

Karen seePINELLAS PUBLIC LIBRARY COOPERATIVE

Applicant Worksheet/Ballot

BCC MEETING: December 12, 2023

COMMISSIONER: _____

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APPLICANTS	REAPPOINT		QUALIFIED		Date of Initial Appointment	COMMENTS PROVIDED BY Cheryl Morales
	YES	NO	YES	NO		
Karen LaCorte-Nies		X				Karen appears to bring a wide background with a focus in finance. Karen seems well suited for the PPLC Board, especially with her finance background.

Qualification Requirements:

The purpose of the PPLC is to extend library services to unincorporated areas of the county and participating municipalities that do not have such services, and to improve library services to citizens of municipalities and of library tax districts that have library services. This is a volunteer position with no compensation. Appointees will serve for a term of 3 years beginning Oct. 1, 2022.

Criteria for such appointments are: a) previous experience serving on a board or similar body, and the capacity to evaluate a full range of perspectives from library service providers to library users; b) represents the interests of all parties, including the county, the PPLC, members with or without libraries, and patrons; c) have a vision for the future of countywide library services; and d) may not be an employee or member of the governing body of a library.