The Library Advocacy Board is comprised of seven residents of the City of Largo. The Mayor and each Commissioner appoint one (1) resident to serve as a member of the board to run concurrently with the term of office of the Mayor or Commissioner who appointed the member.

The following recommendations for reappointments to the Library Advocacy Board are being made as follows:

Ms. Coraline Hampson-Wiest is being recommended for reappointment by Commissioner John Carroll;
Ms. Renee White is being recommended for reappointment by Commissioner Samantha Fenger;
Ms. Claudia Dahlman is being recommended for reappointment by Commissioner Donna Holck; and
Ms. Karen Douglas is being recommended for reappointment by Commissioner Michael Smith.

These four reappointments are each for a four-year term which will expire in November 2022.

I MOVE TO APPROVE/DISAPPROVE THE REAPPOINTMENT OF CORALINE HAMPSON-WIEST, RENEE WHITE, CLAUDIA DAHLMAN, AND KAREN DOUGLAS AS MEMBERS OF THE LIBRARY ADVOCACY BOARD EACH FOR FOUR YEAR TERMS WHICH WILL EXPIRE IN NOVEMBER 2022.
City of Largo
Application for Board Membership

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City of Largo Mayor's Office
P.O. Box 296
Largo, FL 33779
(201 Highland Avenue)
Fax: (727) 587-6797

Nominee Information: (Please type or print)

Name: Coraline Hamson-Wiest

Home Address: Street (Do Not Use P.O. Box) 2190 17th Terrace, SW

City Largo, FL Zip 33774

Home Phone 727-586-3150 Email caerie2002@hotmail.com

Employer: Calico Computer Inc Position Title: Administrative Manager

Business Address: Street 24750 U.S. I-93 N, Ste 110

City Clearwater, FL Zip 33761

Business Phone 727-791-6977 Fax No. 727 457-3535 Email Address caroline.hamson-wiest

Preferred Mailing Address: ☐ Residence ☐ Business

How long have you lived in the City of Largo? 15 years

What Board are you applying for/nominated for?

☐ Affordable Housing Advisory Committee ☐ Code Enforcement Board
☐ Community Development Advisory Board ☐ Finance Advisory Board
☐ General Employees' Pension Board ☐ Historic Preservation Advisory Committee
☒ Library Advisory Board ☐ Personnel Advisory Board
☐ Planning Board ☐ Police/Fire Pension Board
☐ Public Works/Environmental Services Advisory Board ☐ Recreation, Parks and Arts Advisory Board

Have you attended the Citizens' Academy? ☐ Yes ☐ No Year 2001

Why are you interested in serving on this Board?
I have always loved libraries. I also enjoy taking part in civic affairs. I have been President of professional organizations and active board members on several other organizations.

City of Largo Application for Board Membership 1 of 2
Major Affiliations:

List community, professional, or other applicable policy-making Boards on which you have served. Note the length of service and office held (if any).

Philadelphia Chapter (1988) now called Society of Financial Planning Professionals
Served on Board of Phi Alpha Upsilon (now Women of Main Line) (1976
Served on Church Council of Grace Lutheran in Drexel Hill, PA, Christ the King in Largo, FL
Interim Treasurer for Christ the King

Qualifications:

Please list any specific qualifications, education or experience that would directly relate to the Board for which you are being recommended:

I have MSFES from American College Bryn Mawr, PA
I have CFP requirements for financial planning a Life License
I am currently a Financial Planner for Gilmer Ciocca Inc. on part-time basis

List all (Board) related experience (Board, staff, volunteer, etc.): Worked in library at school (Upper Darby High)
Served on Board of Board of Grain Millers - Sowchop
Taught Sunday School Beth Tefil, PA
Secretary of Democratic party - Bryn PA (Kennedy Wey)
Lead group studies for stockbrokers to help them understand life ins + Annuities

Organization or Commissioner sponsoring nomination (if applicable):

Educational Background: (Check all that apply)

☐ High School  ☐ AA  ☐ BS/A  ☒ MS/A  ☐ Ph.D.  ☐ J.D.

Other: Other field of study: Financial Planning

Major areas of study: Financial Planning - Management - Income - Estate tax Planning

Income tax Preparation

Other experience or skills that may be valuable to the Board:
I have experience presenting teaching seminars on financial planning subjects
that were widely publicized for many organizations to which I have belonged over time

Attendance:

Are you willing to meet at least monthly for a Board meeting?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No
Are you generally available should a special meeting of the Board be necessary?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No
Do you understand the duties and responsibilities of the Board?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No

Signed: Bradesa Hampton-Winter

Date: 10/25/14

City of Largo Application for Board Membership 2 of 2
Apply to serve on an Advisory Board Submitted - Receipt #2016-BI5EWK

From: Shirley Frick <sfrick@largo.com>  
Subject: Apply to serve on an Advisory Board Submitted - Receipt #2016-BI5EWK  
To: Shirley Frick <sfrick@largo.com>, Amy Meyers <ameyers@largo.com>

A citizen submitted the following information for one or more item(s) for which you are on the notification list. The information sent to the citizen is as follows.

Confirmation

Thank you for your willingness to serve your community on one of the City of Largo's Advisory Boards. On behalf of the Mayor and Commission your interest in government is appreciated.

What Happens Next?

These applications are reviewed over the course of one to two weeks, depending on the Commission's schedule. You will receive information as soon as a decision is made.
Full Name: Renee White
Home Address: 7111 142nd Avenue, #84
City: Largo
ZIP Code: 33771
Work Address: 7770 52nd Avenue
City: Pinellas Park
ZIP Code: 33781
Home Phone: 727-459-8663
Fax Number: --
Email: rjp740@hotmail.com
Preferred Mailing Address: Residence
How long have you lived in the City of Largo?: 3+ years
What Board are you applying for/nominated for?: Library Advisory Board
Have you attended Largo Citizens Academy?: No
If so, what year?:
Why are you interested in serving on this Board?: I got my first library card when I was three years old and I have been a member of a library - in different parts of the world - ever since. I now live in Largo and visit the Largo library fairly regularly. As I believe that public libraries are one of the best resources any city can offer, I would like to be a part of making the Largo library as great as it can be.
List community, professional, or other applicable policy-making Boards on which you have served. Note the length of service and office held (if any): I have not yet served on any policy-making Boards.
Please list and specific qualifications, education or experience that would directly relate to the Board for which you are being recommended: B.A. (English and History - in both cases with a concentration in Middle English and Medieval History) B.A. (Linguistics) M.A. (Theoretical Linguistics with a concentration on the vowel shift in Medieval Germanic languages) Ph.D. (Medieval Studies) My experience concerning working in libraries is as follows: 1. I first began working in a library while still at school from the 10th to the 12th grades. 2. I was an employee of St. Petersburg Main library from November 1999 to April 2002. 3. I was an employee of the Cape Town (South Africa) library (Greenmarket Square branch) from May 2007 to October 2011). 4. I have currently been employed with the Pinellas Park Public Library since February 2012.
List all (Board) related experience (Board, staff, volunteer, etc.): I have not yet served on any Boards in any capacity. I was a volunteer at the Dali Museum from April 2000 to April 2011.
Organization or Commissioner sponsoring nomination (if applicable): Commissioner Michael Smith
Education Level Completed: Doctoral Degree
Major Areas of Study: Medieval studies
Other experience or skills that may be valuable to the Board: I am a mature, responsible citizen with good public speaking skills.

Are you willing to meet at least monthly for a Board Meeting?: Yes
Are you generally available should a special meeting of the Board be necessary?: Yes
Do you understand the duties and responsibilities of the Board?: Yes

To stay up to date you can view the status of this item [here](https://webmail.largo.com/h/printmessage?id=136212&tz=Ame...).
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Largo, FL 33779
(201 Highland Avenue)
Fax: (727) 587-6797

Nominee Information: (Please type or print)

Name: CLAUDIA M. DAHLMA

Home Address: Street (Do Not use P.O. Box) 1655 S. Highland Ave #H174
City CLEARWATER FL Zip 33756-6310
Home Phone 727-454-1817 Email travelindiva@gmail.com

Employer: Position Title:

Business Address: Street
City Zip
Business Phone Fax No. Email Address

Preferred Mailing Address: ☑ Residence ☐ Business

How long have you lived in the City of Largo 14 years plus Largo High graduate.

What Board are you applying for/nominated for?

☐ Affordable Housing Advisory Committee
☐ Community Development Advisory Board
☐ General Employees’ Pension Board
☐ Library Advisory Board
☐ Planning Board
☐ Public Works/Environmental Services Advisory Board
☐ Code Enforcement Board
☐ Finance Advisory Board
☐ Historic Preservation Advisory Committee
☐ Personnel Advisory Board
☐ Police/Fire Pension Board
☐ Recreation, Parks and Arts Advisory Board

Have you attended the Citizens’ Academy? ☐ Yes ☐ No Year ________________

Why are you interested in serving on this Board?

As a lifelong library patron in more than 15 cities for over 4 years in both the U.S. and Europe, I have seen the impact a library makes on the lives of the people it serves. Not only is it a place of individual educational pleasure but also the sense of community it fosters through shared experiences.

I hope to help the Largo Library meet the needs of an even wider segment of our population, especially the “working 2 jobs to keep afloat” families and those bound by health issues.

City of Largo Application for Board Membership
Major Affiliations:

List community, professional, or other applicable policy-making Boards on which you have served. Note the length of service and office held (if any).

Military Hospitality Management Association - 1 yr
Condo Association President; Board term for 13 yrs.

Qualifications:

Please list any specific qualifications, education or experience that would directly relate to the Board for which you are being recommended:

- Federal Employee
- Business
- Lifelong learner
- Patron

List all (Board) related experience (Board, staff, volunteer, etc.):

- Director, Largo Library Foundation since 2004
- Special Events Coordinator 2004 - 2010
- Secretary 2014 - 2015

Organization or Commissioner sponsoring nomination (if applicable):

Largo Public Library, Casey McPhee, Director

Educational Background: (Check all that apply)

☑ High School  ☑ AA  ☑ BS/A  ☐ MS/A  ☐ Ph.D.  ☐ J.D.

Other: Cordon Bleu

Major areas of study: Literature, Hospitality Management

Other experience or skills that may be valuable to the Board:

Attendance:

Are you willing to meet at least monthly for a Board meeting? ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Are you generally available should a special meeting of the Board be necessary? ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Do you understand the duties and responsibilities of the Board? ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Signed: Cordon Bleu

Date: 11-5-14.

City of Largo Application for Board Membership
Advisory and Advocacy Board Application

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Contact Information

First Name* KAREN
Last Name* DOUGLAS
Email* dnarek23@aol.com
Phone* (727) 585-7470

Application Form

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Application

Home Address: 3054 ADRIAN AVE  
City: LARGO  
Zip: 33774

Work Address  
City  
Zip 33774

Preferred Mailing Address  
Residence  
Business

How long have you lived in the City of Largo?  
23 years

Have you attended Largo Citizens Academy?  Yes  No  
If so, what year?  2005

Why are you interested in serving on this Board?  
I am a big fan of our Library. I use it frequently. It really is our crown jewel in an ever improving Largo.

Please list any specific qualifications, education or experience that would directly relate to the Board for which you are being recommended:  
Well, I read about 5 books a week, tho’ they’re all fiction. I try and talk up our Library to everyone I know. I understand the staffing issues somewhat. I’ve toured the Library and I was on the fund raising board for 2 years, but I am not fond of fund raising, so I resigned. I am a small donor to the library fund. I am Recording Secretary for the High Point Neighborhood Organization or Commissioner sponsoring nomination (if applicable)  
M SMITH

Education Level Completed  High School  Associates  Bachelors  Masters  Doctoral

Major Areas of Study  
General

Other Experience or skills that may be valuable to the Board  
I was a member of the Finance Advisory Board 10 years ago and served a three year term……Started out at the Library working on the newsletter……that evolved into a position in fundraising.

Are you willing to meet at least monthly for a Board Meeting?  Yes  No

Are you generally available should a special meeting of the Board be necessary?  Yes  No

Do you understand the duties and responsibilities of the Board?  Yes  No