

Board Effectiveness Survey

Board Member Questions

* 1. How enjoyable do you find your board work?

Extremely Enjoyable	Enjoyable	Neutral	Unenjoyable	Extremely Unenjoyable
<input type="radio"/>				

If you chose "unenjoyable" or "extremely unenjoyable," please explain why.

* 2. Being a part of a nonprofit board includes several key responsibilities. As an individual board member, how comfortable do you feel when asked to do each of the following?

	Very Comfortable	Comfortable	Neutral	Uncomfortable	Very Uncomfortable
Strategic Oversight	<input type="radio"/>				
Program Oversight (includes key responsibility of program planning/implementation)	<input type="radio"/>				
Fundraising	<input type="radio"/>				
Volunteering in Key Areas	<input type="radio"/>				
Marketing/Telling the Organization's Story	<input type="radio"/>				
Governance and Policy Oversight	<input type="radio"/>				
Financial Oversight	<input type="radio"/>				

Please comment on your selections, if interested.

* 3. What were the main motivations behind your decision to join the board? (Select all that apply)

- To serve the organization and contribute to its success
- To contribute to society
- Because the organization asked me to join
- To advance my personal interests
- To fulfill a need to volunteer
- To make a professional connection
- To make a personal connection
- Other (please specify)

* 4. Good nonprofit boards have a number of common-sense enablers in place to allow them to work effectively and productively. Please rate the board against these key enablers.

	Strongly Agree	Somewhat Agree	Neutral	Somewhat Disagree	Strongly Disagree
Board size is appropriate	<input type="radio"/>				
Board has appropriate committees with clear charters	<input type="radio"/>				
Board composition is appropriate	<input type="radio"/>				
Board has effective processes for identifying, cultivating and integrating new members	<input type="radio"/>				
The right leaders are in place as board chair and committee chairs	<input type="radio"/>				
Board has an effective process for selecting, developing and transitioning new leaders	<input type="radio"/>				
Board has an effective process for evaluating itself as well as the CEO/ED	<input type="radio"/>				
Meeting calendars, advance materials and agendas support the board and committees	<input type="radio"/>				
Board/committee meetings are run well, e.g., start/end on time, give members a chance to engage in issues, ensure all voices are heard	<input type="radio"/>				
Board strikes the right balance between work and fun activities, including effective efforts to connect board members to the mission of the organization	<input type="radio"/>				
Board receives ongoing professional development	<input type="radio"/>				

If you disagree with any of the above, please share additional thoughts to explain your answers.

5. If you could change one thing about the board, what would it be?