

Director Application

To sit on the Board of Directors you must either live or work in Bruce, Grey, Huron or Perth County

First Name:	Last Name:
Address:	City:
	Postal Code:
County:	Home Phone:
Work Phone:	Email:
Place of Work:	Job Title:

Position Applying for: DIRECTOR REPRESENTING

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| Business in Bruce County | Labour in Bruce County |
| Business in Grey County | Labour in Grey County |
| Business in Huron County | Labour in Huron County |
| Business in Perth County | Labour in Perth County |
| Educator & Trainer in Bruce & Grey counties | Indigenous Peoples |
| Educator & Trainer in Huron & Perth counties | Ethnic Minorities |
| Persons with Disabilities | Youth |

Desired Skills (please select all that applies to you)

Knowledge/Expertise (Provide evidence where applicable)

Financial Literacy	The ability to understand conceptually the financial position of the organization as presented in its financial statements
Governance	Demonstrated experience of governance principles and practices
Strategic Planning	Ability to think critically about systemic issues and the role of the Planning Board in the four county region
Financial/Legal Expertise	Accreditation as a financial/legal professional
Government Relations	Understanding of the workings of government and ability to access government officials
Human Resources Strategy	Experience in planning and implementing human resource strategies in the workplace

Personal Characteristics

Available to participate in Board meetings and committees	Has sufficient availability to prepare for and attend meetings
Collegial	Able to work well with others, able to provide critique in a respectful manner, able to listen to those whose opinions differ from one's own
Committed to Continuous Improvement	Knowledgeable about the principles of change management
Consensus Builder	Able to see different perspectives and assist in identifying the common ground
Creative	Able to discern and propose responses or approaches to issues that are different from those already identified
Demonstrated continuous learning	Has undertaken specific activities in the recent past that show a commitment to lifelong learning
Effective Communicator	Able to articulate in a manner consistent with the requirements of the situation
Integrity	Ability to act consistently in accordance with a value system
Leader/Motivator	Experience supporting a group to meet its objectives
Respects and relates well to people of diverse backgrounds	Demonstrated ability to act appropriately with people from different perspectives, backgrounds, sectors, education levels, etc.
Sound judgement	Demonstrated analytical ability applied appropriately in a variety of situations
Strategist	Displays a strategic understanding of the economy, trends and broad business issues, including workforce development issues
Visibly takes ownership of and supports decisions of the Board	Outside Board meetings, speaks and acts in support of the actions taken by the Board, even when not in agreement with a specific decision

Please explain what you can bring to the table.

Please attach your Resume (optional):