

This year there are three Trustee seats available to be filled and only one Esopus Resident on the Ballot

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Brief bio to accompany petition for ballot position for Library Board member.

I am presently on the Board as acting President.

I have resided in the town of Esopus for a little over 16 years in the community known as The Hills off Connelly Road.

I am basically retired from my position at Scholastic Book Fairs where I was in Marketing.

This included creating two annual videos that I produced, wrote and directed. This enabled me to work with countless authors, illustrators, sports figures, and movie/TV personalities. It was a dream job.

Prior to that, I opened and managed the Barnes & Noble in Albany. And later on opened the B&N in Kingston.

I am drawn to serving on the Library Board of Trustees not only because of my obsession for books, but I would like to continue to incorporate this interest with community service.

I see the library as not only a place to connect with books and various media specialties, but also an inviting and safe place where the community can come together for a variety of events, programs, and discussion groups. A place where people can educate themselves and experience a raised consciousness and new ideas. I also think our building should show the best examples of energy efficiency, accessibility, and environmental compatibility.

Note: As I am basically retired, I am a full-time artist.