

November 17, 2016

Kittitas County Board of Commissioners
205 W. 5th, Room 108
Ellensburg, WA 98926

To Whom it May Concern,

For your consideration, I am enclosing my completed application to serve as Member at Large for the Library Advisory Board. This position will be vacant as of January 1, 2017.

My library experience is extensive and varied. Since receiving my MLIS in 2004, I have worked in public, school, and academic libraries, and as a volunteer archivist. I currently serve on two library advisory councils (Ellensburg School District, CWU Brooks Library), and served on the Connecticut Library Consortium prior to relocating to Ellensburg. I grew up in Ellensburg, graduating from high school here in 1976, and have that familiarity with the community. And my current library position is specific to outreach (on and off campus).

I have been attending the KCRLB meetings for the past year. This has enabled me to become more familiar with the regional libraries and has led to some wonderful collaborative projects, including One Book One County, programming events with the Ellensburg Public Library, and distribution of free books throughout the community through the Brooks Library FirstBooks participation.

Thank you for considering my application. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions, or would like additional references.

Sincerely,

Maureen Rust

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APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO KITTITAS COUNTY BOARDS & COMMISSIONS

Citizen boards and commissions are critical to the effective functioning of County government. We appreciate your interest in wishing to serve Kittitas County and ask that you complete this brief application. If you wish, please feel free to attach a fact sheet or resume to this application. This application form is considered a public document. **PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY.**

BOARDS OR COMMISSIONS FOR WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE CONSIDERED:

- Library Advisory Board
- _____
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Date: 11/17/16

Name: Maureen Rust

Business Address: CWU Brooks Library Home Address: 808 E Washington Ave
400 E University Way
Ellensburg WA 98926 Ellensburg WA 98926
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Business Phone: (509) 963-2102 Home Phone: (860) 235-6263

Email address: mrust@cwu.edu

Education: (High school, name and location of college or university, year graduated, and degree):

<u>Ellensburg High School</u>	<u>1976</u>	<u>HS diploma</u>
<u>University of Alaska SE</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>Bachelors of Liberal Arts</u>
<u>University of Rhode Island</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>Masters of Library & Information Studies</u>

Current Employment: (job title, employer, employment date, contact, phone):

Student Engagement & Community Outreach Librarian
Brooks Library, Central Washington University
Since 11/1/2014
Julia Stringfellow, Faculty chair, (509) 963-1717
Patricia Cutright, Dean of Libraries, (509) 963-1973

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Special reasons for wishing to serve on the Board or Commission:

I have been attending the Library Advisory Board as a guest for a year since becoming my position as community outreach librarian for Brooks Library. It has been invaluable to me to make these acquaintances and keep apprised of other library events in the community. It has also led to some wonderful collaborative programming, including What advisory panels, Boards/Commissions have you previously served on? One Book One County Ellensburg School District Library Advisory Council CWL Brooks Library Library Advisory Council Connecticut Library Consortium

Please list any training or experience you have that would be beneficial to serving on the Board or Commission:

- I have been a librarian for 12+ years and have worked in public, school (secondary) and academic libraries.
- I grew up in Ellensburg & am familiar with the County.

Are you available to attend board meetings during the day or evening M-F? [X] Yes [] No
If no, please explain:

Please furnish two references who could speak to your qualifications for the desired appointment:

- Name: Josephine Camarillo Phone: (H) (W) (509) 962-7250
Address: c/o EPL 209 Ruby St. City: Ellensburg State: WA Zip: 98926
Name: Erin Kralce Phone: (H) (W) (509) 649-3420
Address: c/o Roslyn Library Box 451 City: Roslyn State: WA Zip: 98941

Your application will be placed with others interested in serving on the same board or commission. When a vacancy occurs on the Board/Commission in which you have indicated an interest, the Board of County Commissioners may desire to conduct an interview.

YOUR SIGNATURE: Maureen Rust Date: 11/17/16

Please return completed form to:

Board of Kittitas County Commissioners
205 W. 5th, Room 108
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509.962.7508 FAX: 509.962.7679

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