

# The Phillip Rush Center Volunteer Application – Board of Directors

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Full Name (Complete with titles)

Occupation

Address

Cell Phone  check if discretion is required

City

State

Zip

Day Phone  check if discretion is required

E-mail Address

Evening Phone  check if discretion is required

Ethnicity

Date of Birth

Gender Identity

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Why would you like to serve on the Rush Center board of directors?

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What would you be able to contribute to the Rush Center and its long-term goals?

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Please list the current and past work you have done with other non-profit organizations. Include volunteer positions and board positions you have held.

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How much time can you contribute to Rush Center activities? What professional or personal constraints on your time or service might you anticipate?

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**What expectations do you have from an organization's management when you serve on a board?**

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**What are your personal dreams or aspirations that could be enhanced by service on our board?**

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**Are you willing to make a personally-significant financial contribution to the Rush Center?**

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**How do you feel about performance evaluations of individual board members and boards as a group?**

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**Rush Center Board members can act in three primary roles: ambassador, organizer, and asker. In which role(s) will you want to be most active?**

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**Describe your educational/career background and the skills and talents you believe would benefit our board. You may choose to attach a resume.**

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Are you currently serving on any other non-profit board(s)?  
(If yes, please describe)

YES

NO

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Please check any of the board activity areas in which you are interested:

Fundraising

Finance

Human resources

Board development

Strategic planning

Commercial real estate

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### Board Expectations

The board holds regular face-to-face meetings (generally monthly). Board members will miss no more than 3 board meetings, and no more than 2 consecutive meetings, during a 12-month period. Board members are also expected to attend designated Rush Center events, including major fundraising events, volunteer appreciation events, and Board retreats.

Board members are asked to actively participate on at least one committee. Members are encouraged to serve as a committee chair for at least one committee during each term. Board members are expected to make a personally-significant, individual financial contribution to the Rush Center. Board members are also expected to fundraise through their networks and in coordinated Rush Center fundraising initiatives.

Board members are elected to a 2-year term and may be elected to multiple terms.

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By signing here, you indicate your desire to serve a minimum of 2 years on the Rush Center Board, and that you will fulfill the **Board Expectations** should you be elected to serve

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_