

Name: Susan VanAlstine

Area: Lower Lawrenceville/ 6th Ward

How long have you lived in Lawrenceville? 23 years

Why did you move to/ stay in Lawrenceville? Family, sense of community, amenities

Current Employer/ Job Title: Information Technology Professional, Company
Confidential

Please list Community Service, Non-Profit, or Board Experience: LU BOD 2012-present, Governance Committee Chair 2013-present, Finance Committee Member 2012-2014, Bernard Dog Run Chair 2011-present, Volunteer Coordinator 2008-2011, PGH Tree Tenders 2009-present

What makes Lawrenceville unique? Why? A very strong sense of unity and community something here for everyone and events that are not found elsewhere. Residents take charge and make things happen, build and rehab our parks, create unique events, etc.

What is was one thing you would like to work on within the neighborhood? Why? Ensuring quality of life as we grow and making sure everyone has a chance to be heard

What LU program or project most interests you? Why? Responsible hospitality & thoughtful development – two of the biggest issues right now.

What is one fun fact that others might be surprised to know about you? I love having a garden, but I hate organizing what to plant. My garden tends to be whatever appealed to me or my husband at the garden center.