

The Fauquier CHAMBER

**HELP
WANTED**

**The Fauquier
Chamber is looking
for Team Players,
Decision Makers &
Energetic People
to serve on the
Board of
Directors!**

The Vision

***Your source for growth and
support in a thriving and
interconnected business
community.***

The Mission

***Dedicated to the growth and
prosperity of local
businesses through building
relationships, advocating for
business, and providing
resources and support.***

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE BOARD

- Set the overall policy and strategic vision for the Fauquier Chamber of Commerce.
- Provide oversight, ensures resources and fulfills fiduciary duties
- Determine the goals of the Chamber.
- Provide adequate funding through the annual budget.
- Recommend and approve changes to bylaws and policies.
- Provide adequate facilities and equipment for Chamber operations.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE BOARD MEMBERS

- ALWAYS PROMOTE THE CHAMBER
- Exercise reasonable care when handling the business of the organization.
- Prepare for and attend monthly meetings of the Board and other meetings as assigned.
- Actively participate and stay informed of all Chamber events.
- Prioritize the interests of the organization over personal or professional interests.
- Disclose conflicts and make decisions aligned with the prosperity of the organization.
- Listen, think, express your opinion; vote your conscience – don't rubber stamp things; ask hard questions.
- Respond to questions and concerns you hear about the Chamber.
- Encourage any business you know who is not a current member to join the Chamber.
- Support member businesses.
- Support the operational expertise of Chamber Staff.

SKILLS OR KNOWLEDGE REQUIRED

- Fundamentals of not for profit business.
- Working understanding of the challenges facing the Fauquier business community.
- Willingness to address/discuss tough issues.
- Desire to improve the business climate of Fauquier County.

BENEFITS OF BEING A BOARD MEMBER

- Connect with influential business leaders and decision-makers.
- Help shape local economic policies and initiatives that benefit Fauquier businesses and residents.
- Gain leadership experience and enhance your strategic planning skills.
- Increase your company's profile and credibility within the local business community.
- Knowing you have an impactful role in the future of Fauquier business prosperity.

Contact Fauquier Chamber of Commerce at 540-347-4414 or email mailbox@fauquierchamber.org for information on how to submit your interest. All Board members must be affiliated with a membership in good standing with the Fauquier Chamber of Commerce