



Board Service Application

Date Submitted: _____

Thank you for your interest in serving on IVCDO's Board of Directors! Board service is a rewarding way to apply your skills and experiences to create a strong organization and *thriving* Illinois Valley.

Please complete this application and email it to Maelagh Baker at boardpresident@ivcdo.org. The Board will review your application and be in touch regarding next steps.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Current employer: _____

Past employers (optional): _____

Additional professional affiliations (i.e. other boards you serve on, trade associations, membership organizations you belong to, and any other affiliations you would like to mention):

(1) Current and Previous Board Experience

Organization: _____ Date of Service: _____

Roles/Duties:

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Roles/Duties:

(2) Current and Previous Non-Board Volunteer Service

Organization: _____ Date of Service: _____

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(3) Please share a few sentences about why you are interested in serving on IVCDO's Board of Directors:

(4) Board service requires a commitment of approximately 4-8 hours per month, with additional time required during special campaigns or events.

How many hours per month do you have available to dedicate to board service? _____

(5) The Board serves as stewards of IVCDO and has a fiduciary duty to maintain its health, good standing and sustainability. The Board also supports and oversees the Executive Director, and represents IVCDO in the community, among other duties.

Please mark any skills you would be willing to contribute as a member of the Board:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Accounting/Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising/Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Event Planning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Legal | <input type="checkbox"/> Nonprofit Management | <input type="checkbox"/> Comm. Economic Development |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IT/Web Design | <input type="checkbox"/> Human Resources | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Media/Marketing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Strategic Planning | <input type="checkbox"/> Writing/Editing | <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Outreach | <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Indiv. Economic Development |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Stewardship | <input type="checkbox"/> Wildfire & Disaster Mgmt. | <input type="checkbox"/> Govt/Public Sector Relations |

Other skills (please describe):

(6) IVCDO proactively works to ensure its Board is reflective of the community it serves, and is diverse in skills and demographics. Occasionally, funders will request the demographics of our Board.

Please indicate the race, ethnicity, age, and gender with which you identify. (Please note that this section of the application is optional.)

County of Residence (optional): _____

Town/City/Unincorporated Area of Residence (optional): _____

Race (optional): _____

Ethnicity (optional): _____

Tribal Affiliation (optional): _____

Age Range (optional): _____

Gender (optional): _____

Other preferred identification including Veteran, Low-Income Household, Disabled, etc. (optional):

(7) IVCDO is working to expand and diversify its revenue through increased fundraising, community events, grant solicitation, business support solicitation, and in-kind donations. Board members are expected to participate in these efforts, in addition to making an annual contribution to the organization of a donation amount that is meaningful to you. **Please describe your familiarity with fundraising and development and how you anticipate you will assist with these efforts:**

(8) Please note any professional development or training that would be helpful for you to effectively serve in your role as an IVCDO board member.

(9) Additional comments:

(OPTIONAL) Please attach a resume/CV and email to boardpresident@ivcdo.org

Thank you for your interest; we will be in touch!