



## Board of Director's Nomination Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Company Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_ How Long \_\_\_\_\_

Member Since \_\_\_\_\_ Could you regularly attend Board meetings? \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

What other boards have you served?  
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Other organization affiliations \_\_\_\_\_

Describe what you see as the Chamber's role and purpose  
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Why would you be an asset to the membership and Board of Directors?  
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*If elected to the Board of Directors, I will comply with the Chamber's By-laws, Code of Ethics and Statement of Commitment to the best of my time and ability.*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## **BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT**

*If elected as a member of the Sterling Heights Regional Chamber of Commerce & Industry, I hereby agree to the best of my ability, to comply with the following:*

- Attend all regular and special board meetings (minimum of eight per year). No more than two unexcused absences will be considered acceptable without good reason. Per the By-laws, any director absent from three consecutive regular Board of Director meetings without good reason shall/may be dropped from Board membership. The By-laws further state that "A member of the Board of the Chamber of Commerce may not serve on a board or any committee of another Macomb County-based chamber of commerce. A person who is elected to the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce who is serving on a board or committee of another Macomb County-based chamber of commerce must resign his/her position on the board or committee of the other Macomb County-based chamber of commerce prior to taking his/her oath of office as a Board member of the Chamber of Commerce."
- The business you represent must have been a Chamber member in good standing for at least two years, remain a member in good standing, and you should have been employed there for a minimum of 18 months.
- Attend Chamber functions, i.e. luncheons, networking breakfasts, After 5's, support Chamber fundraisers, and volunteer at Sterlingfest and others events.
- Champion the Chamber and its advantages, and actively participate in the Board's policy decisions, offer new program and benefit ideas, be knowledgeable about the Chamber and its role as it pertains to business and the community at large.
- Maintain the confidence of all meetings of the Board of Directors and any related committees.
- Understand that the Board of Directors is the governing and policy making arm of the Chamber. They shall oversee the property, finances and affairs of the Chamber. They will not involve themselves with the day-to-day operations or with employee issues.
- Will be a key representative of a business/industry or have a specific expertise that will add to and round out the composition of the Board, so that it is representative of the Chamber membership.
- Ideally will have provided past service to the Chamber through involvement in Chamber committees, programs or activities.
- Will understand and appreciate your leadership position and the responsibilities it represents to Chamber members and the community at large.
- Will never use the Board position for your personal gain or benefit.

Name (printed) \_\_\_\_\_

Business Affiliation and Title \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_