

SOWER Ministry Trustee Responsibilities

A Trustee is responsible to the President, Board of Trustees, and the membership of the SOWER Ministry for oversight of the Ministry.

Responsibilities of Trustees:

To Self

1. Through prayer and Bible study, follow the leading of Christ
2. Through words and actions maintain the integrity of the SOWER Ministry.
3. Through guidelines and policies, uphold the SOWER Ministry foundational doctrine.
4. Pray for applicants, projects, host, staff, SOWER members, Trustees, Area Representatives (ARs) and Group Leaders (GLs).
5. Be true to yourself and those you represent.
6. Stay informed and involved in the Ministry.

To Members

1. Be available for questions, provide answers, and always show respect.
2. Make time for Q&A on projects and be responsive to suggestions and input.
3. Represent concerns and express ideas from the membership to the Board.

To the Board of Trustees

1. In all things, work to maintain the integrity of the SOWER Ministry.
2. Communicate openly, honestly, and in Christian love.
3. Review and respond in a timely manner to communications from the Trustees and SOWER Office.
4. Provide appropriate input for meeting agendas.
5. Be prepared for Board Meetings with agenda item comments and reports(s).
6. Follow-up on assignments and action items resulting from meeting and as directed by the President.

To the SOWER Office Staff

1. Strive to be a help to the office.
2. Be responsive to issues and problems...always try to be timely, but put accuracy above speed. Strive to improve efficiency and effectiveness and remove obstacles.

To the SOWER Ministry:

1. Attend each called Board Meeting
2. Serve on committee(s) as appointed by President.
3. Serve in any elected office of the Board, ie President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer.
4. Answer questions from the membership while working on SOWER projects and seek advice from the entire Board when a more definitive answer is needed (again keeping accuracy a higher priority than speed)
5. Govern the ministry according to the SOWER Constitution, Bylaws, Guidelines, Policies, Certificate of Incorporation and Robert Rules of Order.
6. Spend time at the SOWER Office learning that part of the administration of the Ministry.