

## BOARD APPOINTMENTS

This is a draft of the letter that will be sent to Mayor Morley about Board reappointments. We will discuss adding and or subtracting information at the Board meeting.

May 27, 2014

Mayor Steven Morley  
City of Elmhurst  
209 N. York Street  
Elmhurst, IL 60126

Dear Mayor Morley:

Under Illinois law, the Elmhurst Public Library Board of Trustees is comprised of 9 citizens appointed by the Mayor with the approval of the City Council. Trustees hold office for 3 years, with staggered terms ending on June 30 of each year.

Annually, the Library Board President writes to tell the Mayor which Trustees will complete their terms and what their wishes are concerning re-appointment. This year, terms expire for Linda Wheaton, Teresa Menolascino, and Monica Iocano. All three Trustees are eager to continue serving the community for another three years as members of the Library Board. Ms. Menolascino, and Ms. Iocano show great enthusiasm for the Library's contribution to the quality of life in Elmhurst. I am pleased to recommend Teresa and Monica for re-appointment.

Teresa Menolascino was appointed to the Board to fill an unfinished term and she has only served for 18 months. She is a wife, mother, and substitute teacher in the community. Teresa brings the perspective of a parent with school age children to the Board.

Monica Iocano is a retired District 205 school teacher. She is very active in the community, dedicating time to ECAF and the Library. Monica is a diligent Trustee who seeks information to make informed decisions about the Library.

I have served on the Board for 9 years, and am currently serving my first term as President. I am also a wife, mother, grandmother, and retired District 205 teacher. I taught kindergarten in the District for many years. It is especially gratifying when I see my former students, all grown up, and still using the Library!

As the Elmhurst Public Library Board, we are excited to work with you and we look forward to doing our part to add to the quality of life in Elmhurst. Re-appointing these two Board members, and myself, will ensure a continuity that will benefit everyone. If you have any questions about appointments to the Board or about the Library, please call me or Mary Beth Campe. My phone number is (630) 832-2913.

Sincerely,

Linda Wheaton, President