology, as well as its being a fun, safe and welcoming environment that encourages their creativity. Bringing young children to the Library also brings in their parents, grandparents and friends. These are the future patrons of the adult library.

What new, different programs/services would you offer?

The Board in 2019 worked with staff to upgrade the Library's website/ILS system. I believe we follow the recommendations of the Library staff since they are more familiar with what the

Library needs in order to provide the best service to the patrons.

What do you think is the mission of a public library?

The Library's mission should be to provide access to the latest literary and educational materials, as well as access to computer technology.

How do you envision the Library serving the community moving forward?

I envision the Library being a center to promote literacy in the Lakes Region for individuals of all ages, especially encouraging children to learn to love to read.

Electronic Signature Agreement

I agree.

Electronic Signature

Marie M. Bradley

Date

1/6/2020

Questions?

For general questions regarding this form please contact Nancy Brown in the City Manager's Office, 527-1270, or email NBrown@laconianh.gov

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