



Board of Directors Guidelines and Expectations

1. Board Members are elected by the full Membership to serve a three year term.
2. Board Members are responsible for setting the policy and procedures of the Marion Chamber of Commerce.
3. Board Members are **expected** to attend **monthly** General Board meetings. *NOTE: Any Board member who has three consecutive absences during the year may forfeit his or her membership on the Board.*
4. Board Members are expected to attend the Monthly Membership Luncheons.
5. Board Members are expected to attend as many Chamber Events, including Business Happy/After Hours, Ribbon Cuttings and Groundbreaking Ceremonies, as possible.
6. Board Members should serve on one (1) Standing Committee and one (1) Special Committee and/or encourage their employees to participate.
7. Board Members should help promote the Chamber and the value of being a member.
8. Board Members should work with the Executive Director, Officers and other Board Members to promote and improve the business climate for new and existing businesses.
9. Board Members should stay informed about Chamber matters, prepare themselves well for meetings, and review and comment on minutes and reports.
10. Board Members should get to know other Board Members and build a collegial working relationship that contributes to consensus.

