



Frankfort Public Library District – 2025 Trustee Candidate Questionnaire

Candidate: Autumn Faris

1. Describe your qualifications for the position of Frankfort Public Library District Trustee:

I believe the role of Public Library District Trustee for Frankfort is integral to our community. It is important for our library trustees to understand the community they serve. As a Frankfort resident and avid library patron for the past 15 years, I have been and will continue to be an advocate for our library. I have a corporate background in administration and budget management that will serve to ensure that funds are allocated responsibly to meet the library's current and future goals. My corporate experience includes managing budgets and expenses, team building, fostering relationships and project management. Additionally, I have a clear understanding of the need for collaboration with our village governance and residents.

2. List your motivation for seeking a position as a Library Trustee:

I have always loved my local library and feel our Frankfort library has so much to offer. I would like our library to continue to be a resource for everyone here, giving our residents access to books, resources, and programs that promote lifelong learning. As Library Trustee, I would work to ensure that our library is a valuable resource to all our community members.

3. What do you see as the Library's role in the community, both now and in the future?

Public libraries are so much more than just places to check out books—they provide essential centers for learning, connection and support. They provide free internet access, digital resources, literacy programs and workshops. Libraries also bring people together through fun events, discussions and classes.

I see the library's future role including access to advanced technology and collaborative learning spaces that support innovation while still preserving our local history.

4. Do you currently have a Frankfort Public Library District library card?

Yes