



## GRAYSLAKE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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John R. Christian

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April 1, 2020

Mr. John Wasik  
Lake County Board  
18 N. County St. 10<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Waukegan, IL 60085

Dear Mr. Wasik:

I am writing this letter in unequivocal support of the reappointment of Ms. Ellen Dimock to the Grayslake Fire Protection District Board of Trustees. Ms. Dimock is the current President of the Board of Trustees and has been extremely valuable in the planning and implementation of District policy and operations. She continues to be dedicated to growing this organization properly while maintaining fiscal responsibility. Ellen Dimock has demonstrated her commitment and desire to serve the Grayslake Fire Protection District and its citizens by attending regularly scheduled board meetings, attending community functions in her role, and attending necessary fire district trustee training. Her quest for knowledge to properly execute as a district trustee is nothing short of remarkable. Further, Ellen routinely attends District functions and has a true desire to serve in whatever capacity necessary. The Board of Trustees is actively involved in strategic planning and developing long range goals for the District. Ms. Dimock understands the economic challenges and issues that taxing bodies face and her vision of necessary operational objectives is extremely beneficial to all of us. Ellen Dimock continues to provide guidance to our administration and as a tenured trustee, has successfully overseen our organization grow from one fire station to now three fire stations serving 24.5 square miles and over 35,000 residents. I truly believe it is in the best interest of the officers, members, and citizens of the Grayslake Fire Protection District for Ms. Ellen Dimock to be reappointed as a member of the Grayslake Fire Protection District Board of Trustees. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at any time.

Sincerely,

  
John R. Christian  
Fire Chief

ELLEN L. DIMOCK



March 27, 2020

Mr. John Wasik  
District 6  
Lake County Board  
18 N. County Street, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Waukegan, IL 60085-4351

Dear Mr. Wasik:

I am writing to you to request my reappointment as a Trustee of the Grayslake Fire Protection District, a position I have held for the last 21 years. I continue to learn a tremendous amount about the fire service while serving on the board and by attending the numerous training opportunities that are offered, to maintain the number of hours needed to hold my position as per state statues.

I sit as President of the board, a position I take seriously. I preside over our monthly meeting, of which I have excellent attendance. I attend most district functions, as a trustee and a citizen. I have taken on numerous other responsibilities, serving as a Committee member of the Regional 9 1 1 Consolidation, the Northern Illinois Alliance of Fire Protection Districts (NIAFPD) and as one of the organizers of Lake County Fire District Trustees.

Please consider me for this position for the next three years as it is my honor to serve.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you need anything further, please do not hesitate to contact me or Chief Christian (847.223.8960).

Sincerely,



Ellen L. Dimock

Cc: Mrs. Sandy Hart, County Board 13<sup>th</sup> District  
Chief John Christian, Grayslake Fire Protect District

ELLEN L. DIMOCK



**CURRENT EXPERIENCE**

1999 – 2015 Grayslake Fire Protection District Trustee  
Board position, Treasurer

1999 – 2015 Grayslake Fire Protection District Pension Board  
Board position, Treasurer

2016 – present Grayslake Fire Protection District Trustee  
Board position, President

2018 – present Regional 9 1 1 Consolidation Committee Member

2018 – present Northern Illinois Alliance of Fire Protection Districts Committee Member

2019 – present Lake County Fire Trustee Meeting Coordinator

**COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE**

1990 – 1996 Wildwood Presbyterian Church, Deacon (served 2, three year terms)

1990 – 1998 Homeowners Organization of Wildwood (H.O.W.), various positions

1996 – 1999 Boy Scout Pack 672, Treasurer

1999 – 2005 Wildwood Presbyterian Church, Elder (served 2 three year terms)

2006 – 2011 Boy Scout Troop 672, Eagle Scout Guide

1996 – present Wildwood Presbyterian Church, choir member

2013 – present JDM Helping Our Scouts.....Help Our Veterans, Board Member

**PAST WORK EXPERIENCE**

1977 – 1983 Shore Galleries, Inc., Lincolnwood, IL  
Office Clerk

1983 – 1985 Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra, Buffalo, NY  
Administrative Assistant

1985 – 1988 Outdoor Sportsman, Waukegan, IL  
Store and Office Manager

1998 – 2005 Private Home Day Care, Wildwood, IL

I have been a resident of Wildwood for 31 years as a stay-at-home mom, raising my three sons. I have been with the fire district since 1999 when appointed by the Lake County Board under the direction of Sandy Cole. I have continued to receive numerous hours of continuing education/training at various levels per Illinois State statutes.