

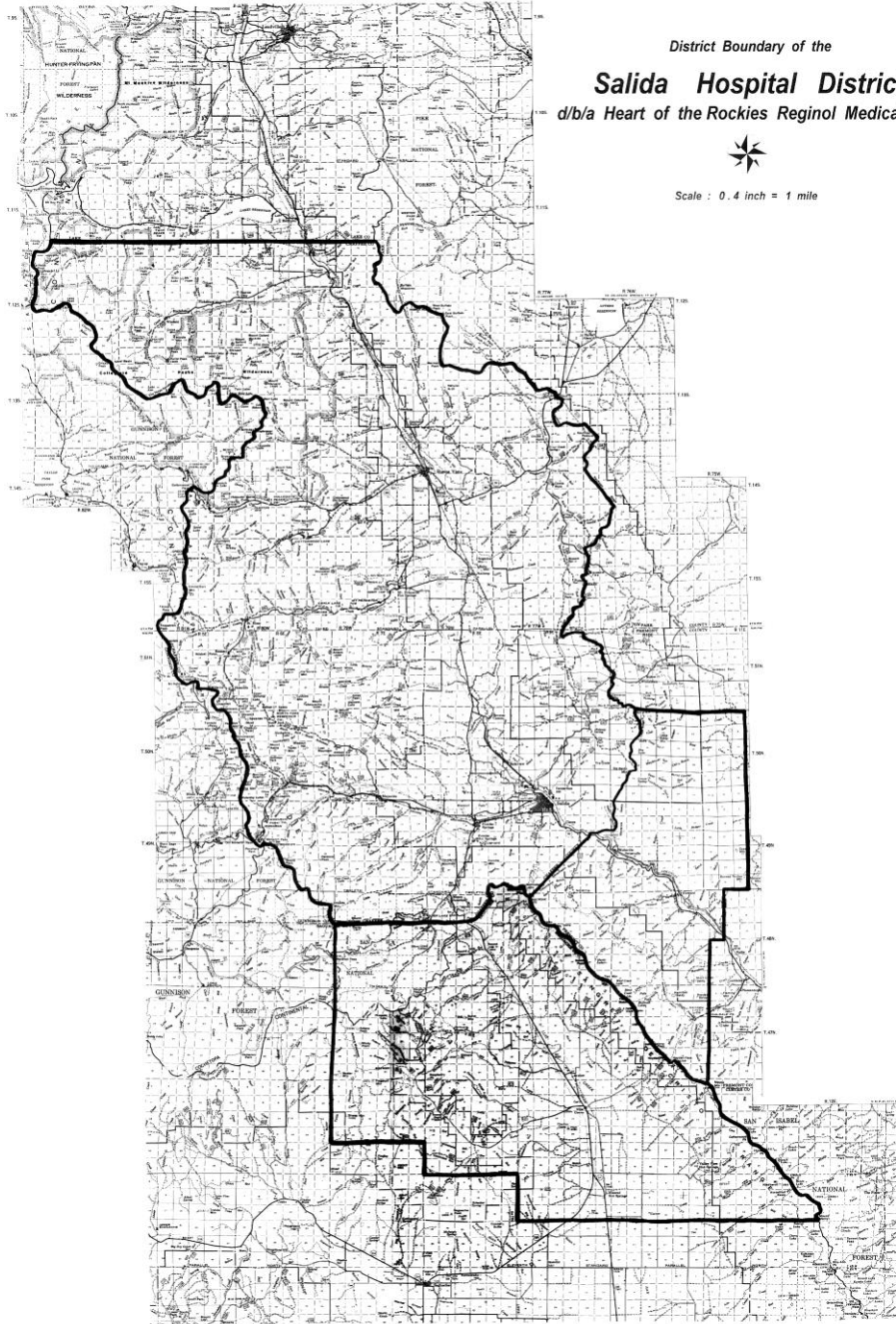




District Boundary of the
Salida Hospital District
d/b/a Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center



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148 East 3 rd Street
Salida, Colorado 81201



Hospital Board Election

**Tuesday, May 8
7 a.m. to 7 p.m.**

**At the hospital in Salida
or the American Legion in Buena Vista**

VOTE FOR MARILYN BOULDIN, R.N.
A healthy community is a prosperous community



MARILYN BOULDIN

for Hospital Board

EXPERIENCE COUNTS

Past Director of Chaffee County Public Health Department

Registered Nurse with a Masters Degree in Community Health

Extensive health care experience in hospitals, clinics, home health, long-term care, hospice, nursing schools and public health

Co-Founder and member of the Chaffee County Dental Coalition

Past President of Chaffee People's Clinic Board

Founder and first Director of the nursing program at Colorado Northwestern Community College

Member of Salida Sunrise Rotary

Volunteer at Food Pantry

Past Vice President of the Colorado State Board of Health

Lifetime achievement award from the Colorado Public Health Association

I look forward to using my experience and leadership skills to ensure access to quality health care for everyone in our hospital district.



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is a prosperous community***

VOTE! 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Tuesday, May 8, 2012

Salida: At the hospital, across Hwy 291 from Sand Lake and CR 153
Buena Vista: American Legion, 338 North Railroad Street



Vote for Marilyn Bouldin For HRRMC Hospital Board!

Marilyn Bouldin is the only candidate who has worked in health care in all Chaffee County communities of Buena Vista, Poncha Springs, and Salida. She understands the health care needs and differences of each community. More importantly, Marilyn has experience addressing the unique health care needs of each community under one system. That is a benefit to our hospital district, our communities, our county, and our residents. Experience counts:

- Past Director of Chaffee County Public Health Department
- Past Vice President of the Colorado State Board of Health
- Past Board President of Chaffee People's Clinic
- Lifetime Achievement award from the Colorado Public Health Association

We support Marilyn Bouldin as a HRRMC Board Member for her experience, leadership, and collaboration. Vote for Marilyn!

Laura L. Abeyta
Sharon K. Adcock
Pat Alderton
Patty Arthur
Robin Anderson
Stuart Anderson
Sue Armijo
Denny Arter
Joanie Barbier
George & Pat Barnett
Ellen & Don Bauder
Carl Beasley
Celia & Ray Bell
Nan Bohe
Scott and Kim Bouldin
John Bouldin
Susan & Harold Bristol
Gloria Broudy
Lezlie Burkley
Peg & Jerry Bushong
Laura Clegg
Linda Colling
Margie Cozart
Richard R. Cuyler
Bob Dorenfeld
Gayle Ann Dudley
Pat Duletsky M.D.
Bill Dvorak
Karen Edmonds
Else Ellett
Michael Forman
Milt & Donna Francis
Janet Franz
Dave Moore
Lon & Joyce Garrison
Sarah Clayton Gates
Barbara Geiger
Margaret Gillikin

Silas Gonzales
Trauda Gum
Kent & Cathy Haruf
Mary Hay
Brett Haydin
Chuck & Areta Heard
Miki Hodge
Vickie Humphrey
Janice Jennings
Debra Luchem
Gail R. Kahler
Mark Kauffman
Sue Keyes
Gerald M. Knowles
Lorraine Underwood
Janet Lastovica
Edward J & Marilyn E. Lawton
Jerrri Lines
J.D. Longwell
David Maier
Jerry Mallett
Tim Martin
Rosamonde McAtce
Cheryl McBride
Clint Lawrence
Elizabeth B. Miller
Marilyn Moore
Mike & Marsha Myers
Jane Gilden
Adam M. Myers M.D.
Dibby Olson
Jim Osborne
Judy Perham
Steve & Liz Peuser
Ed Quillen
Amy Rahe
Alison Ramsey
Jeanne Rasmussen

Tom and Shirley Rawlins
Jane A. Reichert
Skye Ridley
Elizabeth Ritchie
Eileen Rogers
Chuck Rose
Jeannie Peters
Alice A Ross
Fran Rulon-Miller
Cara Russell
Elizabeth Shelby
Marsha & E.J. Sherry
Carol Smith
Roberta Smith
Jeannie & Jim Snow
Leonora (Lee) Sohl
Tom Thomas
Jere Thomas
Raymond & D. Eilene Thompson
Sarah (Sally) & Charles Tucker
Carolyn Wagner
Molly Walker
Nancy E. Walters
Constance Gay Wehrman
Candace Weiss
Janet Whitmer
Susan Williams
Cheryl Straus-Witty Ph.D.
Stephen K. Witty Ph. D.
Denise G. Woodruff
Jean C. and Howard E. Wright
Bonny & Dusty Yaeger
Kristi Young
Dick & Cam Zaminski
Sig Jaagstad
Todd Bouldin

Remember to vote May 8th!

In Salida at HRRMC; In Buena Vista at American Legion Hall. Applications for mail-in ballot can be obtained at hrrmc.com



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Candidates attend public forum

by **Ericka Kastner**
Mail Staff Writer

Eight candidates for the May 8 Salida Hospital District board of directors election spoke during a public forum Tuesday in Salida City Council Chambers.

About 35 people attended the two-hour event hosted by League of Women Voters of Chaffee County.

Candidates were given equal time for opening statements before answering queries from the audience about issues facing Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center.

Moderator Jacqueline Sobczak asked questions submitted by the audience about candidates'

budgets and believes budgeting experience is important. He said the only way the hospital can keep offering services to the community is "if the hospital can afford it."

Joan Michaud, Salida, said knowledge of budgets is something candidates will learn once elected to the board.

Regarding the hospital's strategic plan, John Klein, Salida, said he would like to see integrated health care become a board priority. Klein said it is "very rare" when someone has a serious medical problem that they do not also have mental health concerns as well.

Hugh Young, Salida, returned to his campaign slogan of accountability, accessibility and affordability as priorities for the hospital. As a



Photo by Ericka Kastner
Rich Edgington, Dr. Eric Gibb, Charles Forster and Hugh Young participate in a candidate

Letters to the editor

Readers offer support to Marilyn Bouldin

Dear Editor:

I would like to encourage the voters of the Salida Hospital District to support Marilyn Bouldin as she seeks to serve you by running for the Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center hospital board.

Those of you who have worked with Marilyn since her arrival in Salida know firsthand what a great addition she is to your community.

Marilyn is very dynamic as a person and as a professional. Marilyn has demonstrated time and again her compassion, open-mindedness, integrity, and strong work ethic.

Marilyn was the driving force behind the nursing program we now have at our college.

Marilyn has always been a tireless worker who gives 110 percent to whatever projects, boards and volunteer efforts she takes on.

Gene Bilodeau,
vice president,
Colorado Northwestern
Community College,
Craig

Dear Editor:

This letter is to ask for your

I have known Marilyn for 35 years, since we both worked as nurses in Craig. We also worked as colleagues at Colorado Northwestern Community College in Craig. She was director of the new nursing program, and I was a nursing instructor.

Marilyn is a dedicated and competent member of any team she has led in the past. She even received the nomination for the prestigious Nightingale Award about nine years ago.

She would definitely be an asset to your board.

Sandy Harding
R.N., M.S.N.
Grand Junction

Dear Editor:

As the hospital administrator in Craig, I had the privilege of working with Marilyn Bouldin during a period of rapid growth in which we needed to expand all medical services and health care facilities.

I found Marilyn to be a creative health care professional who was willing to listen to the opinion of others while staying focused on finding solutions to the challenges of the health care needs of the

Beverlyn Lomax Pepper,
Nathrop

Dear Editor:

We would like to encourage people to vote in the upcoming election for Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center board of directors.

In particular we would like to recommend Marilyn Bouldin as one of the most qualified candidates for the hospital board.

She has a lifetime of experience in health issues. She is a registered nurse with a master's degree in community health.

She was the director of the Chaffee County Public Health Department, the president of the Chaffee People's Clinic and a vice president of the Colorado Board of Health.

She is very conscientious and has the expertise and qualifications to make an outstanding hospital board member.

Mike and Marsha Myers,
Salida

Dear Editor:

Re: Marilyn Bouldin — running for the Salida Hospital District board.

I have known Marilyn

lyn is approachable; accessible and open to anyone with issues or ideas concerning the board's work.

I vote for Marilyn for the Salida Hospital Board on May 8.

Nancy K. Reed,
Cotopaxi/Granite

Dear Editor:

I want to recommend Marilyn Bouldin to your community.

It is logical and fortunate that she has offered herself to serve as an elected member of your Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center hospital board.

As my clinical colleague, former boss and years-long friend, I am familiar with her broad knowledge of health care, her respect for those who work in this field and her advocacy for consumers who present for its services.

Marilyn is known for her fairness and ability to listen and intelligently weigh out multiple sides of the issues she tackles.

Her enthusiasm and commitment to follow-up is legendary.

Should I ever require such health-care decisions in my

a few times, I am interested in this upcoming vote taking place May 8.

I am voting for Marilyn Bouldin as I feel she has insight into the issues of public health for all residents of the Upper Arkansas Valley.

Marilyn has experience with the People's Clinic where she, as president of the board, made sure that preventive care was provided to the uninsured.

She has devoted her life in health care for over 40 years, having obtained a nursing degree and master's in community health.

She has worked in hospitals, home health, long-term care and public health. She will represent the needs of all our residents.

Join me and vote for Marilyn Bouldin.

Joanie Barbier,
Nathrop

Dear Editor:

I am writing to endorse Marilyn Bouldin, candidate for Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center hospital board, and to encourage everyone to vote May 8.

In addition to being a registered nurse with a master's



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Photo by Ericka Kastner

Jeanne Rasmussen, Salida, casts her ballot into a voting box while Judi Laub, Salida, election official for the Salida Hospital District election, oversees the process Tuesday at Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center in Salida. Laub said between 8 and 10:30 a.m., 133 eligible electors voted at the Salida polling place. Rasmussen added, "I am happy to live in a community where people want to come out and (vote)."

Bouldin, Forster win

by Ericka Kastner
Mail Staff Writer

Voters in the Salida Hospital District election Tuesday chose Marilyn Bouldin and Charles Forster, both of Salida, to fill the two open board seats at the Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center.

Of the 2,111 votes cast for eight candidates in the election, Bouldin garnered 24.63 percent or 520 votes. Forster received 489 votes, or 23.16

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| Name | Votes | Percent |
|-------------------|-------|---------|
| Marilyn Bouldin | 520 | 24.63% |
| Charles Forster | 489 | 23.16% |
| Richard Edgington | 311 | 14.73% |
| Eric Gibb | 309 | 14.64% |
| Joan Michaud | 225 | 10.66% |
| Alan Sulzenfuss | 93 | 4.41% |
| Hugh Young | 92 | 4.36% |
| * Dennis Giese | 37 | 1.75% |
| John Klein | 35 | 1.66% |
| Cast votes | 2,111 | 92.26% |
| Over votes | 0 | 0% |
| Under votes | 177 | 7.74% |

* Dennis Giese dropped out of the election April 13.



THANKS TO YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

I look forward to serving you and the community as a member of the Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center Board of Directors!

Congratulations to my fellow candidates for their willingness to support our hospital and their commitment to serve our community.

Please let me know your thoughts on providing for the healthcare needs of our area. You can contact me at marilynboundin@gmail.com or 239-1031.

-Marilyn Bouldin

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