

Our 2023 candidate for a two-year term as President of the Friends of the Chesterfield County Public Library is Mary Beth Cox. Mary Beth has served on the Board of the FCCPL for eight years and, as Vice-President of Community Relations has turned in a stellar performance as newsletter publisher, Facebook Coordinator, and author of all other forms of electronic outreach. She has been a valuable member of numerous committees and has had the opportunity to learn about numerous facets of the FCCPL and its mission.

When asked what she likes best about the Friends, Mary Beth Cox responds: **“I have been primarily drawn to the mission of the Friends, to support the local library system and community, and to promote reading and literacy for everybody. I believe the library is a cornerstone of the community and of democracy, and I'm proud to play a part in helping support library programs and services.”**