

The Colorado Mountain College Board of Trustees

The Colorado Mountain College (CMC) Board of Trustees sets policies to help the college serve the CMC district communities in the Colorado Rockies and the Western Slope. The CMC Board of Trustees has seven seats, all of which are elected by the voters in the communities comprising the CMC District.

Board responsibilities include hiring and evaluating the president, approving the college budget, certifying the mill levy, working with the college president to develop a strategic plan, monitoring the progress of the institution and acting in the best interests of the college as required by statute. The Board typically meets seven times per year at locations throughout the CMC district.

In response to the addition of Salida and Poncha Springs to the college district, the CMC Board of Trustees voted to create advisory liaison from the community. The advisory liaison to the Colorado Mountain College Board of Trustees will represent Salida and Poncha Springs in support of official representation provided by the trustee member currently representing Lake and Chaffee Counties, Mr. Bob Hartzell.

CMC will reimburse travel and lodging, as necessary, for the advisory liaison to attend Board of Trustee meetings. The advisory board member will serve for two years, through December 2021, and may apply for a second term (January 2022-December 2023).

Advisory member roles and responsibilities

- Attend CMC board meetings in an advisory capacity.
 - Note: This is a non-voting position
- Provide information and counsel to the CMC trustees on behalf of the residents of Salida and Poncha Springs.
- Collaborate with college management to communicate the college's vision, mission and policies with the residents of Salida and Poncha Springs.

Appointment Process

Candidates must apply for the position using the attached application form. Candidates will be reviewed and a final candidate selected by the CMC Board of Trustees. The CMC Board of Trustees may request additional information from candidates.

References

Candidates are asked to include the names and contact information of three professional or personal references with their application.

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Application
CMC Advisory Board Liaison – Salida and Poncha Springs

Application Deadline

Applications must be received no later than **Friday, March 13th** at 5:00 pm. All information shared by candidates is subject to the Colorado Open Records Act (CORA).

Application Procedure

Application materials must be submitted via e-mail to Mr. Charles Cunniffe, Secretary of the CMC Board of Trustees, via dnovak@coloradomtn.edu

Date: _____

(Last Name)	(First Name)	(Initial)
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Home Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Please provide answers to the following questions:

- How long have you resided in the Salida R32J K-12 school district?

- What is your current occupation and availability to participate in CMC Board of Trustee meetings?

- What are your experiences in serving on governing boards or similar community organizations?

- Please describe why you are interested in serving in this role:

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- Briefly describe your vision for public education in Salida and Poncha Springs as it relates to Colorado Mountain College:

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