

April 10, 2019
P.O. Box 1636
Frisco, Co 80443

Stephanie Ralph
Library Director
Summit County Library

SENT VIA EMAIL

Dear Ms. Ralph,

I would like to apply for a position on the Summit County Library Board. I have been a frequent user of the library and value it as an important resource for Summit County residents. Fulfilling its vision of “an empowered Summit County” means addressing numerous and diverse issues and involving a large and diverse user base as well as facing financial and political concerns. I have had experience in both the governmental and non profit areas and feel that I can contribute to identifying problems and offering solutions. My experience working with different groups of residents in a number of settings from small groups to workshops to formal hearings would be valuable as a Summit County Library board member.

I feel that I have experience in all aspects of the planning, review and decision-making processes and could contribute to the continued growth and success of the Summit County Library system. My concerns with balancing growth and limited available financial and other resources are an important part of the issues facing the Summit County Library over the next several years. The rapidly changing technological environment will present new challenges and opportunities to the library. I think that my technology background would prove helpful.

I am a 21 resident of Frisco and live here with my wife. My daughter and her husband are 29 year residents of Summit County and have lived in Frisco for 28 years.

During my 21 years here I have been active on the Frisco Planning Commission as a member and as Chair, on Habitat for Humanity (serving as a Board member, Treasurer and Secretary) , the Continental Divide Land Trust (serving as Treasurer for five years and as a Board member), the Summit Historical Society as a guide/docent, as a volunteer with The Lake Dillon Theatre, Copper Mountain Ambassador. I was an adjunct faculty member at Colorado Mountain College and a seasonal employee of Breckenridge Ski Resort and currently Copper Mountain Ski Resort.

I can be reached at 970-668-1604 or larriemac@aol.com.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Laurence G. Mackie