

CITY OF LANSING KANSAS

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APPLICATION FOR LIBRARY ADVISORY BOARD MEMBER

Name: Leanne Im

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* Please attach a written statement expressing your interest in being appointed to the Lansing Community Library Board. Your written statement should address the following three topics:

1. What skills and/or experience do you possess that will help further the library goals in any of the following areas: Library Services, Programming, Public Relations, or Strategic Planning? Retired Army- HR & Medical Admin, Book Keeper & Church Resource Manager for 6 yrs.
2. What do you hope to accomplish as a Board Member? Help where needed, Advise when asked, Clarify Public Confusion
3. Willingness to attend board, committee, and training meetings. Absolutely

✓ Also attach the name, address, and telephone number of three personal references.

This appointment is for a four (4) year term on the Lansing Community Library Advisory Board expiring April 30, 2029. Applicants must be a resident of Lansing Unified School District # 469, at least 18 years of age, a U.S. citizen, and registered to vote.

All applications should be returned to Lansing City Hall, marked to the "Attention of the City Clerk" no later than 5pm on March 31, 2025.

Gale Hetucoat [REDACTED] Canyon View Dr. Lansing 913 [REDACTED]

Nancy Mazzia [REDACTED] Southern Hills Ct. Lansing 913-[REDACTED]

Margaret McCaurin [REDACTED] Pebble Beach Dr. Lansing 913-[REDACTED]

One of my earliest and favorite memories as a child was going to the library. Specifically, the public library in our town. I was so amazed at all the books and the special areas just for us little kids. I was also excited to ~~get~~ receive my very own library card that meant I could borrow books, and it was absolutely free.

When I was older we moved, to another state. Besides registering for school, one of the first places we visited in our new town was the public library. This new town had a much smaller library, but it was no less committed to its public offerings. This planted and understanding in me, the the public library really is the heart beat of the City or Town. If you want to get a sense of a community, start with the library. you can tell so much about a community just by the activities and offerings in the library.

There are so many good things happening in Lansing, and so many good people who want what's best for our town, why wouldn't I want to participate? Being on the Board would allow me to help keep that momentum going forward. Lastly, the public library can continue carry materials that are being removed from so many school libraries. I believe that children should have access to all age appropriate literature, even if it makes others uncomfortable. Truth should never be censored.