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Library Board of Trustees Commission

The Library Board of Trustees meets at 12:00 Noon on the 4th Monday of each month at the Main Library- 25 Heritage Green Plaza, Greenville.

Name: Katherine Zemla

Occupation: Office Manager	Employer: Carbide Cutting Tools
Highest Degree Earned: High School Degree	School Attended: Southside High School
Year of Graduation: 2002	Field of Study: none
Linked In Profile: none	Social Media Profile: https://www.facebook.com/Zemla

Military Experience:

none

Certifications:

I am a certified ISO9001 Auditor for my workplace.

Civic Organizations / Other Affiliations:

I was the lead person in charge for our workplace being a Greenville County Schools Business Partner where we would have students in the work-based program come and shadow workers.

Volunteer Experience (Please List & Describe):

I often Volunteer at my son's Elementary school with the PTA. I would say last year I averaged close to 20 or so hours. Helped with random fundraiser events, book fair, field day and helped monitor Lunch Room so teachers could have lunch together.

My interest in serving on the Library Board of Trustees Commission:

I would like to be more present in my community and have a more active role where some of my skills could benefit those around me. I also want to set an example for my children. I would love for them to see me active in a civic role where they can learn the value of giving one's time to help the betterment of others.

Describe your understanding of the position for which you are applying:

The board of Trustees are responsible for managing the Greenville Library and have duties that range from going over budget discussions for real properties for current libraries in the county to acquiring books/materials for the library to use. Basically work with the library and greenville county council to make sure everything is running smoothly.

Describe your strengths or skills that would positively contribute to the Library Board of Trustees Commission:

About a year ago I took over a more active role in a Family business when my Father in Law passed away and I have been working on getting the company more profitable and out of the red since then. I have a great attention to detail and feel like I would be a great asset to the board of Trustees.

My community topics of concern that relate to the Library Board of Trustees Commission:

I don't have any. When I was younger I volunteered my time to the Greenville County Library and I worked in the Children's section for a few hours a couple times a week. I can't tell you my exact age or how long I did it for but I look back on it and those are very fond memorable moments in my life. I would love to come full circle and have an active role in the library once again to pay it forward for all the amazing resources the library provides the whole community.

Do you currently hold an elected or appointed office or commission?

Yes No

If yes, please list:

Have you previously held an elected or appointed office or commission?

Yes No

If yes, please list:

Have you ever been fined for an ethics violation?

Yes No

If yes, please explain:

Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than a minor traffic violation?

Yes No

If yes, please give details:

Are you currently, or have ever been, a part or party to any litigation with or against Greenville County?

- Yes No

If yes, please give details:

Would you be willing to submit to a criminal background check and/or credit check?

- Yes No

Are you aware of the meeting schedule and time commitment for the Library Board of Trustees Commission

- Yes No

Have you attended a meeting of the Library Board of Trustees Commission

- Yes No

Are you aware of the County's attendance policy as it relates to County boards and commissions?

- Yes No

Are you aware this is not a compensated position?

- Yes No

It is the policy of Greenville County to require disclosure of any personal or financial interest that may be influenced by decisions of the Committee, Board or Commission for which any citizen applies for membership.

Do you or a member of your immediate family provide goods and/or services to this board?

- Yes No

Do you or a member of your immediate family benefit from the action of this board?

- Yes No

Does your employer provide goods and/or services to this board?

Yes No

Does your employer receive direct services from this board?

Yes No

Does your employer financially benefit from the actions of this board?

Yes No

By signing your name and turning in your application, you agree to and attest to the following:

All information contained in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

I understand it is my responsibility to insure my application is submitted within the application period and that it has been received by the Clerk to Council's office.

I have read the Greenville County Board and Commission Policy and I understand the rules of conduct for the position for which I am applying.

I understand my lack of attendance for three (3) consecutive meetings or 25% of all regular scheduled meetings within a 12-month period may result in my removal from the board.

I understand that I serve at the pleasure of County Council and all appointments are subject to the Ethics, Government Accountability, and Campaign Reform Act, S.C. Code Ann. Section 8-13-100 et. seq. Any member appointed to a board or commission whose action is inconsistent or may be perceived to be inconsistent with the spirit or intent of the Act, may be subject for removal.

I understand that information provided in this application may be subject to South Carolina Freedom of Information disclosure.

Applicant Signature:

Date:

Applicants are encouraged to notify their representing Council Member of their interest to be considered for a desired board seat.

