

**Greater Soldotna Chamber of Commerce
Board of Directors Declaration of Candidacy**



Name: _____

Business you represent: _____ Title: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Email: _____

I am interested in: _____ Three-year elected seat _____ One-year appointed seat _____ Either

Why are you interested in serving on the Soldotna Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors?
(may attach additional page if more space is needed)

Biographical Sketch

How long have you lived in the area? _____

Former job titles or positions held: _____

Current Chamber involvement: _____

Prior Chamber involvement: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

**Please return by September 30, 2016 to the Soldotna Chamber of
Commerce, 44790 Sterling Hwy., Soldotna, AK 99669 or
Fax to 262-3566 or email Tami@soldotnachamber.com**

If you have any questions, please contact Tami Murray at 262-9814

Nominations Open for Board of Directors

There are **three** - 3 year terms and **three** - 1 year terms open on the Board of Directors. If you are interested in serving on the Soldotna Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, please fill out the Declaration of Candidacy form and return to the Chamber office no later than September 30, 2016. To be eligible for the Soldotna Chamber Board of Directors you must be a chamber member in good standing.

Greater Soldotna Chamber of Commerce Board Member Position Description

*The following description explains Board Member responsibilities.
Participation to the fullest extent is appreciated.*

1. Attend weekly luncheon meetings to hear programs and speakers, greet new members and encourage ongoing attendance and participation of current members.
2. Attend monthly Board meetings (approximately 1 ½ hours), to consider, advise and act upon business before the Board. Advance notice of absences is required.
3. Participate on one or more committees by attending meetings, creating and executing ideas with the approval of the Board of Directors. Committees consist of Events & Marketing Committee, Scholarship Committee, Beautification Committee, Finance Committee, VIC/Building Committee, Fundraising Committee, Policies Committee, Legislative Committee and others as needed.
4. Encourage potential members to join the chamber and participation in chamber functions.
5. Advise the President, Board and staff of areas in which the Chamber can better represent the business community.
6. Attend as many of the chamber's functions as possible to ensure good visibility of the Board and interaction with the membership. This includes attendance at weekly luncheons, Annual Chamber Pie Auction, Annual Awards Luncheon, Board Retreat, Progress Days and City Council Meetings when applicable.

Vision:

The Leading Resource for Business Development and Community Growth.

Mission:

To Promote Responsible Growth for Greater Soldotna through Representation, Education and Advocacy for our Members.