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My husband, Dennis, and I have lived in the Villages since 2015. Prior to my retirement, I worked as a District Manager for the Oregon Department of Human Services and in that capacity served on many non-profit boards and advisory committees. Also, in this capacity I managed a staff of up to 140 and budgets of over a million dollars. I have also served on a school board.

I have been a MPMA board member for the past 5 years and currently serve as President. It is my belief that our board needs to collectively work with our homeowners, listen well, communicate well, and make informed decisions. I certainly believe in the mission of the VGC. That is to enhance and preserve the quality of life and sense of community through effective and efficient management, enforcement of rules and covenants to preserve property values, and support initiatives and capital improvements benefiting the greater good of the community. Of course, this requires careful fiscal planning with input from the membership, and transparency. Additionally, this vision requires a carefully balanced give and take process. Working together we can truly enhance and strengthen the beauty and spirit of this very lovely community we call home. It is a blessing to live in this community and an honor to participate in its governance. I would like to continue to do so.