The following residents have been nominated to serve on the Muirfield Association Grounds and Facilities Committee for a 3-year term.

# **GROUNDS & FACILITIES COMMITTEE NOMINEES**

Kathy Beyl
Louis Burns\*
Bryan Faller
Dennis Healy
Alesia Miller
Patrick O'Loughlin\*
Mark Ransom

\*incumbent

The nominees have submitted the following biographical sketches:

#### KATHY BEYL – 8874 GLASSFORD COURT NORTH

I am a graduate of Mundelein College, Chicago, Illinois. I retired from Keycorp. I am a member of Newcomers of Northern Columbus, Muirfield Village Civic Assn., and the Empty Nesters. Muirfield Civic Action Committee.

I have been a volunteer for many Dublin activities such as Irish Festival, Memorial Tournament, Field of Flags, Art Festival, and others as needed.

My husband, Bart, and I have lived in Muirfield since 1996 and enjoy the lifestyle it provides. I have long admired the beauty of our community and recognized the work that goes into it. I would very much like to participate in the continued care by working with the Grounds and Facilities Committee. I believe if you live in a community you should participate in its care, which I have done in my volunteer work for Dublin and would like to do for Muirfield. I hope you will consider me for this committee.

### LOUIS BURNS - 9148 MOORS PLACE NORTH

My wife, Marilyn, and I moved to Dublin from Mansfield via Cleveland in 1986 after our three children flew the coop, and found our new home in Muirfield Village. We looked at multiple residential areas but always returned to Muirfield as our place to put down roots. We were attracted to the miles of walking paths, swimming pool and other facilities. We joined the Muirfield Bridge Group and have been members of the Muirfield Civic Association for many years. Both of us have been involved in our community here. My wife previously served 8 years on the Grounds Committee and another 8 on the Board of Directors. We share a commitment to maintaining and improving facilities available to families with children as well as empty nesters.

I see the mission of the Grounds and Facilities Committee is continuing to improve the amenities and facilities which make Muirfield a wonderful place to live.

I currently serve on the Grounds and Facilities Committee which has this important role in developing initiatives to enhance our community as well as updating our existing facilities in order to maintain Muirfield Village as a premier community. I hope to continue serving on this committee.

### **BRYAN FALLER - 8703 FINLARIG DRIVE**

I have lived in Muirfield with my wife, Elizabeth, and our three children since 2010. Muirfield is a wonderful community with outstanding amenities. I would like to serve you as a member of the Grounds and Facilities Committee to help maintain Muirfield's greatness and make it even better. I therefore ask that you consider selecting me to serve as a member of the Committee.

I see the goal of the Committee as simple – work to keep Muirfield as the premier community in Central Ohio. To do so, we must do more than just maintain the wonderful grounds and facilities Muirfield already possesses. We should think constantly about ways in which to improve upon the Muirfield experience, even if the improvements are small in scope. Doing so will help to raise our property values and attract new residents.

My family, particularly my young children, use many of the facilities that Muirfield offers. I would like to bring that perspective and my energy to the Committee to work to keep Muirfield a wonderful place to live. I appreciate your taking the time to learn a little about me and why I would like to serve you as a member of the Grounds and Facilities Committee.

## **DENNIS HEALY - 5805 ROYAL LYTHAM COURT**

My wife, Lisa, and I are relatively new residents of Muirfield. I returned to my home state of Ohio in January of 2011 after living in St. Paul, Minnesota for six years. After a brief stint in Clintonville, we fled to comfy confines of Muirfield in December of 2012.

Raised in Upper Arlington, I attended Saint Agatha grade school and Bishop Watterson high school. I graduated from Ohio State University with a BS degree in Microbiology.

My professional career began with Ashland Chemical performing polymer research. If you ever see a bottle of beer with a clear label on it, there is a very good chance it has Ashland adhesive on it – I was part of that research team. I grew tired of the 8-5 work day and decided to pursue a career in sales with Ashland Distribution selling raw materials for composite manufacturing. My move to Minnesota in 2005 forced me to finally leave Ashland. I began working as a manufacturing sales representative for Fiber Glass Industries. Upon returning to Ohio, I was fortunate to stay with Fiber Glass Industries. To this day I currently am responsible for sales in the Midwest Region.

My wife and I instantly grew very fond of the Muirfield Community – the people, the privacy; the overall environment has made this the perfect choice for us. It would be an honor and a great opportunity to have the chance to give back to this community serving on the Grounds and Facilities Committee.

### **ALESIA MILLER – 8445 GULLANE COURT**

Hello, my name is Alesia Miller. I've lived in Ohio all my life and in Muirfield Village for 5 ½ years. My lifelong love of green spaces and nature has brought me to this gorgeous area known as Muirfield Village. One can't help but notice and appreciate how special this area is as well as the need to preserve it. The long journey I've traveled to get to this point all has had to do with just that.

I received my education through the Ohio State Extension and became an OCVN Naturalist (Ohio Certified Volunteer Naturalist). Their instruction equipped me with the knowledge and the tools to help with the issues & challenges of maintaining green spaces.

I am presently working side by side with: ODNR-District 4-Southeast Ohio; Ohio State Extension Education; National Wildlife Association; Columbus Metro Parks; and the Southeast Ohio-Parks & Preserves.

My current objectives are: To eradicate invasive plants and restore native plants to these areas; Monitor water quality and watersheds at Metro Parks & Southeast Ohio; Educate people on sustainable gardening practices; Monitor for infestations of our current list of pests that threaten our trees; Emerald Ash Borer; Long Horned Asian Beetle; Hemlock Wooly Adelgid & several other pests.

My goal would be to help the grounds crew to keep our Muirfield beautiful and healthy.

### PAT O'LOUGHLIN - 5587 LOCH MORE COURT WEST

I've enjoyed serving on Muirfield's Grounds & Facilities Committee over the past year. For the past 12 years, my wife Nancy, son Sean and I have enjoyed the amenities provided by our Association.

I am Chief Operating Officer for Buckeye Power, a cooperative organization responsible for producing and delivering electricity to rural electric cooperatives throughout Ohio. I have previously served on the Board of Directors of Cox Arboretum Foundation in Dayton, Ohio and South Community Family YMCA in Kettering, Ohio.

Mother Nature has dealt us a challenge in cleaning up after the devastation of the emerald ash borer. We also face some new challenges as most of our facilities are now 30+ years old and will require more planning and investment to keep them up to the standards we expect from a world class neighborhood.

My background in utility infrastructure; my experience in serving other recreational and community boards; my common sense approach to issues; and my interest in nature, landscaping and outdoor recreation has prepared me to serve on this committee. Most importantly, listening to your input will help guide us in making the best decisions we can for our Association.

I am committed to providing support to our Board and staff in making decisions that improve and enhance our grounds and facilities for the benefit of all. Our stewardship is important to preserve the quality of life we enjoy as Muirfield residents and improve the value of our homes.

### MARK RANSOM – 5774 LOCH MAREE COURT

My wife and I have lived in Muirfield for seven years and have been members of the Muirfield Civic Association for the same period of time. The attraction of Muirfield was its "planned community" concept with large common areas of undeveloped land, combined with community amenities and stringent design codes. These factors, if properly maintained and abided by, serve to enhance both the esthetics and property values within the community.

My background is in commercial real estate, having been a developer of office buildings, two of which are located in Dublin. From this experience I gained an appreciation of the importance that well designed and maintained amenities and landscaping can impart to the value and enjoyment of all forms of real estate, be it commercial or residential. The requirement of fiscal responsibility is of equal importance as relates to the continuing enhancement and maintenance of the amenities, and must be thoughtfully balanced with the requirements of the community.

My goal, if selected as a member of the Muirfield Grounds and Facilities Committee, would be to assist in the preservation and enhancement of the common areas and amenities to assure the safeguarding of property values within Muirfield Village, in a fiscally sound manner.