

Special Board of Trustees Meeting
5:30 pm – 6:45
DRAFT AGENDA

TOWN OF LYONS

7:00 P.M., MONDAY, JUNE 17, 2019

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING
SHIRLEY F. JOHNSON COUNCIL CHAMBER

LYONS TOWN HALL, 432 5TH AVENUE, LYONS, COLORADO

I. Roll Call And Pledge Of Allegiance

II. General Business/Public Comment

II.1. Trustee Applicants

II.1.a. Anya Mullen Board Of Trustees Application

Documents:

[ANYA MULLEN BOARD OF TRUSTEES APPLICATION .PDF](#)

II.1.b. Caleb Roberts Board Of Trustees Application

Documents:

[CALEB ROBERTS BOARD OF TRUSTEES APPLICATION.PDF](#)

II.1.c. Yelena Hughes Board Of Trustees Application

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[YELENA HUGHES BOARD OF TRUSTEES APPLICATION.PDF](#)

II.1.d. Paula Stone Williams Board Of Trustee Application

Documents:

[PAULA STONE WILLIAMS.PDF](#)

II.1.e. James Board Of Trustee Application

Documents:

[JAMES BOARD OF TRUSTEES APPLICATION.PDF](#)

II.2. Public Comments

II.3. Interviews

II.4. Other Matters Of Concern

II.5. BOT Discussion, Direction And Selection Of Trustee

III. Adjournment

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Board of Trustees Application for Appointment

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Learn more about the Town of Lyons Board of Trustees [Article 2 - Mayor and Board of Trustees](#)

Name Anya Mullen

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(Section Break)

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Do you live within the limits of the Town of Lyons? Yes

How long have you lived in Lyons? 1.5 years

(Section Break)

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Have you previously served No

on the Town of Lyons Board
of Trustees?

(Section Break)

Why are you interested in serving on the Town of Lyons Board of Trustees, and what contributions do you feel you can make?

I'm interested in serving on the Town of Lyons Board of Trustees because I want to contribute to the future of our town and positively impact our community. I feel that I can represent our growing demographic of young families, outdoor enthusiasts, and other residents well.

What do you feel are the most pressing issues facing Lyons in the area of interest?

I think that the most pressing issues for Lyons are the continued flood recovery efforts, environmental protection, recreation for all ages, and inclusivity of our current and future residents.

What past experiences do you have that will benefit you in this role? Describe yourself and past work experience, hobbies, and interests.

I feel that my personal and professional background will serve well for this role. I worked as a mechanical engineer for a decade in industries from aerospace, to public transit, to consumer electronics. I have my Professional Engineer license as well. I have dealt with a lot of drawings, contracts, prototypes, and specification documents - all of which I believe would be beneficial to our ongoing flood recovery efforts. Currently, I work as a Product Manager and various skills such as organization, team management, financial planning, and making presentation can also be helpful to the Board of Trustees. I have started several small companies of my own, so I've learned a lot about being resourceful and innovative. My family and I love living here with all the parks, trails, music, and small town community that Lyons has to offer. We spend a lot of our free time hiking, biking, camping, and enjoying other outdoor activities.

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Name Caleb Roberts

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Do you live within the limits of the Town of Lyons? Yes

How long have you lived in Lyons? 16 years

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Have you previously served Yes

on the Town of Lyons Board of Trustees?

Please list all term periods you've served on the Town of Lyons Board of Trustees.

NA

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Why are you interested in serving on the Town of Lyons Board of Trustees, and what contributions do you feel you can make?

For the entire 16 years we've lived in town I've been very interested in understanding how our town government works and I've observed keenly by attending many BoT and PCDC meetings, reading most all of the minutes of the BoT meetings, including those for several years prior to living here. With the size of our population, our town needs as many of its residents to serve as are able. There are many ways to serve and in past years I've had the opportunity to serve on the Economic Development Commission and later the Utilities and Engineering Advisory Board. Along with many dozens of other residents, I participated in the development / update of the Comprehensive Plan and the underlying Interim Report from the EDC. Those experiences instill a feeling of responsibility and are an investment in the future of town. I'd like to be able to help guide the fulfillment of those visions. But also I'd like to ensure that our residents have at least the same (if not greater) opportunity to participate in a new update to the Comprehensive Plan.

What do you feel are the most pressing issues facing Lyons in the area of interest?

I feel that an update to the Comprehensive Plan is necessary and we should schedule and fund that activity as soon as possible. We can now see coming the sunset of the era of major flood recovery efforts. I expect that we'll be facing unfinished work that is not currently funded and difficult choices in establishing priorities.

What past experiences do you have that will benefit you in this role? Describe yourself and past work experience, hobbies, and interests.

Filling this vacancy comes at an inconvenient time for BoT and town staff if it requires a significant amount of training that is out of phase with the standard term of office. It is probably helpful that I already have a good bit of familiarity with the job and town government in general. I think I know how to educate myself efficiently. And I'm aware that I still may have misconceptions, that I shouldn't be overconfident in what I think I already know; I am receptive to correction. As an example of my commitment to fulfilling visions from our EDC plans, I worked very hard to encourage and facilitate Grace Design's

move from Boulder to Lyons. I'm one of the engineers working at Grace so I like the idea of working close to home. But I also wanted to show that our town's goals for the new CEC zone were feasible. And I think that Grace Design is a most outstanding fulfillment of those goals. I've worked in the audio electronics industry periodically since I finished my degree from CU Boulder. I've designed parts for hearing-aids, for home theater, and now professional audio equipment used in recording, broadcast and film industries. I've also worked for many years as a performing musician, at times traveling extensively throughout North America. I am an avid cyclist. I enjoy mountain biking on our area trails but I also enjoy restoring and riding "antique" road bikes of the 1960s and 1970s.

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How long have you lived in Lyons?	2 years

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Have you previously served on the Town of Lyons Board of Trustees?	No
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Why are you interested in serving on the Town of Lyons Board of Trustees, and what contributions do you feel you can make?

I am invested in Lyons. I have two small children and my family is just in love with Lyons. I want to make a difference and support the community. I would be a contributing member of the Board of Trustees by giving the perspective of a working mom with young kids, an avid outdoors woman, and as someone who is able to see all sides of the picture.

What do you feel are the most pressing issues facing Lyons in the area of interest?

I think the flood recovery is a pressing issue both in physical property and emotional healing. I believe that there is a relationship between the locals and the tourists that come through to recreate and go to RMNP that needs to be symbiotic and respectful. I also believe the town is evolving and growing.

What past experiences do you have that will benefit you in this role? Describe yourself and past work experience, hobbies, and interests.

I have been an educator teaching middle school science and math for the past 8 years. I am a small business owner, leading and designing yoga and adventure trips for women and girls. I have served as the co chair for the Boulder cohort of the Women's Foundation of Colorado and am currently serving on the Parks and Recreation committee for the town of Lyons. I love to adventure with my family and that includes hiking, camping, climbing and skiing.

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How long have you lived in Lyons? Since 9/07

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Why are you interested in serving on the Town of Lyons Board of Trustees, and what contributions do you feel you can make?

I love living in Lyons, and I am very grateful for the hard work the board and town employees have done to strengthen our community, particularly since the 2013 flood.

What do you feel are the most pressing issues facing Lyons in the area of interest?

Every municipality must balance increasing revenue streams while making the town affordable. I am sure that is an ongoing struggle. Beyond the work it takes to keep a government flowing and in compliance, I am particularly concerned that we have not adequately created affordable housing in our town.

What past experiences do you have that will benefit you in this role? Describe yourself and past work experience, hobbies, and interests.

Four four decades I have served on corporate boards, non-profit boards and university boards. I do a lot of speaking with government entities about gender equity and LGBTQ issues, and have a doctorate thesis on C-suite board development. CV available on request.

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Why are you interested in serving on the Town of Lyons Board of Trustees, and what contributions do you feel you can make?

I've always been interested in public service and feel this a great opportunity to serve a town I've come love. I work for myself and have the time needed to contribute. I've started two business and have a masters degree in facility management and planning. I feel my skills in these areas would benefit the board.

What do you feel are the most pressing issues facing Lyons in the area of interest?

Affordable housing, economic development and preservation of the environment.

What past experiences do you have that will benefit you in this role? Describe yourself and past work experience, hobbies, and interests.

I've started two business from scratch with my own money and bootstrapped them to success eventually selling them both. I have a degree in facility management and planning from the University of Michigan and have experience working within municipal frameworks. I worked for a school system in Michigan as a facility manager and have also worked with officials at the county level when starting my businesses. These experiences would go a long way in helping me understand the issues facing the town of Lyons and I think I could contribute significantly. I also am an avid fly fisherman which gives me perspective on water and environmental issues.
