

**ADAMS COUNTY RETIREMENT PLAN  
BOARD OF RETIREMENT CANDIDATE INFORMATION**

**Your Information (Please limit your response to the space provided under each question on this page)**

Name: Mike Lopez Department: Sr. Accountant, Treasury

Years/months of service as a County/Rangeview Library District employee: One Year – a newbie

**Educational Background:**

University of Michigan Business School, Ann Arbor MI (OSU fans don't hold it against me), Accounting

MIT, Cambridge MA, Chemical Engineering

Mullen High School, Denver CO

St. Therese Elementary School, Aurora CO, right here in Adams County

**Describe Why You Want to Serve on the Retirement Board:**

While I may be a newbie, I'm starting at retirement like everyone else. It's the most important benefit for which I work at Adams County. And I think it is for your future as well. You want someone who is committed upfront to do their best for you on the Retirement Board as your employee representative. And you just found him. I have been to a board meeting in consideration of this commitment. I have spoken with our employee representative who is stepping aside to create this opening. Marc Osborne, with Finance, has served on the board for two terms, eight years. All volunteer service. Thank you, Marc. I understand the commitment. And I am ready to go.

**Describe Why You Are Qualified to Serve on the Board of Retirement:**

I'm good with numbers. They excite me, rather than put me to sleep. That's important when you are tracking over \$300 million dollars invested in our future.

I work in the Government Services building where the Board meets each month. The walk up three flights of stairs will help me prepare for retirement even more.

I see retirement as important for all of us. It is an important goal in our working life -- to enjoy the rewards. It will take careful stewardship to be certain those rewards are there for us all.

**Other Board or Community Service Experience:**

Treasurer and Board Member for Windsor Gardens, 3000 residents all over 55 years old in 80 buildings across 35 acres on the West side of Aurora – my home. Budget of \$20MM with 100 employees.

Volunteer with Mental Health Colorado, raising awareness for mental health for ourselves, our families and our communities.