



**A R C A D I A**  
ASSOCIATION OF  
**R E A L T O R S<sup>®</sup>**

## Application for Year 2021 Board of Directors

To: Board Development Committee, I would like to submit my name for consideration as a member of the 2021 Board of Directors of the Arcadia Association of REALTORS<sup>®</sup>. I understand the only interview date is the morning of Friday, May 8, 2020.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Office: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I Joined the Association (Date): \_\_\_\_\_

**Position(s) for which you are applying:** ☐ Director (1 to 2 Yrs) ☐ Treasurer (1 Yr) ☐ President-Elect (1 Yr)

List Real Estate Designations and/or Special Skills: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide a brief statement regarding your potential contributions to the Arcadia Board of Directors (you may submit additional pages as needed):

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Please describe the activities in which you have been involved, if any, on behalf of the Association C.A.R. and N.A.R. (i.e. Association Committees, State Committees, etc.) (You may submit additional pages as needed):

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

Please return this signed form to the AAR Office, attention of the 2021 Board Development Committee Chairperson, Kelvin Chang, on or before Friday, April 29, 2020. You may email the form to Laura Thai: [Laura@TheAAR.com](mailto:Laura@TheAAR.com)

**Interview Date: Friday, May 8, 2020 - Morning**

## **Desired Qualities for AAR Board of Directors**

All AAR members are invited to apply to serve on the AAR Board of Directors. Although there are no set rules, guidelines or prerequisites to apply for the Board of Directors, below are some examples of qualities that are deemed as desirable to be nominated to the Board of Directors by the Board Development Committee:

- Served as a member of different committees within the AAR
- Served as a Chairman, Co-Chair or Vice-Chair of different committees within the AAR
- Number of years of service on different committees within the AAR
- General volunteerism within the AAR
- Being a member in good standing in the AAR
- Committee and board experience outside of the AAR
- Volunteerism in the local community
- A desire to give back to the AAR and the real estate industry
- A desire and willingness to share & apply wisdom and experience in an effort to better serve the AAR and its members
- Professionalism, honesty, integrity, and fair dealing among fellow Realtors®
- High moral, ethical and professional standards
- Strict adherence to the Realtor® Code of Ethics
- A desire to see the AAR grow and prosper

## **Expectations and Responsibilities of AAR Board of Directors**

- Punctuality and attendance at all BoD meetings for the duration of each meeting
- Additional meetings as required including special session BoD meetings, task force meetings, regular committee meetings if you are appointed as a BoD liaison to a committee, etc.
- Financial contribution to the Realtor® Action Fund in the amount of \$148
- Although not anticipated, Directors may be out-of-pocket on Association related travel costs
- Attendance at certain AAR functions and events including, but not limited to, Annual Installation event in December, Annual Membership meeting in June, various charity events throughout the year, etc. If these are ticketed events, reimbursement is typically not given
- Completion of Pro Standards training once every 2 years (mandatory if serving on your first year as a BoD)
- Business attire at BoD meetings
- Attendance at the 2-day AAR Strategic Planning sessions every 2 or 3 years
- A willingness to share your thoughts and ideas, sometimes in the face of controversy
- A willingness to place our AAR members first, above your own professional or personal gain
- Realizing that serving on the AAR BoD is an honor and privilege

## **FAQ**

**Q:** What is the cost to apply for a position as a Board of Director?

**A:** There is no cost to apply.

**Q:** How much does a member of the Board of Directors get paid?

**A:** Being a member of the Board of Directors is a voluntary, non-paid position. You are paid in extreme satisfaction knowing that you are greatly serving the Association and your fellow AAR Realtor® members with your time, knowledge and wisdom.

**Q:** When does the Board of Directors meet?

**A:** Typically on the fourth Friday of every month from 8:30am to 10:30am. Some meetings are longer, some meetings are shorter.

**Q:** I already applied to be on the Board of Directors but I was not appointed. Should I apply again?

**A:** YES! The number of applicants varies each year so it's very common for applicants not to be appointed on their 1<sup>st</sup> or even 2<sup>nd</sup> attempt. It's highly encouraged for members to apply often! Remember, applying again means you have more years of experience to add to your application.