

LIZZ LESTER

Lizz Lester, a long-time GMHS volunteer, began her second board member tenure in 2015. Born and raised on Long Island, Lizz grew up with chickens, ducks and geese and sold their eggs from the front porch of her house; their chicken coop doubled as a neighborhood hospital, recovery room and shelter to an assortment of injured animals. After careers in the New York area, Lizz and her husband moved to Virginia in 1994 and soon after discovered the GMHS. While animals are her passion, Lizz's focus has been feral cats. She is devoted to her ever-changing colony that she has tended to for over 20 years, spaying, neutering and finding homes for them when possible.