

Carole H. Patterson

HOAG LIBRARY TRUSTEE CANDIDATE BIO



I, Carol Patterson reside on Ridge Rd Albion, in the town of Gaines since 1973. I have 5 sons and 6 wonderful grandchildren. My hobbies are reading, quilting, counted cross stitch, furniture refinishing, and collecting collectible items.

I retired from the Villages of Orleans, am a former library board member 2009-2013, a participant of the Feasibility Study with the Ivy Partner which was for the new Hoag Library. I am a lifetime PTA member, past president of the quilting guild, former Cub Scout leader, member of the Friends of Hoag Library, volunteer at the bookstore, and have attended many Hoag programs such as; Tee with Dee, the Taboo

series for years by Dr. Neil Johnson. I also was a Town of Gaines electoral voting inspector for 20 years. I attend the Gaines Congregational church currently.

My family and I have enjoyed the library weekly for many years which has enriched our lives and added to our feeling a part of the community. The Hoag has been a major source of research, programs, and enjoyment for the whole family.

My vision for the future as part of the Hoag Library board is to support and address staff concerns, support and assist with new program ideas. I would like to see a daytime book club for members of the community who are unable to attend evening sessions. Continue to support Friends of Hoag as outside support for library needs not included in annual budget. I feel the library is the cornerstone of Albion providing services for the entire community.

Thank You,
Carole Patterson

Kevin Doherty

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It has been a privilege to be a Library trustee during the preparation for, and construction of the building you see today as the Hoag Library. Our facility is a great example of that which can be accomplished when personal agenda are laid aside for the community benefit.

I was first appointed as the Mayor's representative and subsequently elected, serving as President, Treasurer and Trustee. My role during the 2011 building project was Clerk of the Works, and the local Rotary Club named me a Paul Harris fellow because of that enterprise.

Outside of the Library, I have served terms on the Albion Central School Board, and have been an elected leader or representative at the local, diocesan and national levels of the Episcopal Church. For many years I was a volunteer at the 4-H Fair, and was once their Volunteer of the Year. I have been working behind the scenes since the first edition of the local Strawberry Festival.

I have been a technology contractor since the 1980's when the job title was Telephone Installer and continue to work with 911 equipment as a Senior Voice Network Analyst. My first job out of college was in Buildings and Grounds at the school district, and I was appointed Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds in 1976.

I was born in Albion and have lived most of my years here. My wife, Linda, whom I met at Houghton College, and I are parents to six Albion graduates and two of our 9 grandchildren currently attend the Albion Schools.

I would appreciate your support on May 6. Voting is at the Library, from noon until 7. It is NOT necessary to be a registered voter, but you must be at least 18 and live in the Library's service area, which shares the footprint of the Albion Central School.

Thank you

James Babcock

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My interest in continuing to serve on the board is to share my knowledge and experience with the trustees.

My work experience and community involvement, I believe will make me an asset to the board.

I have volunteered and donated my time for many years in the summer reading program and at the library when needed, as well as ARC and Hospice of Orleans.

I believe the library is a valuable asset to the community and with great stewardship it can continue to be.

I grew up in Albion where I live, own my own business, and raised a family.