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Town of Lyons Board of Trustees Application for Appointment

Please fill out each blank with adequate information. Once submitted, the current BOT intends to consider prospective applicants at a special meeting, being held on August 8, 2025. For any questions please reach out to the Town Clerk, dvasquez@townoflyons.com.

Date Applied	7/31/2025
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Name	Julie Jacobs
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Email Address	<div></div>
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Cell/Mobile Number	<div></div>
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Physical Address	<div></div> Reese Street
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PO Box (if applicable)	<div></div>
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I reside within the Town limits of Lyons Colorado	YES
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How long have you lived in the Town of Lyons?	8 years
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Why are you interested	I have a strong interest in being part of the future of Lyons, with a focus on creating a sustainable year-round commercial economy,
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in serving on the Board of Trustees, and what contributions do you feel you can make?

ensuring our community has appropriate infrastructure in place, and increasing housing affordability and diversity of housing options. I have a legal background and some experience with real estate and zoning laws as well as a passion for service in my community. I have been part of LCF, the IGA Task Force, and the PCDC and have spoken with many of my neighbors in Old North about matters that impact them directly, and I believe I can be an effective voice for these members of the community, who are often underrepresented in Town matters.

I believe that I bring a unique set of skills to the table as an attorney, psychologist, risk manager, and Lyons homeowner, and I am eager to continue contributing to this community that I dearly love.

What do you feel are the most pressing issues facing Lyons?

Housing availability and affordability are key. Creating more diverse, creative, mixed-use developments will be key not only to ensuring that people have access to housing but also to ensuring commercial viability of our businesses. We need workforce housing and we need creative solutions to the issues that face our community.

Wildfire mitigation is another important area of focus, and I believe the town is taking good steps towards protecting our community.

I also believe that we need to focus on economic issues and on doing all we can to ensure a viable, year-round economy. We need to be business-friendly and remove barriers to new businesses in town. Our processes and procedures should be as seamless as possible when it comes to encouraging small business owners to operate in Lyons.

What past experiences do you have that will benefit you in this role? Describe yourself and past work experience, hobbies, and interests. You may substitute this question by uploading your resume below, and write "Resume Uploaded" in the blank.

Board member with Lyons Community Foundation; Member of Housing and Human Services Commission; Member of IGA Task Force; current member of PCDC. Resume also uploaded for more details.

[Jacobsresume2024.docx](#)

Resume

Where did you live prior to moving to Lyons?

We lived in Boulder from 2011 - 2017, Charleston, SC prior to that.

Why did you choose to locate in Lyons?

While we lived and worked in Boulder, we were constantly coming to Lyons for music, hiking, festivals...and we decided it was time to live where we played instead of where we worked! I have been working from home since I moved to Lyons so I am here all day, every day, and could not be happier about it!

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