

Bette Blinde



I, Bette Blinde, have been invested in the PCFPD since buying my property next to Station 4 in 1996. Since that time, I have served as Fire Board president, Fire Chief, Firefighter, EMT and primary grant writer for our district, and found funding for our new fire stations, trucks, ambulances, and equipment. Through these years I have procured close to \$2,000,000 for the district through my grant writing efforts. I was instrumental in encouraging and preparing the \$400,000 grant recently received to update the Lower Canyon Community Center. I have been through 2 record-breaking Colorado Wildfires: High Park 2012 and Cameron Peak 2020 helping protect your homes. Updating the District's Community Wildfire Protection Plan is my current project that will enable us to tap into the millions of grant dollars that are becoming available to help you do mitigation. I am your current Fire Board Treasurer, newsletter editor and website coordinator and would like your vote to continue in this position as I feel I bring the most knowledge of the Poudre Canyon Fire Protection District and its history to the fire board. I also feel the board should represent all areas of the district and I am the only candidate from the Manhattan Creek area.

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