

## 2018 Trustee Candidates:

The candidates are listed in the order on which they will appear on your ballot. This order was determined by a random drawing held on August 27, 2018.

### Faye Cormier: Current President

Faye Cormier has been a library trustee since October 2011. Born in Texas and raised in a community very similar to Wells Branch in SW Louisiana, she moved to Austin in 1984 and purchased her home here in 2000. She works as a medical social worker serving families dealing with catastrophic health issues. Helping her community is part of Faye's DNA. She enjoyed serving as a WBNA board member before joining the library board. She manages the new collection for the St. Andrew's food pantry, bringing free books two Saturday each month and spending her day helping people make selections. Faye helped implement a comprehensive training for trustees and helps with design and upgrades to our interior. Faye advocates for our staff and was instrumental in bringing salaries and benefits up to standard. Faye wants to know two things. Do you have a library card? What can we do to improve library services?

### Kim Belcik:

Kim Belcik earned a Bachelor of Science in Wildlife and Fisheries from Texas A&M University and a Bachelor of Science in Nursing from the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor in Belton, Texas. She graduated with a PhD in nursing from the University of Texas at Austin. She teaches nursing at Texas State University in Round Rock and has served on the board of directors for the Texas Nurses Association. Kim also serves the Girl Scouts of Central Texas as a camp nurse at Camp Texlake. Kim and her family have lived in Wells Branch since 2000.

### Lindsay Martinez: Current Liaison to the Friends of the Library

Lindsay Martinez is a current Wells Branch Community Library trustee and volunteer. She grew up in Bentonville, Arkansas and graduated from St. Olaf College with a degree in Asian Studies and Business. She has lived in Wells Branch since 2011 with her husband and children. She has worked as Program Manager for Austin Diaper Bank and as a Certified Paralegal, and is studying Nonprofit Management & Leadership at ACC. She serves as the Trustee board's representative to Friends of the Library and Room Parent for her son's kindergarten class at JLJ. Martinez believes our library is the heart of this community, a place where everyone can feel welcome, learn and grow. She's a lifelong reader, and is often found at the WBSA fields, book in hand. She is honored to serve on the library board and is committed to bringing her unique experiences to serve Well Branch.

### Jill Traffanstedt: Current Treasurer

A native Texan, Jill grew up in Abilene and graduated from UT with a degree in

Psychology. She and her husband stayed in Austin and bought a home in Wells Branch in 1985, back when Wells Branch Parkway did not exist. Jill was part of the staff that published the first Wells Branch Word newsletter in September, 1985. During these early years, she was an active member of the WB Neighborhood Association Board and volunteered for Frontier Days and still delivers newsletters. She has served on the WBCL Board since 2010, first as Secretary, and now as Treasurer. She is active in the library's committees, two book clubs, and can be seen working in the library landscape.