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## FIRE PENSION BOARD QUESTIONNAIRE

### Overview of Citizen Board Member responsibilities:

- To serve as advisors to the Golden Volunteer Firefighters Pension.
- Members participate in quarterly meetings, including additional meetings as required. (Generally just the 4 meetings per year.)
- Members are required to listen to pension issues, evaluate options, make recommendations, and vote accordingly.
- Members are involved in the evaluation and decision making process relating to issues that affect the City's Volunteer Firefighters pension program.
- The protection of confidential information discussed at board meetings is essential to protect the rights of individuals. Any information discussed at such meetings will be considered confidential and may only be released through official channels or through elected individuals possessing the authority to release such information.
- Board members are to have a demonstrated interest in the fire department and desire to be involved with the process. Prior pension/financial experience is helpful. Regular meetings are held at least quarterly, as well as study sessions and special meetings when necessary. **The term of appointments for citizen participants is two years. Must be a resident of the City of Golden.**

1. Why do you want to serve on the Fire Pension Board?
2. If you are applying to be reappointed, how would you evaluate your service on the board to date? In what ways have you done well and in what ways do you want to improve?
3. What are the most **significant challenges facing the Fire Pension Board and how would you** (or do you, if you are currently on the board) approach them?
4. What relevant skills and experiences would you be able to bring to the Board and its work managing the Golden Fire Department's pension program?