

Council Candidate Biography: Elissa Flaumenhaft

What is your occupation?

Scientist

Which subdivision do you live in and how long have you lived there?

Stroh Ranch, 3 years

What other governmental service have you been involved in?

None; but with fresh eyes, an open mind, heart and ears, creative and innovative thinking, and a collaborative spirit, I will bring a fresh perspective, with the best interests of Parker's citizens always at the core of every decision and idea.

What is your educational background?

Master of Science in Biology from Purdue University, Bachelor of Science in Biology and Bachelor of Science in Spanish Linguistics from Indiana University Bloomington

What community activities are you/have you been involved in?

Rotary Club, mentor for a local STEM school, volunteer for several local organizations and am a member of several social justice groups, primarily focusing on eradicating food insecurity in Colorado

What are your hobbies?

Volunteering, playing sports and working out, baking, reading, arts and crafts, singing

What made you decide to run for Town Council?

In the words of Henry Ford, "If you always do what you've always done, you'll always get what you've always got." It's time for some new blood to invigorate Parker's Town Council. We need someone who will be creative and collaborative and not just stick to the way things have always been done. I troubleshoot and problem solve as part of my daily job and it requires creative and innovative thinking to come up with solutions. I believe I am the right person to make positive changes that will benefit the citizens of Parker.

What will your top priorities be if elected to Town Council?

Re-examine zoning and platting, incentivize businesses to fill empty storefronts, examine changing infrastructure needs and ways they can be addressed to support metered growth, devising a sustainable, realistic plan for growth and curbing the explosive growth/construction seen over the past years

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