

JENNA BROWN

NEIGHBOR | SSIICA VOLUNTEER | COMMUNICATOR | CRITICAL & INDEPENDENT THINKER

I want to serve on the Sully Station II Community Association Board of Trustees and:

- ✓ ***Advocate** for the best interests of all community members and residents*
- ✓ ***Be a strong communicator***
- ✓ ***Think critically, independently** and with **common sense***
- ✓ ***Offer actionable solutions** to fix inherent problems*
- ✓ ***Act fairly and justly***
- ✓ ***Foster positivity** among our members and residents*
- ✓ ***Respect** our community's traditions and values, but as necessary,*
- ✓ ***Inspire growth and change***

Personal Background

I grew up in a military family, traveling the world and experiencing new and diverse cultures. I met my husband in Northern Virginia and we moved to Sully Station II in 2018. For most of my career I was a consultant in the research and biotechnology industry. I worked alongside different groups of people to achieve common goals, find innovative but sustainable solutions to solve complex problems, and had to do so while remaining compliant with federal, state, and local regulations. I am highlighting these aspects of my personal life because I believe it creates the foundation of who I am. I appreciate new things, whether it be new ideas or out of the box thinking, yet I can respect traditional values, legal constraints, and recognize when something does not need to be changed. I am energized and driven to help and serve others, which is largely why I became a consultant. I am accustomed to listening carefully and thinking critically (and with common sense). I am detail oriented yet I value understanding the larger context.

SSIICA Volunteer Experience at a Glance

I have six years of direct experience volunteering within Sully Station II. I joined both the Architectural Review Board and Activities Committee in 2018, and was the Activities Committee Chair from 2020-2021. In 2021, I was awarded the Volunteer of the Year Award and was appointed to fill a vacancy on the Board of Trustees. In 2022, I was elected to the Board of Trustees and since then, have served as President.

Serving as a Trustee has afforded me the opportunity to learn and become knowledgeable on the Sully Station II governing documents, build a working relationship with the Association's legal representatives, appreciate at a deeper level the concerns of our members and residents and the challenges they face on a daily basis, and identify areas that I believe need much improvement, such as communication (including more face-to-face interaction), community engagement and involvement, and policy change. I am in a unique position to leverage my hands-on experience and working knowledge of Sully Station II policies and procedures.

A community is only as strong as its members. We should all assume the responsibility to be proactive, listen, learn, and advocate. I appreciate your consideration, and I look forward to hopefully continuing to serve you as a Trustee.