

INVEST IN NEIGHBORHOODS BOARD OF TRUSTEES APPLICATION

Confidential Application for Invest in Neighborhoods Board Trustees

We are honored that you are interested in serving as a member **of Invest in Neighborhoods Board of Trustees.**

With a mission dedicated to serving the public, we seek a broad-based Board that includes community professionals, those in financial services, as well as public members. We also seek a diverse Board as defined by race, ethnicity, gender, religion, age, disability, appearance, geographic location, professional experience, socioeconomic status, etc., all of which represents the fabric of our communities and the wide range of constituencies that we serve. Trustees guide the organization's policy direction in an effort to ensure that we accomplish our mission.

Thank you for considering Board of Trustee involvement. We are aware of the personal time and energy that you will be putting into this important aspect of building a stronger Board and thus, a stronger Cincinnati community.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____ DOB: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City _____ Zip _____

Occupation and employer (if retired, former): _____

Please answer the following questions:

1. What interests you about joining our organization?

2. Please provide three to five specific reasons, or unique qualifications, you may have that distinguishes you from other leading candidates.

3. What do you see as the most pressing issues facing Cincinnati communities over the next 3-5 years? Why?

4. If selected to serve on the Board of Trustees, on which areas or Committees do you believe you would make the greatest contribution (Please select all that apply)?

- Community Outreach & Engagement
- Training or technical assistance
- Financial
- Governance
- Fundraising/Development
- Board Development
- Neighborhood Summit/Events
- Marketing and Communications
- City legislative
- Volunteer Recruiting/management

5. The IIN Board strives to be governed by a diverse Board of Trustees who advances our mission to serve the leadership of the community councils. When we talk about diversity, we mean a number of different factors such as: location and/or professional level, race, ethnicity, age, gender, religion, sexual orientation, and other factors that enhance diversity and inclusion. In what ways is a diverse board important to you and how might you seek to enrich our diversity?

6. What other volunteer commitments do you currently have?

7. Have you previously served on other nonprofit organization boards? If so, please list them and any offices you held.

8. Do you have any personal or professional concerns or potential conflicts of interest (current or anticipated) that the Board should be aware of while considering your application? If so, please explain.

9. The Invest Board currently meets once a month on the second Monday at 5:30 p.m. Do you foresee any scheduling conflicts that might affect your attendance?

10. If you are not selected as a member of the Board of Trustees during this election cycle, what other volunteer opportunities might interest you? (Please select all that apply)?

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I hereby declare that everything stated on this form is correct and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please email your completed application, **with an attached bio** to:

invest@investinneighborhoods.com
subject: Board member application