



**Campbell County Public Library
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TRACY SMITH REAPPOINTED TO BOARD OF TRUSTEES

COLD SPRING, KY (Sept. 7) – Tracy Smith of Alexandria was reappointed to the Board of the Campbell County Public Library by the Campbell County Fiscal Court on Aug. 15, 2018. She had originally been appointed in August 2016 to fill the unexpired term of Steven Trumbo. Her new term begins October 1, 2018.

Smith, a practicing attorney and member of the law firm Morgan Smith Porter, practices in the areas of personal injury, family law and criminal law. She and her husband Jeff are parents of two children in Campbell County Public Schools.

“I truly appreciate the opportunity to serve on the Board,” Smith said. “I have been a lifelong Library user and lifelong resident of Campbell County. Both for my own pursuits and my family’s interests, the Library has been a valuable community resource. I’m glad to be a part of something so important to so many people.”

Members of the Library’s board of trustees are appointed to serve four-year terms. Smith is eligible to serve two full terms. By law, the board must maintain a balanced geographical representation of all areas of the county. In keeping with the law, applicants who lived in Alexandria or the southern Campbell County area were considered for this volunteer, non-paid position.

Other board members are: Cathy Howard, president; Carla Landon, vice president; Paul Johnson, treasurer; and Christie Fillhardt, secretary.

The board meets at 5:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of every month. Meetings last about two hours. Board of trustee responsibilities include reading prepared materials prior to the meetings; reviewing and approving Library policies and budget; and being an advocate for the Library.

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In the 2017-2018 fiscal year, there were 563,161 visits to the Library and more than 1.2 million items were checked out. More than 116,000 e-materials were downloaded, there were more than 3,300 programs offered (with attendance topping 59,000), and more than 35,000 calls were made to our free children’s story telling phone line.

The Library makes every reasonable effort to provide equal access to all patrons. Contact access@cc-pl.org or call 859-781-6166 ext. 31 at least 72 hours before an event to arrange for accommodation. All facilities and meeting rooms are ADA compliant.

The Campbell County Public Library operates four branches. The Cold Spring Branch is located at 3920 Alexandria Pike in Cold Spring, phone 859-781-6166. The Carrico/Fort Thomas Branch is located at 1000 Highland Ave. in Fort Thomas, phone 859-572-5033. The Newport Branch is located at 901 E. Sixth St. in Newport, phone 859-572-5035. The Alexandria Branch, which opened in January 2018, is located at 8333 Alexandria Pike in Alexandria, phone 859-572-7463.

There is an Express location for pick-ups and returns in Silver Grove and Melbourne.

Hours for Cold Spring, Carrico/Fort Thomas and Newport branches are 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 9 a.m.-7 p.m. Friday; 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday; and 1-5 p.m. Sunday. Hours for Alexandria are 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Tuesday-Friday; 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday; and closed Sunday and Monday. The website address is www.cc-pl.org.