

Kari Bennett Named to Utilities Board

Kari Bennett has been named to the Valparaiso Utilities Board, announced Valparaiso Mayor Matt Murphy. “Kari’s involvement in banking, housing and development, along with her commitment to the community make her an excellent addition to our active Utilities Board,” said Mayor Murphy. “We’re pleased to have her insight and engagement in this important role,” he said.

Bennett has more than 19 years of experience with Centier Bank as a loan officer where she has been named Lender of the Year nine of the past ten years. She is active in the field of housing, financing, new construction and development and serves on the Board for the Habitat for Humanity of Porter County. Bennett is a member of the Home Builders Association of Northwest Indiana and the Greater Northwest Indiana Association of Realtors as well as the Valpo Chamber and Tri Kappa service sorority. She attended University of Nebraska in Lincoln.

The Valparaiso City Utilities Board is responsible for overseeing operations, policy and finances for the City’s Water, Wastewater, and Stormwater Divisions. Appointed by the mayor, the Board is comprised of five residents living in an area served by Valparaiso City Utilities. The Utilities Board meets on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. For more information, visit Valpo.us.