

# Operating Board of Trustees Pottsboro Library



Casie Lovelace

## Board Position and /or Committee(s) Serving On Currently

- Operating Board of Trustees President
- Friends of the Library Secretary
- President of the Pottsboro Area Chamber of Commerce
- Planning and Zoning committee – City of Pottsboro Board Trustee

## Profession/Professional Certificates/Education

- BA in Marketing and Business Management
- Owner of Lovelace & Company Insurance Solutions; an independent insurance agency in Pottsboro, Texas.

## Years of Service

- Member since 2021

## Contributions

- I was honored when approached to join the Board of Trustees because of the impact our library had on our community. There are so many facets of the library that go unnoticed, and I wanted to help bring attention to the many benefits that our library offers our community. I also saw an opportunity to expand the library's support base to help engage participation and funding from my peer group.



Tiffany Lappin

Board Position and /or Committee(s) Serving On Currently

- Operating Board of Trustees Secretary

Profession/Professional Certificates/Education

- 5th grade Reading teacher of 19 years, Pottsboro ISD

Years of Service

- Member since 2023

Contributions

- I joined the board of the Pottsboro Public Library to contribute to the community promoting literacy and access to knowledge, drawing from my experience as a public school reading teacher to advocate for educational resources and programming that benefit our young readers as well as our community.



Kelly Ashmore

Board Position and /or Committee(s) Serving On Currently

- Operating Board of Trustee member
- Child & Family Guidance Center of Texoma
- Grayson County Republican Women
- Grayson County Chamber of Commerce member
- PVES Boot Scootin Ball
- TMC Advisory Board

Profession/Professional Certificates/Education

- Grayson County District Clerk
- Southeastern Oklahoma State University BA

Years of Service

- Member since 2023

Contributions

- My experience with working closely with County Government can help give insight to the County Judge and Commissioners on the mission of the Pottsboro Library and what it offers is relatable to the entire county.



Leslie Hardenburg

Board Position and /or Committee(s) Serving On Currently

- Operating Board of Trustee member

Profession/Professional Certificates/Education

- Occupational/Public Health RN for WellMed Medical Management
- Bachelors of Science in Nursing from Tarleton State University

Years of Service

- Member since 2023

Contributions

- With 16 years of experience in nursing and the past three years as an occupational and public health nurse, I am committed to taking care of people of all ages. Ensuring their well-being is a passion of mine that I strive to fulfill every day. I use my experiences in healthcare to help serve on this amazing board.



Tandee Hughes

Board Position and /or Committee(s) Serving On Currently

- Operating Board of Trustees member
- Pottsboro Athletic Booster Club President (25-26 School Year)

Profession/Professional Certificates/Education

- Lead High School Counselor for Pottsboro Independent School District

Years of Service

- Member since 2025

Contributions

- As someone with experience working in Pottsboro ISD, I have seen how much our students grow when they are supported by the whole community, especially through resources like the Pottsboro City Library. I would love to help connect the library with our schools through student-led programs, tutoring opportunities, and creative displays of student work. By working together, we can inspire a love of reading, learning, and leadership in kids across all grade levels.

Niloufer Mistry

Board Position and /or Committee(s) Serving On Currently

- Operating Board of Trustee member

Profession/Professional Certificates/Education

- Consultant BA

Years of Service

- Member since 2016

Contributions

- Joined the board to assist with IT activities. Led the installation of new hardware and software.



Wanda Poe

Board Position and /or Committee(s) Serving On Currently

- Operating Board of Trustee member

Profession/Professional Certificates/Education

- Associate Degree for DBU
- Realtor

Years of Service

- Member since 2023

Contributions

- I am so happy that Pottsboro has a library. We are fortunate that our library and staff are so dedicated to serving our community. Libraries have always been an important part of my life – from being an avid reader to volunteering at the Southlake Library when we lived there. I consider being on the Pottsboro Board an honor.



Betty Roether

Board Position and /or Committee(s) Serving On Currently

- Operating Board of Trustee member
- Friends of the Library member
- TMC Advisory Committee

Profession/Professional Certificates/Education

- Batchelor of Science Home Economics, emphasis on textiles and design
- Retired JC Penney Senior Technical Designer for Arizona Jean Company label

Years of Service

- Member since 2013

Contributions

- I chose to participate as an Operating Board Trustee because I love this library and how it has served our community since 1985. As a Trustee I have been able to provide input and vote upon library policy. During my tenure as Board Chair, and with the assistance of board trustees, the Operating Board Bylaws were amended to mirror the City of Pottsboro's ordinances more closely. As a participant in both Operating and Friends of the Library boards it has been a pleasure to use grant writing skills to seek additional funds to meet library needs.





Jamie Stringfield

#### Board Position and /or Committee(s) Serving On Currently

- Operating Board of Trustee member

#### Profession/Professional Certificates/Education

- Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering from the Colorado School of Mines
- Lifetime Member of the Society of Women Engineers and Past President of the Central Illinois Section
- Recognized as one of the 2008 Peoria Illinois Area 40 Leaders Under 40 for exemplary leadership in the community, workplace (local/regional/international), and professional organization.

#### Board Years of Service

- Member since 2023

#### Contributions

- I have always loved libraries and utilized the library resources everywhere I have lived. With my family, I am a frequent patron of the Pottsboro Library and utilize many of the services it offers as well as those offered from other Grayson County libraries. I love our Pottsboro Library and as a board member want to help the library to continue to serve Pottsboro Area patrons. My analytical thought process and desire for data to reach decisions adds diversity to our library leadership.