

I got interested in the Railway initially as I am a fan of The Railway children film and I love transport in general, in particular heritage transport.

After first visiting KWVR in 2012 I was completely smitten by its heritage and charm, I was also completely taken in by the beauty of the Worth Valley. I moved to Oakworth in 2021 purely to volunteer, becoming a working member in June 2021. I have undertaken various roles including booking clerk, shop, steward, special events and catering. I also joined the administration Team and took on the responsibility of ladies uniforms. I have assisted the SM and ASM of Haworth Station. I can bring my experience gained in these roles to the Board.

I would like to be a Director as I am committed to volunteering on KWVR for the benefit of the local community and the members and patrons of the Railway. I am keen to work towards its continued success and I would like to see it continue for many years to come. I have many valuable skills gained throughout my life. I am committed, hardworking and passionate about the railway and museums. I am willing to take on board any role they feel that would be suitable for myself.

I have a considerable amount of experience in the voluntary sector. Having volunteered in various organisations such as the NHS, MIND, Anxiety UK, Victim Support, Neighbourhood Watch, Manchester City Council, Girl Guides and Brownies.

Although I have no previous experience being a director, I have been on many committees throughout my employment with the civil service and volunteering, including undertaking the following roles: Health & Safety officer, Equal Opportunities officer, Treasurer, Conference delegate, I have chaired many committee and subcommittee meetings from Health and Safety to Equal opportunities.

I was vice-Chair of the most successful local Neighbourhood Watch group in Greater Manchester along with becoming a disability champion. I have a BSc Psychology and Counseling and a PGCE in Cognitive Behavioural Psychotherapies. I also ran my own small dog boarding business.

I can confirm that I am not disqualified from acting as a Company Director or Charity Trustee. I have read the relevant legislation and guidelines in relation to this.

I confirm that I am a member of the Society. I also confirm that I will be renewing my membership in July.

Full address since March 2021

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As I am not applying for a specific role I have not included specific competencies. My employment background is public administration, public health and psychology and counselling. I have vast experience in the voluntary sector through various charities such as MIND, Anxiety UK, NHS, Girlguiding UK .

I would like to add that I am hardworking, loyal and dedicated to the KWVRPS and its members.

Additional information required

Full Name Mrs Ruth Margaret Wilson

Previous names

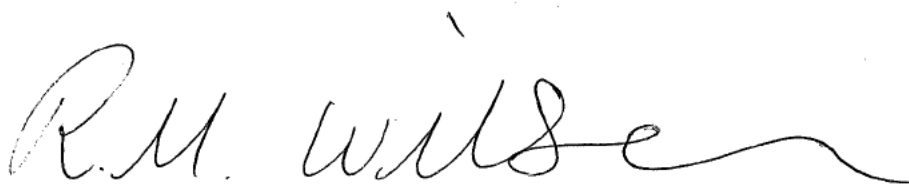
Mrs Ruth Margaret [REDACTED]
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Currently a homemaker and volunteer for KWVR, VCT, Yorkshire Cat Rescue , Neighbourhood Watch and a local ecological group.

Former civil servant H.M.R.C.



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