

# Boyne Citizen

Community-supported nonprofit news for the Boyne area

**Position:** Board Member

**Organization:** Boyne Citizen, Inc.

**Location:** Boyne Area

**Term:** Two Years

## **Position Overview:**

Boyne Citizen, Inc. is seeking passionate, community-minded individuals to join the Board of Directors for its digital news source, Boyne Citizen. As a Board Member, you will play a key role in shaping the future of this important community resource by providing leadership, financial oversight, and strategic guidance. Your contributions will help ensure the long-term sustainability and growth of the Boyne Citizen, while fostering an informed and engaged Boyne community.

## **Key Responsibilities:**

- ◆ *Active Participation:* – Attend and actively engage in monthly board meetings, offering insights, feedback, and direction for the organization’s growth and sustainability.
- ◆ *Fiscal Oversight* – Ensure sound financial management of the Boyne Citizen, including budget review and financial decision-making to maintain fiscal responsibility.
- ◆ *Story Ideas & Editorial Input* – Contribute story ideas that align with the Boyne Citizen’s mission to cover topics relevant to the community. Offer feedback on editorial content and strategy.
- ◆ *Ambassador Role* – Act as an ambassador for the Boyne Citizen within the community, raising awareness of the publication and its mission. Help foster relationships with local stakeholders, businesses, and residents.
- ◆ *Sustainability & Engagement* – Support efforts to grow the Boyne Citizen by actively working to secure free subscriptions, drive donations, and identify opportunities for grant funding.
- ◆ *Fundraising & Development* – Assist in creating and executing fundraising strategies, including identifying donors, sponsors, and grant opportunities to support the financial health of the organization.
- ◆ *Other Contributions* – Collaborate with other board members and the editorial team to offer guidance and expertise on matters that support the overall growth and sustainability of the publication.

**Qualifications:**

- ◆ A strong passion for community news and engagement.
- ◆ Experience or interest in nonprofit governance, journalism, fundraising, or community advocacy.
- ◆ Ability to dedicate time and energy to monthly board meetings and related tasks.
- ◆ A collaborative, solution-oriented mindset with a commitment to the Boyne Citizen's mission.
- ◆ Strong communication and networking skills.

**Time Commitment:**

This is a two-year term, with an expectation of attending monthly board meetings and additional involvement as needed to support fundraising and community engagement efforts.

**To Apply:**

If you are interested in helping shape the future of the Boyne Citizen and supporting its mission to provide timely, relevant news to the Boyne area, please submit a letter of interest outlining your qualifications and reasons for wanting to join the board.

*Boyne Citizen, Inc. is committed to building a diverse and inclusive board. We welcome individuals with a variety of experiences and perspectives.*