



Anythink Foundation

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Michelle Halstead joins Anythink Foundation Board

Commerce City advocate and employee brings community experience to foundation

THORNTON, Colo.—Oct. 6, 2017—Michelle Halstead, a longtime community advocate and City of Commerce City employee, is the latest to join as a member of the [Anythink Foundation](#) board. The Anythink Foundation is a nonprofit that supports creativity and innovation throughout Adams County by raising private funds for special programs and projects at Anythink.

Halstead joins the Anythink Foundation with more than 15 years of private- and public-sector experience in public affairs and project management. Currently serving as Director of External Affairs for the City of Commerce City, she helps oversee the city's capital planning implementation, government affairs and the City Clerk's office and communications divisions. Her passion for community building, coupled with her expertise and knowledge in local government, provide strong assets to help further the mission of the Anythink Foundation.

“Anythink Libraries is synonymous with innovation, redefining how libraries create a sense of place in service to the community,” says Halstead. “I’m honored to serve on a foundation that supports this mission through the advancement of unique programming.”

“The Anythink Foundation is pleased to welcome Michelle Halstead as a new board member,” says Anythink Foundation Chair Brian Hall. “Her professionalism, regional community expertise and passion are an exciting addition to the board and our library network. We look forward to working with her and using her strengths to promote the mission and efforts of our foundation.”

About the Anythink Foundation

Formed in 2009, the Anythink Foundation is a 501(c)(3) developed to raise private funds for Anythink Libraries in Adams County. The Anythink Foundation supports Anythink libraries by raising and managing funds donated from the private sector. This support helps the library continue its mission to “open doors for curious minds” as a dynamic center for engagement. Programs and services supported by the Foundation include: capital projects; public art; expansion of collections; and exceptional programs, activities

and computer education. For more information, visit anythinklibraries.org/about/anythink-foundation.

About Anythink™

Anythink is a new style of library – a place of unlimited imagination, where play inspires creativity and lifelong learning. Rangeview Library District serves the residents of Adams County with seven Anythink libraries and [Anythink in Motion](#) – the district’s mobile library – and is one of the recipients of the 2010 National Medal of Museum and Library Service from the Institute of Museum and Library Services. For more information, go to anythinklibraries.org.

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