

2017 BOARD CANDIDATES' BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES



BONNIE PETERSON and her husband, Mike, consider themselves “adopted” natives of Jefferson County for 41 years. They have four children and 15 grandchildren. Bonnie likes to play the piano, golf, snow ski, garden, and anything else outdoors. She worked with the Office of the President at Ricks College for seven years. Following her time at Ricks, Bonnie and her husband operated two successful furniture stores in Rexburg and Idaho Falls for 25 years. Her financial-savvy, leadership, and organizational skills were great assets to the family-run businesses. She states that one of the best additions to Rigby is the arrival of Beehive Federal Credit Union, of which she has been a member for just under 30 years. Why Beehive? “Beehive Federal Credit Union offers benefits and services which can impact members’ lives in diverse ways not available or accessible at other financial institutions. My experience with Beehive as both a consumer and business owner has been a successful partnership. I look forward to continuing that partnership by helping to shape the direction of Beehive in the future.”

ROCHELLE CARDON LARSEN is all about serving others, whether it is getting 400 students up on the ski slopes in Kelly Canyon through the Rigby Ski Program, or serving on the board of the Eastern Idaho Down Syndrome Family Connect, a non-profit organization that she and her husband, Eric, founded after their daughter was diagnosed with down syndrome. Rochelle was born and raised in Rexburg and now resides in Rigby with her husband, four sons, and one daughter. Because Rochelle enjoys learning new things and working with others, she has valued her experience of serving on the Beehive Federal Credit Union Board of Directors for the past six months. Graduating with a degree in Sociology from BYU-I illuminates her passion for serving others and her enthusiasm to continually learn. She brings a young and fresh perspective to the Board.

BRIAN POWELL has served on the Ammon City Council since 2008 and currently serves as the Council President where he has an extensive background in municipal departmentalized operations, budget setting, and city policy & ordinances. Born and raised in the rural east Idaho farming community of Parker, Brian learned the value of family, honesty, and hard work. He served a 2 year LDS mission to Buenos Aires, Argentina and upon his return attended and graduated from Boise State University. Brian is an entrepreneur by heart who has owned and operated many successful businesses specializing in system designs, technology, and manufacturing. He currently is the Systems Administrator for Bonneville County designing workflow processes within software development for each department's daily operations. When not working, he enjoys spending time watching his boys play baseball and taking his family to Boise State football games. Together with his wife, Elyse, the Powells' have 4 children.

GRANT JOHNSON and his wife Linda are the parents of five children and twenty grandchildren. For over 26 years, he has been employed as an administrator in the Human Resources Office at BYU-Idaho/Ricks College; interviewing prospective employees for campus employment, coordinating salary research, training and guiding employees in financial planning. He was also Student Employment Director, coordinating company visits and supervising students on internship/employment expeditions. He retired from BYU-I in 2010. Grant earned his Associate’s Degree from Ricks College, his Bachelor's Degree in Business Management from BYU, and his MBA in Banking and Finance from USU. He was a member of the Board of the Madison Economic Development Corporation, and was also a member of the Upper Valley United Way Board. Grant and Linda have served as co-chair on the Tree and Beautification Committee in Sugar City. He has been actively engaged in the credit union movement for several years, including serving on the Board of Directors for Beehive Credit Union. After serving on the Board, Grant resigned from his position so he and his wife could serve a full-time mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Since returning from their mission, Grant is currently serving on the Beehive Credit Union Board as treasurer and would like to have the opportunity of continuing that service to our members in the Rexburg/Rigby/Idaho Falls area.

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Dear Members,

For your convenience, we have provided four ways to vote for the 2017 Board of Directors Nominees:

- Print and mail in the form, which you may find online at bhive.org/vote
- Mail to P.O. Box 40 Rexburg, ID 83440 Attn: Karen Rowe
- Cut and return the form below to any of our four convenient branch locations
- Ballot boxes at Annual Business Meeting

Voting options will be available from February 13 – March 16, closing prior to the start of the Annual Business Meeting.



2017 ELECTION BALLOT

*Beehive Federal Credit Union
Board of Directors*

1) Please select **ONE** candidate:

- Bonnie Peterson
- Rochelle Larsen

2) Please select **ONE** candidate:

- Brian Powell
- Grant Johnson

Member Name: _____

Member Signature: _____