



Board Member

Job Description

Amended by the OFB Board of Directors 6/24/15

As a board member of Oregon Food Bank, I commit to the following:

1. Attend punctually board and committee meetings.
2. Participate actively in board discussions as the board embraces dissent and diversity until a decision is reached. Support board decisions by speaking publicly of the decision as 'one voice' of the Board.
3. Serve on at least one committee and serve as an officer if called upon.
4. Make an annual monetary gift that is personally significant and serves as a model to the community.
5. Participate in raising funds for OFB such as introducing new donors, soliciting other financial contributions, or assisting with fund raising events.
6. Demonstrate commitment to OFB through the range of OFB activities including special events, RFB/PA meetings, staff gatherings, and volunteer work.
7. Serve as an ambassador for OFB in the community, to educate on the issues of hunger and its root causes, and raise awareness of OFB's mission and programs. Inform OFB of community concerns and community of OFB Board concerns.
8. Hold OFB to a high standard of performance and integrity. Assist in evaluating your own participation, the board, the CEO, and the entire OFB organization.
9. Support and enhance the OFB Network on state and local levels.
10. Support my fellow board members and cultivate new board members as appropriate.
11. Understand board member roles and responsibilities and be sufficiently knowledgeable about OFB and its operation to make informed decisions and serve as an effective advocate.
12. Observe all OFB board bylaws and policies.