

## **BIOS as submitted to Nominations & Election Committee 2022 GVR Board of Directors Election**

### **President - 2022-24 (vote for 1):**

#### **Patrick Furumoto**

Describe motivation to serve on the Board of Directors: I am motivated to give back to the Club, which has provided my wife and I a means to work off a few calories, the enjoyment of pickleball, and of course, making many new friends. I am looking forward to leading the Club through the next couple of years as President.

As you may know, the Club has more than 1,000 members, which presents a challenge to try to meet the needs of its members.

My approach will be to listen to your suggestions and issues, work to find solutions with the membership and Board, and then work with the Board to implement what is best for the Club.

There is much to be positive about the Club:

- Great volunteers assisting in all aspects of the Club,
- An informative and comprehensive website and a flexible scheduling tool in Pickleball Plus,
- A variety of fun activities associated with the Dink & Dines, and
- 36 pickleball courts, thanks to many contributors.

I look forward to hearing from and working with you to make the Club the best it can be for its members and the community. It won't be easy, but I am up to the challenge.

Describe experience this nominee will bring to the position:

2 years as Club Treasurer, assisted w/development of the online membership process.

Previous Club involvement: Pickleball 101 Coach, Round Robin Coordinator, S Region TAPPL player, member of committees to revise the website and skill ratings process.

Rate skill and experience with computer systems to work with member databases, scheduling, communications and websites (1 - low to 5 - high): Rated a 4 based upon the last 2 years as Treasurer and previous work experience with Microsoft email, Excel, and PowerPoint.

**Secretary - 2022-24 (vote for 1):**

**Bev Lauby**

My husband and I read about Green Valley in a retirement magazine titled "Top 10 Places to Retire". We recently had retired and decided to go check the place out. February 2021 we rented a home for the month. I took the Pickleball 101 class taught by Al Willett, fell in love with Pickleball AND Green Valley! We purchased a home here last October.

I have been involved with technology since high school (I won't say how many years ago that was.) Having held several jobs using technology, I retired from our Nebraska public school system after 22 years. My position was maintaining the student database and reporting data to the state and federal department of education. I also did troubleshooting support for the teachers. Having taken several college level classes in Excel I love data and spreadsheets.

If elected as Secretary, I will do my best to help our Pickleball Club in any way needed. My love for pickleball, Green Valley and the wonderful people living here will be my motivation to do the best job I can.

Respectfully,  
Bev Lauby

**Member at Large Position 2 - 2022-24 (vote for 1):**

**Michael McCarry**

In the past 30 years, before retiring, I worked for Nestle, SA in a variety of engineering management positions including project management in the factories, corporate management and working with marketing to assist in the launch of new products.

With each endeavor I always placed customer service as a high priority!

Since joining the pickleball club over 5 years ago, I have continued annually to serve the club in any way that was beneficial, including:

Rating Committee

Testing Program

Player Skills Development

PB 101

Developing skill classes

Being part of several committees to raise money for the new courts

The club has, and is continuing to grow. My belief is that I can and am willing to help in promoting a positive future for our club.

**Treasurer - 2022-23 (vote for 1):**

**Janet Reynolds**

**Motivation to serve on the Board of Directors** - my objectives as Treasurer and Board member of the GVR PB Club:

- A. To ensure that all Club financial transactions and information are transparent and available to club members.
- B. To ensure adequate internal controls to prevent opportunities for misapplication of funds
- C. To develop project specific financial analysis to highlight GVR PB Club actions.
- D. To improve the efficiency of collecting, depositing and spending Club funds.
- E. To improve communication to new members regarding club benefits and club operations
- F. To ensure clear, direct communication with GVR

**Describe bio and experience this nominee will bring to the position** - Highlights of my 30 year professional career includes:

Gulf Oil Corp - Accountant, Financial Analyst

ATT - Regulatory Financial Analyst, Financial Lobbyist representing ATT interests to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC), Consumer Products Pricing Director

University of Denver - Adjunct Faculty Masters Program - Telecommunications Policy Instructor.

The Academy High School, Westminster, CO - Economics, Personal Finance, Civics, History Teacher

Colorado Council for Economic Education - Instructor

**Rate skill and experience with computer systems to work with member databases, scheduling, communications and websites (1 - low to 5 - high) -**

Skill level 4

The professional experiences listed above have required progressive knowledge of changing software. WORD, EXCEL, PPT, Google Docs. As Secretary of the GVR PB Club from December 2021 - March 2022 I utilized and became experienced in managing the member Database, creating distribution lists.