

# **Unity Spiritual Center in the Rockies**

## **Board of Trustees – Selection Guidelines**

### **Qualifications per Association of Unity Churches**

1. Desires to serve on the Board of Trustees.
2. Endeavors to live in accord with the Christ principles of love and truth as taught by Unity.
3. Furthers this Ministry through active interest, love, and financial support.
4. Is a sincere and continuing student of Unity, conversant with its teachings.
5. Has demonstrated leadership capabilities.
6. Has the ability, time, and prayerful commitment to fulfill the duties as listed below.
7. Has been an active member for one year, although this will not be purely exclusionary. This requirement may be waived if an insufficient number of candidates are available.
8. Agrees to a background check.

### **Process for Nomination/Application**

1. Present to the Nomination Committee, or Board of Trustees (depending on the opening), a Board of Trustees Application form.
2. The Nomination Committee will select the candidates to be voted on by the congregation during the annual meeting. If a person is nominated from the floor during congregational meetings, Board criteria will need to be reviewed with this candidate. If an opening occurs during the year, the Board of Trustees will vote on a new Board member. That person will fill the term of the previous Board member.

### **Duties**

1. Board members are expected to give of their time, talents, and financial support. The approximate time involvement is: 1) Three hours for Board meetings 2) One Sunday every four to five weeks to be “on duty” 3) Three to four hours for a particular liaison position 4) Once a year the Board will take a full Saturday for training. Certain Board positions may take more time than this. Board Training will take place shortly after the election.
2. To support all actions taken by the Board in a positive manner, even when they are in a minority position on the action. To present the Board decisions and policies at all times, even if personal opinions differ.
3. Members are expected to read, understand, and abide by the By-laws of Unity Spiritual Center in the Rockies.
4. Member is encouraged to have an ongoing daily prayer life.