

JAMES AMEND

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FOUNDER & CEO, STANDBACK GENERAL CONTRACTORS, LLC

My name is James Amend, I am running for a 2nd term for a seat on the Moffat Library Board of Trustees.

I am a Washingtonville native, having grown up in Washingtonville and graduated from Washingtonville High School. I continued my education at the College of Saint Rose, where I received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration.

When I finished college and returned home, I wanted to apply my business education and experience to work in my hometown of Washingtonville. My brother, Tom, and I founded Standback General Contractors, LLC, which currently operates out of New Windsor, New York, and serves the Hudson Valley region, handling all phases of commercial, industrial construction and development.

One of the highlights of my college years was playing baseball. My love for all sports continues now – especially when I get a chance to participate in events to raise money so that kids have the opportunity to play the games they love. I am happiest when I am working to better my community and help people in need. I truly enjoy the working to giving back to others through out the community. After paying particular attention to the WEL Foundation (Walter & Edward Luedke Memorial Foundation) and the Matthew Hoffman Sarcoma Memorial fund program, my brother Tom Amend, and I create the Forever Foundation in July 2018, this focuses on grants to children with disabilities, unique ways to help cancer patients, animal welfare and educational scholarships.

I currently live in Washingtonville, New York with my wife, Nicole, and our three children, Brayden, Callie and Dillon, along with our 2 dogs Tucker and Bella. In my spare time, I enjoy spending time with my family, cooking in the back yard, vacationing to upstate New York, being outdoors, watching sports and meeting new and inspiring people, along with keeping my mission in mind of giving back and being a positive influence throughout the community.

If elected, I look forward to using my experience to help Moffat Library and my community thrive.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
James Amend