

# NELCDC BOARD CANDIDATE FAQ'S

## **What are the responsibilities of the Board?**

The board manages the affairs, business, and property of a nonprofit organization. In short, board members attend monthly meetings and other functions to make decisions in the best interest of the organization. [See Article II, Section II of the Bylaws.](#)

## **Do board members receive compensation?**

No. State law prohibits board members from receiving any compensation for their service to the organization. In some instances, board members may be reimbursed for their expenses incurred on behalf of the organization. [See Article VIII, Section IV of the Bylaws.](#)

## **How long does a board member serve?**

Board members serve 3-year terms and are limited to 2 consecutive terms. [See Article II, Section II of the Bylaws.](#)

## **What qualifies a person to serve on the Board?**

NELCDC board members are required to live in Lubbock county. Each board member brings his or her own experience, skills, connections, and reputation that is uniquely valuable to the organization. [See Article II, Section II of the Bylaws.](#)

## **What is the time commitment to serve on the Board?**

The Board of Directors meets officially once a month. Outside of monthly board meetings there may be committee meetings and other functions to attend. Board members typically commit around 4 hours a week to serving the organization. [See Article III, Section II of the Bylaws.](#)

## **Is there a financial commitment to serve on the Board?**

Board members are encouraged to make an annual contribution.

## **When does the board of directors meet?**

The Board of Directors meets 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM on the 4th Wednesday of every month, except to avoid conflicts during holidays. [See Article III, Section II of the Bylaws.](#)

## **How can I express my interest in serving on the Board?**

Please communicate your interest in writing. A board member application packet is located on our website <http://www.nelcdc.org/board-of-directors.html>. Please fill out the application and return it to the Executive Director at [mc\\_nelcdc@outlook.com](mailto:mc_nelcdc@outlook.com). Questions? Please call Monique Coleman at (806) 747-1505.

