



## NONPROFIT BOARD OPENINGS

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Organization	American Civil Liberties Union of Delaware
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Organization's Mission	To defend constitutionally protected civil liberties for all citizens, particularly those most vulnerable to abuse.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Board meets monthly from 12:30-1:30 PM, usually on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday, in downtown Wilmington.</li><li>➤ Board members are expected to attend meetings regularly, actively participate in the direction of the organization, and serve on subcommittees relevant to their interests and expertise.</li></ul>

Organization	The Arc of Delaware
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Organization's Mission	The Arc of Delaware promotes and protects the human rights of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities, and actively supports full inclusion and participation in the community through advocacy and service to individuals and their families.
Board Position Description	The Board is responsible for the health and well-being of the organization. Board Members: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ will be fiscally responsible.</li> <li>➤ will oversee implementation of policies and programs.</li> <li>➤ will give or obtain a meaningful gift for The Arc.</li> <li>➤ will actively engage in fund raising.</li> <li>➤ will act as ambassador for the organization.</li> <li>➤ will participate in meetings and activities.</li> <li>➤ will serve on a committee relevant to interest/expertise.</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The Arc of Delaware is a statewide non-profit organization dedicated to advocating for and serving Delawareans with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families.</li> <li>○ The Board meets monthly from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month. The meetings are held in Newport with 3-4 meetings in Dover per year.</li> <li>○ We are looking for persons to serve on our Board of Directors who feel a real commitment to the persons we serve and our mission.</li> </ul>

Organization	BTL Foundation for International Services
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Organization's Mission	To promote multicultural understanding and friendship by providing Health, Education and Humanitarian services to people in need in the U.S., India and Abroad.
Board Position Description	<p>We are looking for a Board Member with strong Public Relation skills --</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ to assist the Executive Director and other Board members in obtaining contacts through public awareness to support and grow the organization.</li> <li>➤ to assist with publicizing various events, volunteering activities and award programs throughout the year and promote the Foundation in a positive manner.</li> </ul> <p>The candidate needs to be familiar with various means of communication such as the Newspaper, T.V., Radio and other media and have proficient writing skills.</p> <p>Board meets quarterly in a year usually on Sundays.</p>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ During Thanksgiving every year - 500 Meals are provided that includes both on-site dinner and delivery to senior citizens</li> <li>○ During Christmas and New year - 500 Meals are served to EDR, Little Sisters of the Poor and the Salvation Army</li> <li>○ Small Grants for emergency assistance</li> <li>○ Book Drive for children of developing countries</li> <li>○ Scholarships to UD students</li> <li>○ Youth oriented Volunteering activities throughout the year</li> </ul> <p>The Foundation is nonprofit and nonsectarian and is dedicated to providing services without regard to race, religion, sex, or national origin.</p> <p><i>The BTL Foundation, a 501(c)(3) organization has been part of the Delaware community for 35 years serving people and families in need in Delaware and surrounding areas. Over 60,000 meals have been provided so far.</i></p>

Organization	Canine Partners for Life (CPL)
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Organization's Mission	To increase the independence and quality of life for individuals with physical, developmental, and cognitive disabilities or who are in other situations of need. To achieve our mission by providing and sustaining professionally trained service and companion dogs.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ to advise, govern, oversee policy and direction, and assist with the leadership and general promotion of CPL so as to support the organization's mission and needs.</li> <li>➤ to approve and oversee the annual budget, create, plan and evaluate the Strategic Plan, formulate and oversee policies, program planning and to appoint and evaluate the Executive Director.</li> <li>➤ to promote CPL in the community.</li> <li>➤ to be responsible for fundraising for the organization and to make a yearly financial contribution as stated in the Board of Director's Job Description.</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Board Members are asked to attend eight Board Meetings/ Focus Meetings per year as well as three special events. One day of attendance at Team Training per year is required. Meetings are held at our campus in Cochranville, PA.</li> <li>○ Committees of the Board of Director's meet an average of four times per year.</li> <li>○ Board Members are asked to build a collegiate working relationship that contributes for consensus.</li> <li>○ Length of Term: Board members serve a two year term, which may be renewed up to a maximum of three consecutive terms. This is pending the approval of the Board, and followed by a required one year off before possible reinstatement.</li> </ul>

Organization	Cathedral Choir School of Delaware
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Organization's Mission	The Cathedral Choir School of Delaware provides professional musical training, leadership potential, language skills, academic support and college-bound mentoring. Choir School staff and volunteers serve as advocates for these students to help guide them to success in academic, music and social endeavors.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ offer financial/fundraising insights</li> <li>➤ participate in Choir School activities</li> <li>➤ serve on one or more committees</li> <li>➤ attend monthly board meetings</li> <li>➤ support the program financially</li> <li>➤ increase awareness of the Choir School benefits in the community</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Board terms are three years</li> <li>○ Meetings are 5:30 to 7:00 pm</li> </ul>

Organization	A Center for Relational Living, Inc.
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Organization's Mission	ACRL's core values of compassion, equality, and trust derive from a vision of people able to relate positively and freely among races, classes and genders. The mission of ACRL is to facilitate building healthy relationships between individuals and groups to strengthen Delaware communities.
Board Position Description	<p>Treasurer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ reviews the work of our volunteer bookkeeper</li> <li>➤ chairs the finance committee</li> <li>➤ presents all financial reports at the monthly board meeting</li> </ul> <p>Potential Board Member</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ to help steer the organization</li> <li>➤ to set policy</li> <li>➤ to serve on the Board/Committees, and</li> <li>➤ to help with fund raising</li> <li>➤ We need volunteers who are free at these times: occasional</li> <li>➤ This volunteer opportunity is available to the following types of volunteers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Adults (26 to 65+)</li> </ul> </li> <li>➤ Board Meeting Location: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Community Services Building, Suite 614</li> <li>▪ 100 w. 10<sup>th</sup> St.</li> <li>▪ Wilmington, DE 19801</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

A Center for Relational Living, Inc.

Additional Information

- A Center for Relational Living (ACRL) is a charitable non-profit organization, granted 501c3 status in 2007.
- Currently ACRL is staffed by a volunteer executive director, a Delaware Public Ally, and an AmeriCorps Vista. It is located in the Community Services Building in urban Wilmington, Delaware with outreach locations in Bethel Villa Community Computer Lab in eastside Wilmington and in the Job Center of the Wilmington Library.
- ACRL's only program, Second Chances, is designed to serve unemployed men and women with a criminal background who live in the poorest of neighborhoods in Wilmington and other cities in northern New Castle County.
- The purpose of Second Chances is to help our enrolled participants not re-offend and/or return to prison, but instead build a sustainable life as defined by employment, through one-on-one and group mentoring relationships.
- "Mentoring" is defined as a developmental relationship in which a person more experienced in successfully navigating society's "mainstream culture" assists a less experienced individual with a prison record.
- Another major component of Second Chances provides employment readiness and job placement mentoring and services. Client participants are referred to Second Chances by agencies or individuals, or find the program through an internet search which leads them to the ACRL website.

Organization	ContactLifeline, Inc
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Organization's Mission	To keep people alive and safe, to help them through crises, and to connect them with relevant community resources. Our vision is a world free of sexual violence and suicide, a world that promotes healthy self-care and healthy relationships, and a world that offers a connection for people to seek help and resources.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ participate in strategic planning</li> <li>➤ provide financial oversight</li> <li>➤ assist with fundraising</li> <li>➤ meet monthly for 2 hours</li> <li>➤ serve a 3 year term</li> <li>➤ help recruit board members</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The board meetings are held in North Wilmington.</li> <li>○ We are a volunteer based organization.</li> <li>○ ContactLifeline is a 24 hour Crisis Hotline for suicide, sexual assault, information, referral, and listening ear.</li> <li>○ ContactLifeline provides counseling to survivors of sexual violence and their families and is also Sexual Assault Network of Delaware (SAND).</li> </ul>



Organization	Delaware Center for Horticulture
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Organization's Mission	The Delaware Center for Horticulture cultivates a greener community; inspiring appreciation and improvement of our environment through horticulture, education and conservation.
Board Position Description	<p>Interests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ urban revitalization, plants, greening, and/or community development.</li> </ul> <p>Responsibilities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ maintain active membership;</li> <li>➤ prepare for (by reading materials provided) and attend six regularly scheduled Board meetings a year;</li> <li>➤ participate on a committee;</li> <li>➤ contribute to Annual Campaign;</li> <li>➤ act as an advocate for The DCH;</li> <li>➤ attend events at least periodically</li> </ul> <p>Skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ HR expertise currently but professionals of all kinds are welcome</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Major program areas: Urban Agriculture and Community Gardens, Trees, Public Landscapes and Education, are conducted primarily in low-moderate income areas throughout Wilmington.</li> <li>○ We have made good headway in increasing staff diversity and we wish to strengthen the diversity of our Board.</li> <li>○ Board members serve a 3-year term. Terms generally begin in November. Meetings usually are held at 4:30 pm on Mondays, six times/year.</li> </ul> <p>Inquiries welcome!</p>

Organization	Delaware Center for Justice, Inc.
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Organization's Mission	To create a safer, more secure Delaware. To achieve and preserve a high quality of justice.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ energetic, proactive, and enthusiastic board members</li> <li>➤ dedicated to building a more just and efficient criminal justice system in Delaware.</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The Delaware Center for Justice, Inc. is a non-profit United Way agency.</li> <li>○ We fulfill our mission through an extensive range of programs and services, public education, research, and advocacy.</li> </ul>

Organization	Delaware College of Art and Design
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Organization's Mission	To educate talented and dedicated students to become art makers, idea generators, problem solvers, and visual communicators who can redefine the way we perceive and experience the world around us.  To serve as a visible stakeholder, cultural anchor, and catalyst for the revitalization of downtown Wilmington.
Board Position Description	➤ Board members hold fiduciary and oversight responsibility for the College
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The Delaware College of Art and Design is a private, residential, non-profit, two-year institution offering A.F.A. degrees in six majors of Animation, Fine Arts, Graphic Design, Illustration, Interior Design, and Photography.</li> <li>○ The College was founded in 1997 in response to the city of Wilmington's RFP by a joint venture of the Pratt Institute of Brooklyn NY and the Corcoran College of Art and Design in Washington DC.</li> <li>○ The College is accredited by the Middle States Association on Higher Education and by the National Association of Schools of Art and Design. The student population on average is approximately 200 full-time students.</li> <li>○ Diversity among students yields a 40% minority population of primarily African American and Latino students, many first-generation college attendees.</li> <li>○ The College is located in the downtown central business district of Wilmington DE and is easily accessed by I-95 and served by Amtrak only six blocks to the south. DCAD is an essential part of Wilmington's revitalization as noted in the College's mission statement.</li> <li>○ In addition to the Board of Trustees, the College's Presidential Leadership Council aids in broadening awareness and with fundraising activities.</li> </ul>

Organization	The Delaware Contemporary
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Organization’s Mission	The Delaware Center for the Contemporary Arts (Now, The Delaware Contemporary) is a dynamic gathering place for the exploration of new ideas at the intersection of art, design, and technology.
Board Position Description	<p>Since The Delaware Contemporary’s compelling exhibitions, innovative educational experiences, and access to the artistic process inspire all to infuse creativity into daily life, we seek dynamic engagement from board members at The Delaware Contemporary.</p> <p>Brief description/expectations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ At large member of The Delaware Contemporary</li> <li>➤ Commitment to the mission of The Delaware Contemporary</li> <li>➤ 3-year term commitment</li> <li>➤ Fiduciary relationship to advance the charitable goals and protect The Delaware Contemporary’s assets</li> <li>➤ Contribute to the annual campaign</li> <li>➤ Serve on a standing committee</li> <li>➤ Outreach to the community</li> <li>➤ Assist in acquiring and maintaining resources—human or physical to advance the goals and objectives</li> <li>➤ Attend and support our major fundraising events</li> <li>➤ Attend other planned activities periodically</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The Board of Directors meets every other month on the fourth Monday of the month at 5 PM.</li> <li>○ The Board of Directors holds an annual meeting in the spring.</li> <li>○ The Delaware Contemporary, a non-collecting museum since 1979, currently presents nearly 30 exhibitions annually of regionally, nationally, and internationally recognized artists.</li> <li>○ In addition to the exhibitions, The Delaware Contemporary commits to educational and community outreach through various programs, such as Artist Residencies with underserved community groups and Contemporary Connections, a model program that fuses art with schools’ core curriculums, offering fresh new ways to teach subjects such as math and science.</li> <li>○ The Delaware Contemporary has partnered in some way with more than 60 community groups and schools.</li> </ul>

Organization	Delaware ERANow
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Organization's Mission	Support women's equality through passage of an Equal Rights Amendment to the U. S. Constitution
Board Position Description	ERANow is always interested in seeking qualified members to serve on its Steering Committee
Additional Information	We are looking for articulate interested people of any age who will commit the time necessary to facilitate a multi-faceted campaign to build awareness among Delawareans about the need for the ERA.

Organization	Delaware Fund for Women
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Organization's Mission	Through collective philanthropy, the Fund for Women invests and advocates by bringing together our knowledge, passion, and commitment to empower women and girls in Delaware to achieve their potential.
Board Position Description	Marketing Committee Chair and Board of Trustees member <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ develop the strategic marketing plan for the FFW</li> <li>➤ ensure it is executed to help move the organization toward our goal of increasing our number of Founders while working in coordination of our county Development Chairs.</li> <li>➤ responsible for scheduling committee meetings</li> <li>➤ commit to becoming a Founder in the Fund for Women by making a \$1,000 pledge.</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Board currently meets 10 times a year; most board meetings are one hour.</li> <li>○ The organization is statewide; currently our board meetings are morning meetings (8 a.m.) and primarily held in NCC.</li> <li>○ Participation by conference call is possible when necessary.</li> </ul>

Organization	Delaware Guidance Services for Children and Youth, Inc.
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Organization's Mission	To provide quality mental health services to children and youth and their families.
Board Position Description	Directors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ to work with DGS staff to help identify and cultivate new partnerships, community support and potential funding sources.</li> <li>➤ to serve as an advocate of the DGS mission and clients.</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Directors generally are elected to serve an initial term of three years. New directors may be elected at any Board of Directors meeting and their first term will commence upon election, unless stated otherwise.</li> <li>○ A regular meeting of the Board of Directors shall be held quarterly the fourth Wednesday of the month. The Executive Committee will meet on a monthly basis with the exception of the months when the Board of Directors meets.</li> <li>○ Meetings of standing committees are held periodically as determined by the committee chairpersons or Board of Directors, but in no event shall be less than once per quarter. Standing committees include; Policy and Personnel Committee, Finance Committee, Facilities Committee, Investment Committee, Development Committee, Advocacy Committee and Board Governance Committee. Most meetings are held at noon on Tuesday's or Wednesdays.</li> </ul>

Organization	Delaware Interfaith Power and Light    DeIPL
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Organization’s Mission	DeIPL seeks to marshal the power of Delaware’s faith communities to promote environmental justice and ensure a livable planet for future generations.
Board Position Description	Treasurer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ works directly with the Executive Director and President of the Board to ensure accurate and appropriate financial reporting, including all required reporting to national office and tax reporting</li> <li>➤ hires and oversees bookkeeping service</li> <li>➤ tracks financial activities at project level</li> <li>➤ is the first point of contact with the Executive Director on all financial matters</li> <li>➤ reports to the Board at each regularly scheduled Board meeting, every other month, on the financial health of operations</li> <li>➤ presents annual budget to full board for approval</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The Green Empowerment Program is DeIPL’s signature initiative to achieve this mission. It is specifically, though not exclusively, targeted at low-income neighborhoods.</li> <li>○ Faith communities are engaged as Stewards of Creation to serve as demonstration sites and Learning Centers to educate members and the residents and businesses in adjoining neighborhoods on energy-related products, services, resources and behavior strategies.</li> </ul>



Organization	Delaware Shakespeare Festival
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Organization's Mission	To make Shakespeare accessible and fun by presenting affordable, high-quality classical theatre and education programs to the residents and visitors of the greater Delaware Valley.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ attend, prepare for and actively participate in Board meetings.</li> <li>➤ be active on at least one committee. Accept responsibility and follow through on commitments.</li> <li>➤ commit to supporting the Artistic Director and staff who are responsible for supervising the day-to-day operations of the Festival.</li> <li>➤ financially contribute to the Delaware Shakespeare Festival and work to ask or encourage others to do so also.</li> <li>➤ support DSF programs and special events by attending as many as possible.</li> <li>➤ understand and support DSF programs, Core Values, mission and Long Range Plan.</li> <li>➤ review and question reports that are shared with you.</li> <li>➤ be a responsible financial steward of the DSF finances by reviewing and understanding all financial reports.</li> <li>➤ be an ambassador for DSF at work, with friends and family and in association with others and enthusiastically promote and support the DSF.</li> <li>➤ avoid conflicts of interest and make DSF leadership aware of any that may exist.</li> <li>➤ maintain confidentiality in all matters that come before the Board.</li> <li>➤ use your skills and position to connect DSF needs with community resources (people, facilities, skills, knowledge, financial support etc.)</li> </ul>

## Delaware Shakespeare Festival

- Additional Information
- Founded in 2003 and located in Wilmington, Delaware, DSF annually presents one outdoor summer Shakespeare production at Rockwood Mansion Park, an informal, family-friendly environment
  - In 2013, DSF served 5,000 individual including 2,000 students through its various programs. In the summer of 2014, DSF will celebrate the 450th anniversary of Shakespeare's birth by presenting the Bard's most famous play, **HAMLET**.
  - **Education and Outreach Programs**
  - **Family Nights**, evening performances free-of-charge to children 12 and under. These nights offered activities for children to enhance their understanding of the play they were about to experience.
  - During the school year, DSF offers **Shakespeare: Then, Now, and Always (STNA)**, an in-school visit program for high school and middle school students. STNA is specifically geared toward unlocking Shakespeare's texts with performance-based techniques.
  - In 2008, DSF created **The Bridge to Literature** after a judge from the Family Court of Delaware asked the company to provide workshops and performances for at-risk youth.
  - DSF also offers **apprenticeships for college students** who wish to start their careers before graduation.

Organization	Delaware Symphony Association (DSA), d.b.a, Delaware Symphony Orchestra
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Organization's Mission	The Delaware Symphony Orchestra is dedicated to enriching lives through inspiring musical experiences.
Board Position Description	Directors must be DSA Members (\$300 min. annual contribution), but are also expected to fulfill the following expectations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ serve on one or more board committees</li> <li>➤ attend board meetings</li> <li>➤ appreciate symphonic music</li> <li>➤ give/get at least \$2,500 annually (including Membership)</li> <li>➤ buy concert tickets, attend a majority of DSO concerts, invite others, and help identify other ticket sales opportunities.</li> </ul> These expectations are guidelines and considered aspirational. The Nominating and Governance Committee has the discretion to allow exceptions.
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The DSA is governed by a Board of Directors, elected by DSA Members at the Annual Meeting held in June.</li> <li>○ Director vacancies can be filled by the Board during the course of a year; these appointees' elections are ratified at the next Annual Meeting.</li> <li>○ Board meetings take place monthly from September through June.</li> <li>○ Currently, meetings are held Mondays at 5:30 pm at Community Service Building 100 W. 10<sup>th</sup> Street Wilmington, DE 19801</li> </ul>

Organization	Denmark School
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Organization’s Mission	To provide a structural environment that integrates an academically rigorous curriculum with socially developed activities to prepare preschool scholars for kindergarten.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ expertise in financial management to create and monitor the budget, produce monthly financial statements and help to identify sources of income</li> <li>➤ fundraising experience</li> <li>➤ marketing skills to assist with web and social media presence and marketing plan</li> <li>➤ strategic planning experience</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The Denmark School was founded by the board members of Marion T. Academy Charter School.</li> <li>○ Board meets monthly, the last Thursday of the month beginning at 6:00 pm.</li> </ul>

Organization	Family Counseling Center of St. Paul's
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Organization's Mission	To provide compassionate, affordable, accessible and culturally competent mental/behavioral health counseling to help ensure the sustainability of children, adolescents, adults, and families in our community.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ to create and review a statement of mission and purpose that articulates the organization's goals, means, and primary constituents.</li> <li>➤ to help the board reach consensus on the Executive Director's responsibilities.</li> <li>➤ to assist in developing the annual budget and ensuring that proper financial controls are in place.</li> <li>➤ to provide adequate resources for the organization to fulfill its mission.</li> <li>➤ to be responsible for ensuring adherence to legal standards and ethical norms.</li> <li>➤ to actively participate in an overall planning process and assist in implementing and monitoring the plan's goals.</li> <li>➤ to articulate prerequisites for candidates, orient new members, and periodically and comprehensively evaluate its own performance.</li> <li>➤ to articulate the organization's mission, accomplishments, and goals to the public and garner support from the community.</li> <li>➤ to determine which programs are consistent with the mission and to monitor their effectiveness.</li> <li>➤ to ensure that the Executive Director has the moral and professional support he or she needs to further the goals of the organization.</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<p><b>Our Vision</b> is to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ help diminish linguistic, cultural, financial, and stigmatic barriers surrounding mental health;</li> <li>○ help close the gap in delivery of these services caused by the severe shortage of bilingual, culturally competent counselors; and,</li> <li>○ help close the gap between those insured and those who lack coverage.</li> </ul>

Organization	Family Promise of Northern New Castle County, Inc.
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Organization's Mission	Family Promise of Northern New Castle County prevents and ends homelessness for families with children by engaging faith-based congregations, volunteers and donors.
Board Position Description	<p>Board members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ set policy;</li> <li>➤ steer Family Promise NNCC;</li> <li>➤ help with fundraising and relationship cultivation; and</li> <li>➤ serve on at least one committee.</li> </ul> <p>Committees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Finance</li> <li>➤ Development</li> <li>➤ Public Relations (new)</li> <li>➤ Congregational Relations</li> <li>➤ Personnel</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Collectively, the board is responsible for the governance and financial solvency of the organization. Internal board committees include our Executive Committee (President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary) and our Planning &amp; Evaluation Committee.</li> <li>○ Board Meetings are held the second Thursday of every month, 6:30pm at Family Promise NNCC 2104 St. James Church Rd. Wilmington, DE 19808</li> <li>○ We envision a community in which every family has a home, a livelihood, and the resources for lasting independence.</li> <li>○ Family Promise NNCC is extremely effective, transitioning over 80% of families into permanent housing in less than eight weeks. We have a small staff and engage approximately 800 volunteers in the rotational hospitality network, providing shelter and food for our families. Our hands-on board of directors has facilitated our success.</li> <li>○ Family Promise NNCC will celebrate five years of operation in 2015 and this is a new phase of our journey</li> </ul>

Organization	Girl Scouts of the Chesapeake Bay
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Organization's Mission	Girl Scouts builds girls of courage confidence and character who make the world a better place.
Board Position Description	A person of high character and integrity who displays: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ a willingness to commit to a belief in the aims and purposes of the organization</li> <li>➤ skills and competencies in areas such as financial oversight fundraising and community relations</li> <li>➤ the ability to distinguish issues of governance as opposed to those of operations</li> <li>➤ a broad understanding of the Delmarva Peninsula and of the council's relationship to the community.</li> </ul>
Additional Information	A member of the Board of Directors must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Register with Girl Scouts of the USA.</li> <li>○ Attend Board meetings and accept at least one Board committee or task group assignment (conference calling available).</li> <li>○ Make Girl Scouts one of the top three organizations you financially support.</li> <li>○ Attend at least one Girl event each year.</li> <li>○ Participate in Association meetings when possible.</li> <li>○ Understand and question any actions that pertain to the Board's legal responsibilities.</li> <li>○ Understand accept and monitor the organization's philosophy on affirmative action equal opportunity and managing diversity.</li> <li>○ Assist in the council's fundraising efforts.</li> <li>○ Market the Girl Scout story to the greater community.</li> <li>○ Abstain from any actions that might lead to a "conflict of interest"</li> <li>○ Support all final decisions of the Board of Directors even if opposed during discussion.</li> <li>○ Refrain from becoming involved in day-to-day management of council operations.</li> </ul>

Organization	Girls Incorporated of Delaware
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Organization's Mission	To inspire all girls to be strong, smart & bold through life-changing programs and experiences that help girls navigate gender, economic, and social barriers. To provide research-based curricula which is delivered by trained, mentoring professionals in a positive all-girl environment. To focus many programs around STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) education to ensure that girls are developing the 21 <sup>st</sup> century skills necessary for academic and career success.
Board Position Description	Responsibilities can be best understood organized under three categories: governance, strategy and fund development. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ meetings 6 times per year that board members can attend in person or by phone</li> <li>➤ serve on a working committee (Finance, Development/Marketing, Governance or Strategic Planning). Working committees typically meet 6 times per year – on occasion, additional meetings may be necessary.</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ A typical board member term is 3 years. We do have some abbreviated terms available due to vacancies.</li> <li>○ Board members can serve 2 consecutive terms.</li> <li>○ Additional programs address pregnancy prevention, drug/alcohol resistance, media literacy, economic skills, violence prevention, sports participation, and leadership skills.</li> </ul>



Organization	Healthy Foods for Healthy Kids
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Organization's Mission	To design and implement food and garden-based educational programs for Delaware schools that support content standards and promote student health.
Board Position Description	Board Members and volunteers that have experience in <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ nonprofit governance</li> <li>➤ finance</li> <li>➤ fundraising</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Founded in 2008 as a grassroots organization, we have been a volunteer-run organization, and now seek to transition to a primarily staff-run organization.</li> <li>○ Meetings are held monthly from 5:30-7:30pm in the Newark area, usually on the first Thursday of the month.</li> <li>○ We are a state leader in school vegetable gardening programs with a vision to inspire and motivate youth to develop lifelong wholesome eating habits by experiencing the joy of growing, cooking, and eating garden-fresh vegetables.</li> <li>○ We are the only organization in Delaware that works with public schools to design and implement hands-on and curriculum-based vegetable gardening programs, that operate during school hours, fit into the academic year, and support the existing Delaware science curriculum.</li> <li>○ We currently serve 21 public schools in Delaware, located mainly in Wilmington, Newark, and New Castle.</li> </ul>

Organization	Kingswood Community Center, Inc.
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Organization’s Mission	To enable people in Northeast Wilmington and surrounding communities to achieve their potential economic, social and personal well-being.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Attorney: preferably from Young Conaway (work with Kingswood for years)</li> <li>➤ Accountant: Treasurer or Finance Committee Chair</li> <li>➤ Builder: Building and Facilities Management</li> <li>➤ Banker: CRA preferably from TD or Capitol One work with them over the last 10 years.</li> <li>➤ Business Community: from the surrounding small business owner</li> <li>➤ Community Person: Member of the community who has lived the struggle of the North East area.</li> <li>➤ Elected Official: Senator Henry or her designee, or one of the Council, City, State or Federal Officials.</li> <li>➤ Housing: Delaware State Housing Authority/Wilmington Housing Authority.</li> <li>➤ New Castle County: Penrose Hollins or a designee</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The Board Membership is nonexistent at this time.</li> <li>○ Our long term plan is to critically examine present programs and assess future needs of these programs and the center at large.</li> <li>○ Our plan will then serve as a driving force behind Kingswood's vision for future growth and development</li> </ul>

Organization	League of Women Voters of Delaware
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Organization's Mission	The League of Women Voters is a nonpartisan political organization which encourages informed and active participation of citizens in government. It influences public policy through education and advocacy. We never support or oppose any political party or candidate.
Board Position Description	At large for several standing committees – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li style="display: inline-block; width: 45%;">Finance</li> <li style="display: inline-block; width: 45%;">Land Use &amp; Transportation</li> <li style="display: inline-block; width: 45%;">Natural Resources</li> <li style="display: inline-block; width: 45%;">Membership</li> <li style="display: inline-block; width: 45%;">Communications</li> <li style="display: inline-block; width: 45%;">Nominating</li> <li style="display: inline-block; width: 45%;">Manufactured Housing</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Other committees are appointed as necessary.</li> <li>➤ Board members are encouraged to join at least one committee.</li> <li>➤ All Board Members are asked to assist in governance and in the general promotion of the League.</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ We are actively seeking women of color for our board with the hope that they will help us attract women of color to our general membership.</li> <li>○ The board meets in Dover every third Thursday of the month (except July and December) from 6 to 9 PM.</li> <li>○ Board officers and at-large members are elected at our bi-annual conventions in May and serve two year terms. There are no term limits.</li> <li>○ The League of Women Voters has two separate and distinct roles. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">Voters Service/Citizen Education</a>: we present unbiased nonpartisan information about elections, the voting process, and issues.</li> <li><a href="#">Action/Advocacy</a>: although we are nonpartisan, after study, we use our positions to advocate for or against particular policies in the public interest.</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ We finance our voter service and citizen education activities from the Education Fund of the League of Women Voters of Delaware, which is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit educational corporation.</li> <li>○ The League of Women Voters, a membership organization, conducts action and advocacy and is a nonprofit 501(c)(4) corporation.</li> </ul>

Organization	Literacy Volunteers Serving Adults
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Organization's Mission	To offer targeted instruction to adults with limited literacy and English language skills.  To assist adult learners to realize their potential as confident, self-sufficient, and productive employees, family members and contributors to their communities.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ to serve as Treasurer (urgent need)</li> <li>➤ to regularly attend meetings, 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month</li> <li>➤ to provide governance for the organization</li> <li>➤ to generate finances for the organization</li> <li>➤ Term is for two years and can be renewed</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Committee membership – i. e. Fund Development, Scrabble, Nominating</li> </ul>

***Celebrating 30 years of building strong communities through literacy!!!***

Organization	Meals On Wheels Delaware
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Organization's Mission	To raise private funds for allocation to member agencies with meal delivery programs.  To provide both financial and human resources to ensure uninterrupted delivery of meals to senior Delawareans in the comfort of their homes.  To help seniors to remain independent, maintain good health, live life with dignity free of worry on where their next hot meal will come from.
Committee Position Description	Volunteers for planning committee: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Our new fall Fundraising event, The Ultimate Tailgate. The event is scheduled for Thursday October 22, at the Sheraton Wilmington South from 6 to 9PM.</li> <li>➤ The planning committee will meet approximately once a month between now and October.</li> <li>➤ As a committee member you will work with our Director of Events, the Event Chair, and other committee members to bring together a successful, innovative and fun event.</li> <li>➤ Based on your interests and area of expertise you will contribute to bringing in local Sponsors, recruiting area restaurants, reaching out for additional items for the event auction, or general planning and support on the day of the event.</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Meals On Wheels Delaware has a preference to invite volunteers to join the Board who have demonstrated their commitment to working to end senior hunger and to the goals of Meals On Wheels Delaware through prior involvement with the organization. If you are interested to learn more about what we do and benefit local seniors this is a great first step to join together with Meals On Wheels Delaware.</li> <li>○ Meals On Wheels Delaware is a nonprofit organization working with five meal-providing agencies and thousands of volunteers from corporations, civic, religious and community groups across the state of Delaware. Together, the program provides and delivers meals every day to over 4,000 homebound seniors. In fact, in 2013 volunteers delivered over 710,000 meals throughout the state.</li> <li>○ Meals On Wheels Delaware provides additional financial and volunteer resources to meal-providing agencies to ensure that seniors throughout Delaware are able to receive the support they need when they need it most.</li> <li>○ Meals On Wheels provides more than a hot meal...it also provides the gift of health, independence, and companionship to homebound seniors in Delaware.</li> </ul>

Organization	Mid-Atlantic Ballet Academy
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Organization's Mission	To foster an environment in which all dancers can develop their <b>Minds</b> by gaining an appreciation of the <b>Arts</b> as well as train their <b>Bodies</b> through classical ballet, dance instruction and superior performances.
Board Position Description	Board Member At-Large <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ help steer the strategic goals of the organization</li> <li>➤ engage community and potential MAB partnerships</li> <li>➤ help with fundraising</li> <li>➤ lead board functions and committees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Marketing</li> <li>• Development ad Partnerships</li> <li>• Performances</li> <li>• Social Media</li> <li>• Plant and Facilities</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Additional Information	○ Founded in 1997, MAB is a nonprofit pre-professional ballet conservatory.

Organization	Montessori Works
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Organization's Mission	To increase accessible, authentic, quality Montessori education in Delaware.  To make Montessori programs a more broadly available option in the public arena
Board Position Description	➤ motivated, engaged board members to bring our vision to reality
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Are you entrepreneurial?</li> <li>○ Interested in the Montessori Method of education?</li> <li>○ Want to help bring it to a wider audience in a public setting?</li> <li>○ Join us in the creation of Montessori Works, an organization dedicated to the expansion of accessible Montessori in Delaware.</li> </ul>

Organization	Pieces of a Dream, Inc.
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Organization's Mission	<p>Dedicated to the development of artists and to the presentation of original, non-traditional works.</p> <p>To explore contemporary societal issues through the medium of dance to engage the community and provide opportunities for discussion and education.</p> <p>To support the holistic well-being of our artists by fostering creativity as well as education in pertinent life issues such as financial literacy, collaboration and healthy relationships.</p>
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Attend all Pieces of a Dream, Inc. Board of Directors meetings, which are held on a monthly basis.</li> <li>➤ Use their contacts in the community to further the betterment of Pieces of a Dream, Inc.</li> <li>➤ Have an active involvement in fundraising drives, by submitting names and contacting potential individual, small business, and corporate donors on behalf of Pieces of a Dream, Inc.</li> <li>➤ Contribute financially to Pieces of a Dream, Inc.; there is no minimum donation requirement, but the contribution should be significant to the individual.</li> <li>➤ Use their resources and affiliations to garner performance opportunities for Pieces of a Dream Dance Theatre and the young adult company, P*D 2.</li> <li>➤ Make an earnest attempt to be at attendance at every Pieces of a Dream, Inc. event and performance.</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Pieces of a Dream, Inc. events vary in nature, but the primary tasks, beyond basic planning, include selling tickets and promoting the event. It is anticipated that each Director be reasonably and earnestly committed to the work of Pieces of a Dream, Inc.</li> <li>○ Pieces of a Dream, Inc. is a modern dance company, comprised of an adult company and a second company of middle and high school students.</li> <li>○ In addition to performances, Pieces of a Dream, Inc. also has a popular Arts in Education program. Members of the dance company provide dance instruction to elementary, middle, and high school students at schools and community centers throughout New Castle County.</li> </ul>



Organization	Planned Parenthood of Delaware 625 N. Shipley St. Wilmington, DE 19801
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Organization's Mission	To ensure the right of all individuals to access appropriate information and the services necessary to make and act on personal decisions related to their own reproduction, sexuality and health.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ to attend and participate in Board meetings and in the work of at least one standing Board committee</li> <li>➤ to understand and support the mission of PPDE. Board members are ambassadors for PPDE, broadening the reach and network of PPDE in the community</li> <li>➤ to contribute financially to PPDE according to their ability, and participate in the fundraising and advocacy activities of PPDE</li> </ul> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">A fuller explanation will be provided to candidates at the appropriate time.</p>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ A large percentage of PPDE's clients are uninsured, low-income women who depend on PPDE for gynecologic exams, birth control and STD testing, but lack any funds to pay for those crucial services. PPDE not only serves these uninsured or under-insured women, as well as other men and women who have insurance or other ability to pay, but also provides in our schools innovative sex educational programs aimed at lowering the incidence of STD's and pregnancies among our teens. Through its public affairs group, PPDE also advocates for these constituencies and promotes legislation and policies at the state and local level to advance the mission of Planned Parenthood.</li> </ul>

## Planned Parenthood of Delaware

### Additional Information

- We are looking for potential Board members who wish to join in the important and exciting work of our Board. There is no list of minimum qualifications for Board membership at PPDE and each candidate is evaluated individually in terms of the value that he or she might uniquely bring to the work of the Board. However, those best suited will be highly motivated individuals with the capacity to participate meaningfully in the governance and leadership of a highly complex, multimillion dollar organization, and with a passion for making the world a better place through the advancement of PPDE's mission.
- We have an energetic, welcoming and highly motivated Board that is diverse and inclusive in its composition, but wishes to involve additional men and women of color in the important work of our Board. Did you know for instance, that Delaware has the second highest rate of teen pregnancies in the nation? The Board is committed to supporting the PPDE staff in its efforts to educate our State's teens in order to reduce this unacceptably high rate of teen pregnancy.

Organization	Sojourners' Place
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Organization's Mission	To assist homeless women and men on their journey to self-sufficiency through a case-managed, residential program.
Board Position Description	Director <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Attend monthly board meetings</li> <li>➤ to serve on one or two committees</li> <li>➤ passion for the cause: help with fund raising, 5K, annual dinner, programs for residents</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Board meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month @ 5:45 p.m.</li> <li>○ 2 year term</li> <li>○ Further interest, I will be more than happy to meet to answer all questions.</li> </ul>

Organization	Street Xpressions Arts Organization
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Organization's Mission	<p>Poised and dedicated to the professional development of artists of the street and hip hop culture.</p> <p>Shine a new positive light on the Delaware underground culture.</p> <p>Provide an outlet to artists and quality classes to those who wish to learn dance, spray painting, photography, radio, etc.</p>
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Attend all Street Xpressions Arts Organization Board of Directors meetings, which are held on a monthly basis.</li> <li>➤ Use their contacts in the community to further the mission of Street Xpressions Arts Organization.</li> <li>➤ Have an active involvement in fundraising drives, by submitting names and contacting potential individual, small business, and corporate donors on behalf of Street Xpressions Arts Organization.</li> <li>➤ Contribute financially to Street Xpressions Arts Organization.</li> <li>➤ Maintain active attendance at Street Xpressions Arts Organization events.</li> </ul>

Organization	Underground Railroad Coalition of Delaware
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Organization's Mission	To provide a forum to promote and preserve the authentic history of the Underground Railroad in Delaware.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ member with expertise in financial management, to work with our treasurer in creating and monitoring the budget, producing quarterly financial reviews for the board, and helping the board to identify sources of income to sustain the mission.</li> <li>➤ member with marketing skills to assist with web and social media presence, and organizational marketing plan.</li> <li>➤ term is three years; currently, there are no limits to consecutive terms that may be served.</li> <li>➤ board elections occur at the Annual Meeting at the end of April</li> <li>➤ board meets for business approximately 6 times per year</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The board size is 15 members; officers include president, vp, treasurer, corresponding secretary and recording secretary.</li> <li>○ The URCD has been a membership organization for one year. The number of members is under 50 at present; the contact list receiving email news is approximately 300 addresses.</li> <li>○ The Nominating subcommittee would be happy to receive emails or letters of interest at this time (please send to me and I will forward). Any seats that remain vacant after April can be filled at any time by appointment until the next election.</li> </ul>

## Underground Railroad Coalition of Delaware

- Additional Information
- The Coalition produces four public programs per year (at minimum) at various locations throughout the state, at which board attendance is strongly encouraged.
  - The Coalition also participates in several festivals during the year (by invitation), where board members and Coalition members staff an information/activity table. Last year, for example, the URCD participated in Old Dover Days and in the Cabot Community festivals.

The URCD was officially established in 2002; received 501(c)3 status in February 2012; has controlled own finances for about one year. The URCD was previously under the administration of the City of Wilmington for the purposes of providing an approved accounting system and match for a major grant from the National Park Service, National Underground Railroad Network to Freedom. The grant was successfully concluded, and the URCD is proceeding with taking over functions formerly provided by an assigned administrator. The URCD seeks a strong board with skilled, task oriented members with technical expertise and passion for the subject matter. As diversity and cooperation were essential to the success of the Underground Railroad, the board seeks the same qualities in membership and board directors.

Organization	Urban Bike Project								
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Organization's Mission	To serve the community's needs by educating and promoting cycling as a safe, practical, cost-efficient mode of transportation.  To provide a means for the public to become more self-sufficient both in bicycle maintenance and transportation.  To foster a greater sense of awareness in motorists, pedestrians, and the community at large.								
Board Position Description	The skills that we are looking for to meet our needs are  <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;">-Accounting</td> <td style="width: 50%;">-Outreach/PR</td> </tr> <tr> <td>-Community Leadership</td> <td>-Education/Youth development</td> </tr> <tr> <td>-Advocacy</td> <td>-City planning</td> </tr> <tr> <td>-Law</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	-Accounting	-Outreach/PR	-Community Leadership	-Education/Youth development	-Advocacy	-City planning	-Law	
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Organization	Volunteer Delaware 50+ Advisory Council, Sussex County
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Organization's Mission	to engage persons 50 and older in volunteer service to meet critical community needs and to provide a high quality experience that will enrich the lives of volunteers.
Board Position Description	To assist other Advisory Council members To support the staff to achieve its mission via <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ publicity,</li> <li>➤ fund raising (grant writing experience),</li> <li>➤ recruiting new members,</li> <li>➤ recognition of volunteers, and</li> <li>➤ communication.</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The organization was a former RSVP organization.</li> <li>○ The choice was made to not continue with RSVP, but stand alone as a state of Delaware organization and we just made our transition to Volunteer Delaware 50+.</li> <li>○ Our Advisory Council is the non-profit arm of our organization.</li> </ul>



Organization	Wilmington Institute Library
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Organization's Mission	To provide a dynamic information resource designed to satisfy the educational, cultural and literary needs of the public.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ to serve the board as a voting member</li> <li>➤ to develop policies, procedures and regulations for the operation of the Library.</li> <li>➤ to generate finances/resources for the organization and monitor its programs and performance</li> <li>➤ term is three years</li> <li>➤ to regularly attend meetings as scheduled (about 6 per year)</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<p><b>Library Goals: Four A's</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ To improve the <b>AVAILABILITY</b> and quality of the Library's collections and services to Library users in all service areas.</li> <li>○ To improve the <b>ACCESSIBILITY</b> of the Library's collections, services and physical facilities for the community.</li> <li>○ To improve the quality of <b>ADMINISTRATIVE</b> control of the Library's collections and services by providing state-of-the-art automated systems which guarantee fast, accurate and productive information for patrons and staff.</li> <li>○ To improve the community's <b>AWARENESS</b> of the Library's collections, services and needs.</li> </ul>

Organization	YMCA of Delaware
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Organization's Mission	The YMCA of Delaware strives to cultivate the human potential, self-esteem, and dignity of all people. Our organization exists to develop and practice the Christian principles of love, caring, inclusiveness, justice and peace...and to enrich the emotional, physical and social life of all individuals, families and our community.
Board Position Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Regularly attends board meetings and important related meetings.</li> <li>➤ Makes serious commitment to participate actively in committee work.</li> <li>➤ Volunteers for and willingly accepts assignments and completes them thoroughly and on time.</li> <li>➤ Stays informed about committee matters, prepares themselves well for meetings, and reviews and comments on minutes and reports.</li> <li>➤ Gets to know other committee members and builds a collegial working relationship that contributes to consensus.</li> <li>➤ Is an active participant in the committee's annual evaluation and planning efforts.</li> <li>➤ Participates in fund raising for the organization through a personally significant gift and actively working to solicit others to do the same</li> <li>➤ Is a positive and enthusiastic advocate for the organization and its mission</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Due to our size and the scope of our services there are many opportunities to serve on boards and committees. There are local boards associated with our different branch locations in Rehoboth, Dover, Wilmington, North Wilmington, and Newark.</li> <li>○ These boards have a local focus and work to serve in the community in which they live or work.</li> <li>○ Our Association Board is the statewide governing board and seeks to advance the work of the YMCA throughout the state.</li> </ul>

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