

# Application for Appointment to the Board of Trustees of Radnor Memorial Library

Thank you for your interest in the Board of Trustees of Radnor Memorial Library. All applicants must be residents of Radnor Township, PA.

#### Deadline for Application: April 11, 2025

Date	
Full Name	
Home Address	
Phone D Home D Cell	
Email Address	
Library Card Number	

You may use an additional page if you need more space for your replies.

1) What other community or civic organizations have you been active with over the past five years?

2) Each Board member serves on at least one Board committee. In which committees would you be interested? What experience or expertise could you bring to the committee?

As part of RML's strategic planning efforts, specific committees may be restructured, so please feel free to provide any information about how you believe your experiences and skill-set could benefit the Library.

□ Marketing □ Development □ Operations □ Advocacy □ Finance



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3) Board members are expected to be involved in the planning, advocacy and fundraising that will be necessary to maintain or expand Library services. Please share with us any experience you may have related to such activities.

- 4) The term of office for a Library Board member is three years. The Board normally meets at 7:00 PM on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month, September through June. *Reliable attendance at meetings is important to ensure a quorum for transacting Board business.* Are you available to attend Board meetings during this period? □ Yes □ No
- 6) Do you have any additional skills that you think would benefit the Library in your role as a Trustee?

#### **Supporters**

Please list the full name, phone number, and email address of three Library cardholders who support your application for appointment to the RML Board of Trustees. If available, please include the supporter's Library card barcode.

Name of Supporter #1:	Phone:  Home  Cell
Email:	Library card barcode number:
Name of Supporter #2:	Phone:  Home  Cell
Email:	Library card barcode number:
Name of Supporter #3:	Phone:  Home  Cell
Email:	Library card barcode number:



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### Commitments

Board members are expected to financially contribute to both the Library and the Friends of the Library annual giving campaigns as an affirmation of their commitment to the Library's future.

During your three-year term, you will be expected to attend <u>at least one local, regional or state trustee educational</u> <u>program</u>. You will also be expected to attend one Delaware County Libraries Board of Trustee meeting over a two-year period.

Below is a list of additional commitments expected of Board members.

Do you agree if appointed as a Trustee:

	Yes	No	May be
To remain a current Library cardholder and become an active user familiar with the materials, services, and programs offered?			
To use your contacts with other community organizations so as to provide information sharing to the Library Board and so as to encourage new and to further develop community partnerships?			
To serve on a committee(s) providing your particular expertise for the benefit of improving the Library?			
To learn and grow as a trustee by participating in trustee training opportunities?			
To make a financial contribution to the Library's annual appeal which is appropriate in amount given your stature as a trustee and community leader and relative to your ability to give?			
To join the Friends of Radnor Memorial Library?			
To tell the story of the Radnor Memorial Library to those you know and promote the Library as a vital community organization which serves primarily the Radnor community?			
To interact with elected officials locally, in the county, in Pennsylvania, and at the federal level to support funding and other library-related issues?			
To regularly attend monthly Library Board meetings and other Library events?			

By submitting this document, I indicate my agreement to the commitments listed above.

Applicant Signature

Date

Please email your application along with your resume or a brief summary of your relevant background and experience to <u>library@radnorlibrary.org</u>.

Alternatively, you may personally deliver your application to the Library or mail it to: Joyce Platfoot, 114 West Wayne Ave. Wayne, PA 19083