



# **ST. HELENS PUBLIC LIBRARY SPECIAL BOARD MEETING**

Wednesday, August 27, 2025 at 6:15 PM  
HYBRID: Council Chambers & Zoom (details below)

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## **AGENDA**

### **CALL TO ORDER**

### **NEW BUSINESS**

- [1.](#) Prospective Board Member Interviews

### **ADJOURNMENT**

### **VIRTUAL MEETING DETAILS**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82595643245?pwd=FDOLgHiZJt8tFECDK1zCSaLaUyu0.1>

Meeting ID: 825 9564 3245    Passcode: 050957

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The meeting location is accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for an interpreter for the hearing impaired, for a digital device to access a virtual meeting, or for other accommodations for persons with disabilities should be made at least 48 hours before the meeting by contacting the St. Helens Public Library at 503-397-4544.

Be a part of the vision and get involved...volunteer for a City Board or Commission! For more information or for an application, go to [www.sthelensoregon.gov](http://www.sthelensoregon.gov) or call 503-366-8217.

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#### Submission information

Form: [Boards & Commissions Application - ONLINE SUBMITTAL](#) <sup>[1]</sup>

Submitted by Visitor (not verified)

Wed, 06/04/2025 - 10:20pm

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#### I am interested in:

Library Board

#### Applicant Name

Kelsey Knutson

#### Home Address

56509 Hill St

#### City, Zip

Warren, 97053

#### Primary Phone

619-987-7282

#### Secondary Phone

#### Email

kelseyknutson322@gmail.com

#### Mailing Address

56509 Hill St.

#### City, Zip

Warren, OR 97053

#### Do you live within the city limits of St. Helens?

No

#### If yes, how long?

In Columbia County since 2017

#### Civic Activities (offices held, honors, etc.)

2 years of volunteer work with the Scappoose School District libraries

#### List names, addresses, and phone numbers of three references not related to you.

Heather Weaver - 503-369-7117

31045 Pisgah Home Rd.

Scappoose, OR 97056

Danielle Downs - 503-939-9242

60949 Robinette Rd  
St. Helens, OR 97051

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Keely Nudo - 503-805-0500  
Scappoose, OR 97065

**Briefly summarize educational background.**

Bachelors of Science in Business Administration from Portland State University in 2017

**Present Employer Name, Phone, and Address**

Self Employed as a wedding planner / Stay at home mother

**Job Title**

Business Owner / Wedding Planner

**Additional information you wish to include.**

I have been a paying member of the library since 2018 and have brought both of my children to story time with Gretchen and now Jana. I am an avid reader and have utilized the St Helen's Library to check out over 250 books, both digital and physical. I have a passion for literacy and library spaces, volunteering 4+ hours a week in the Scappoose School libraries. I love the programing that St Helen's Library offers and I would love to be able to add my voice. Thank you for the consideration.

**I hereby certify that the information provided above is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. If appointed, I agree to not participate in any proceeding or action in which there may be a direct or substantial financial interest to myself, my relatives, or a business I or my relatives are associated with, including any business with which I am serving on their board or have served in the previous two years; or any business with which I am negotiating for or have an agreement or understanding concerning prospective partnership or employment. I agree to disclose any actual or potential conflict of interest at the meeting where the action is being taken.**

Yes

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Submitted by Visitor (not verified)

Thu, 06/12/2025 - 6:42pm

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#### I am interested in:

Library Board

#### Applicant Name

Sarah Rychart

#### Home Address

61300 Barger Rd

#### City, Zip

Saint Helens

#### Primary Phone

2537329079

#### Secondary Phone

#### Email

srychart@gmail.com

#### Mailing Address

61300 Barger Rd

#### City, Zip

Saint Helens

#### Do you live within the city limits of St. Helens?

Yes

#### If yes, how long?

12 years

#### Civic Activities (offices held, honors, etc.)

I have been volunteering at my kids' school, Lewis and Clark Elementary.

#### List names, addresses, and phone numbers of three references not related to you.

1) Ariel O'Neill (503) 351-1998

33671 SE June Lane

Scappoose, OR 97056

2) Ellen Jacobson (971) 400-8988

385 N 3rd St  
St Helens, OR 97051

Item 1.

3) Kristine Nowak (503) 528-6077  
30383 Dowd Rd  
St Helens, OR 97051

**Briefly summarize educational background.**

I graduated from Clover Park High School in Lakewood, WA. Received an Associate of Arts and Sciences from Pierce College in Lakewood, WA  
Attended the University of Washington for several quarters

**Present Employer Name, Phone, and Address**

N/A

**Job Title**

**Additional information you wish to include.**

I have always been passionate about books and literacy from a very young age. I worked for 3 years in a county library as a page (answering phones, checking in books from the book drops and returning books to the shelves after they had been checked in) I am a heavy library user and participate in many of the programs offered at the St Helens library, such as the library book club, Adults and Crafts and the Summer Reading program to name a few.

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Yes