



*Do you want to make a difference in
your library and in the community?*

Consider becoming a library trustee!

Two long term library trustees will not be renewing their terms which expire at the end of this year. Carol Harpster has served the Glen Ridge Public Library as a Trustee for 20 years, and in the role of President of the Board of Trustees since 2006. Harry Rush has served the Glen Ridge Public Library as a Trustee for 10 years and in the role of Vice President of the Board of Trustees since 2018. We thank both Carol and Harry for their extraordinary years of valued service to the Glen Ridge Public Library and greater Glen Ridge community.

The Glen Ridge Public Library is seeking two well-rounded, energetic and committed applicants who can assist the Board of Trustees with the many opportunities and challenges the library will be facing in the next several years. Upon recommendation by the Library Board to the Mayor and Council, this individual will be appointed to the nine-member Glen Ridge Public Library Board by the Council for a five-year term.

Board members are responsible for:

- Developing long-term library policy
- Assuring sound fiscal management
- Serving as liaison between the community and the library

To be eligible, you need to be a resident of Glen Ridge for at least one year. An information packet, including the application and the duties of trustees, Glen Ridge Public Library history, its services and its governing by-laws is available at the Front Desk and on our website at www.glenridgelibrary.org.

To be a candidate for trustee, please fill out an application and submit it by November 17, 2023.

Please send the application, a cover letter and resume via email to:
Bernice Clark-Bonnett, Board Vice President
trustee.clarkbonnett@glenridgelibrary.org

The Board will meet to review resumes and select the candidates whose qualifications most closely meet the needs of the governing board. Interviews for those candidates will be conducted in early December.