

Xenia Area Chamber of Commerce Board Member Commitment to Serve

I, _____, recognizing the important responsibility I am undertaking in serving as a member of the Board of Directors for the Xenia Area Chamber of Commerce, hereby personally pledge to carry out in a trustworthy and diligent manner all duties and obligations inherent in my role as board member.

I acknowledge that my primary roles as a Board member are (1) to contribute to defining the Chamber's mission and governing the fulfillment of the mission, and (2) to carry out the functions of the Board members delineated in the by-laws and policies.

My commitment:

I will exercise the duties and responsibilities of this office with integrity, conscientiousness and due care.

I pledge:

1. To maintain membership in the Xenia Area Chamber of Commerce.
2. To establish as high priority my attendance at all meetings of the Board. I understand, as per the by-laws, three unexcused absences may be cause for termination as a Board member.
3. To represent the Xenia Area Chamber of Commerce in a positive and supportive manner at all times and in all places. To make every effort to attend all Chamber events and functions.
4. To avoid conflicts of interest between my position as a Board member and my personal and professional life. If such a conflict does arise, I will declare that conflict before the Board, and refrain from voting on matters in which I have a conflict.
5. To serve on at least one committee, attend all committee meetings, and actively participate in the accomplishment of committee objectives.
6. To actively contact members and potential members for the purpose of encouraging membership in the Xenia Area Chamber of Commerce.
7. Attend the monthly Board meetings per the requirements set forth in the Chamber By-Laws and make attending a majority of these Xenia Chamber events a priority:

Business After Hours
(Monthly)

Women in Business
(Monthly)

Annual Awards Dinner
(February)

Golf Outing
(May)

Membership Breakfast

Educational Seminars

If for any reason, I find myself unable to carry out the above duties as best I can, I agree to resign my position on the Board of Directors for the Xenia Area Chamber of Commerce.

Signature

Date