

Name	Gillian Pollock
Organisation	Drumchapel Citizens Advice Bureau
Background (can include, work history, hobbies, family life, volunteering etc.)	
<p>I currently work as the learning and development coordinator at Drumchapel Citizens Advice Bureau, though I have had all different roles during my time at CAB. This role primarily involves recruiting, training and managing volunteers as well as organising training for new and current staff members to keep them up to date with all relevant topics. I am always happy however, to assist wherever and whenever I am needed.</p> <p>I possess previous board experience having participated on my son's school board/parent council all through primary and secondary school. During my time in the primary school I played a part in organising a parent's group to help out in the school in various capacities and was on the panel to recruit new staff members. In the secondary school as well as parent council duties I also acted as a scribe and invigilator during exam times.</p> <p>I would like to think my skills and knowledge gained from work as well as my life experience will make me a good fit to join the board.</p>	
If elected how would you help ensure the board was effective and supported the network manager in their work?	
<p>I feel I would ensure board effectiveness by contributing in steering the organisation towards a sustainable future by adopting comprehensive, moral, legal governance and financial management policies with promotion of the organisation's mission statement, values and principles.</p> <p>I believe, if elected as a board member, I would ensure active duty of care, loyalty and compliance of legislations.</p> <p>I believe my skills and knowledge from working within the CAB service will provide me with the ability to successfully participate as an effective board member and to ensure accountability, inclusion, transparency, competence and responsiveness to the organisation's values and principles. I hope I will also be able to bring some fresh ideas to the table.</p> <p>I believe ensuring these core values and responsibilities will provide supportive communication and assistance to the network manager, which will allow for a strong working relationship.</p>	

