

Board/Committee Opportunities H – Z

(agencies are listed in alphabetical order)

Healthy Families Counseling and Support

3100 Northeast 83rd Street, Suite 2500, Kansas City, MO 64119
www.healthyfamilieskc.org

To strengthen families and children by providing in-home and community based support, education, and mental health services in the Northland.

Contact: Greg Neubauer

Email: greg.neubauer@healthyfamilieskc.org

Phone: 816-468-6336 x224

Fax: 816-468-0289

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Act as a voting member of the Board of Directors with full authority and responsibility to establish policies, procedures, and regulations for the operation of Healthy Families; to monitor financial health, programs, and overall performance; and to provide the executive director with the resources to fulfill his/her responsibilities.

Specific expertise/requirements: Dedication to making a difference in the lives of children, families and individuals in our community struggling with life challenges. Legal, financial, fundraising, faith community, medical, retail, corporate business, event planning, court/law/public service, politics, community leadership, and technology.

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Bi-monthly (4th Wednesday from 8:30 to 10 AM)

Time commitment: 2 - 4 hrs per month & 5-15 hrs per year w/events

Financial expectations? Yes

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Heart of America Stand Down Foundation

301 East Armour Blvd, Suite 305, Kansas City, MO 64111
www.kcstanddown.org

To provide homeless veterans with some of the short and long-term resources necessary to begin rebuilding their lives.

Contact: Bob Waechter
Phone: 816-753-1866

Email: robert.waechter@va.gov
Fax: 816-753-2328

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Assist with planning the bi-annual stand down event, serve as a liaison with community organizations interested in being involved, and may be responsible for occasional year-round organizational planning and development needs including financial and grants management, grant-writing, other fundraising activities, volunteer recruitment, etc.

Specific expertise/requirements: Certified public accountant, familiarity with homeless issues/continuum of care, proposal writing & grants management experience, fundraising experience, and/or volunteer recruitment/management experience

Are board members required to serve on committees? No

Board meets: Every other week March-June & September-November

Time commitment: 10+ hours per month

Financial expectations? Varies

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Helping Hands Therapeutic Riding Center

30509A East Colbern Road, Grain Valley, MO 64029
www.hhtrc.org

To improve the lives of people with disabilities through therapeutic horse-related programs.

Contact: Janellen Cappo
Phone: 816-578-4673

Email: jcappo@hhtrc.org
Fax: 816-578-4671

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Please request a board members handbook for a complete description.

Specific expertise/requirements: Corporate members

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Monthly (2nd Tuesday)

Time commitment: 3-5 hrs per month

Financial expectations? Yes

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Helping Others Reach Success & Excellence (H.O.R.S.E.)

6 Kendi Lane, Belton, MO 64012

www.horsehelpspeople.org

Utilizing equine assisted therapeutic techniques and equine assist growth and learning opportunities, H.O.R.S.E. helps support communities by helping at-risk youth, people with autism spectrum disorders, people with emotional disturbances and those that desire self-improvement and personal growth.

Contact: Vanessa Hayden

Email: Vanessa.haydenlaw@earthlink.net

Phone: 816-322-9444

Fax: 816-322-9445

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: To meet monthly from 6:30 – 8 p.m.; lend time and expertise to the mission of the organization

Specific expertise/requirements: Prior nonprofit board experience would be appreciated although not required. Grant proposal writing experience a plus. Corporate members and fund raising experience is helpful.

Are board members required to serve on committees? No

Board meets: Monthly

Time commitment: 1 year

Financial expectations? No; however, we currently have 100% of the board making a financial commitment

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House of Menuha

801 East 77th Street, Kansas City, MO 64131
www.menuha.org

House of Menuha provides a nurturing environment for women to experience personal rest, reflection and renewal of body, mind and spirit, so that each is strengthened and better equipped to enrich family and community.

Contact: Gail Benne
Phone: 816-442-3284

Email: gbenne@kingswoodccrc.org
Fax:

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Believe in and be an ambassador of the mission and values of Menuha to friends, family and the community. Open doors for Menuha programming, fundraising opportunities, and usage of Menuha facilities. Attend the board meetings, the annual fundraising dinner (Spring Breeze – generally held in late April), special fundraising events, in addition to at least one program each year. Actively participate on at least one committee of the board or a program or fundraising-related committee. Plan and host the annual Garden Party to recognize volunteers (generally the first Sunday afternoon of October). Provide proper financial oversight. Ensure adequate resources. Ensure legal and ethical integrity and maintain accountability. Ensure effective organizational planning. Determine, monitor, and strengthen the organization's programs and services. Support the co-directors and assess their performance. Be informed of all issues related to Menuha.

Specific expertise desired: Any of the following areas of expertise would provide an opportunity for immediate involvement: Communications. Legal. Fundraising. Special Events. Human Resources. Marketing/PR. Property Maintenance. Strategic Planning. Spiritual & emotional counseling, program design or evaluation. Computer or phone system technology. Familiarity with organizations serving the spiritual and emotional needs of women. Familiarity of the Kansas City non-profit sector. Male candidates are welcome along with women.

Are Board members required to service on committees? Yes

Board meets: 3rd Wednesday of each month from 5:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m. There is consideration of moving the meeting to a Monday evening.

Time Commitment: Average 6-8 hours per month

Financial Expectations: Make financial contributions at a level that is meaningful to one's personal circumstances by participation in the Annual Giving Campaign, Spring Breeze (annual fundraising dinner) and special fund raising activities and events

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Kansas Children's Services League
15717 College Boulevard, Lenexa, KS 66219
www.kcsl.org

To protect and promote the well-being of children.

Contact: Debbie Kirchhoff
Phone: 913-621-2016

Email: dkirchhoff@kcsl.org
Fax: 913-371-0509

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Assist with KCSL programs and activities; coordinate annual fundraising event

Specific expertise/requirements: All areas

Are board members required to serve on committees? No

Board meets: Monthly

Time commitment: 1-4 hrs per month

Financial expectations? Yes

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Kansas City Anti-Violence Project
P.O. Box 411211, Kansas City, MO 64141
www.kcavp.org

To provide information, support, referrals, advocacy and other services to LGBT survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault and hate crimes.

Contact: Doug Riley
Phone: 816-561-0550

Email: doug@kcavp.org
Fax: 816-561-0350

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: To be responsible for governance and oversight of all aspects of KCAVP.

Specific expertise/requirements: Human resources, finance, law and marketing

Are board members required to serve on committees? No

Board meets: Monthly (2nd Tuesday)

Time commitment: 10 hours per month

Financial expectations? Yes

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Kansas City Free Health Clinic

3515 Broadway Avenue, Kansas City, MO 64113
www.kcfree.org

To promote health and wellness by providing quality services at no charge to people without access to basic care.

Contact: Sheri Wood
Phone: 816-777-2763

Email: sheriw@kcfree.org
Fax: 816-777-2796

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Interpret organization's work and values to the community, represent the organization and act as a spokesperson; attend at least 75% of board meetings, committee meetings, and special events; make a personal financial pledge and ask others to join in contributing to the agency; work with staff and other board members as partners toward achievement of goals; stay informed about what's going on in the organization; and act in the best interest of the organization.

Specific expertise/requirements: Accounting, alternative medicine, banking, business/corporate, education, employee relations, financial planning, fund development, government, investments, law, pharmacy, public relations, and volunteer management

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Monthly (4th Tuesday from 5:30 to 7 PM)

Time commitment: 20 hrs per year plus 11-20 hrs per year depending on the committee

Financial expectations? Yes

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Kansas City Urban Youth Center

2732 Troost Avenue, Kansas City, MO 64108
www.kcurbanyouthcenter.org

To offer urban youth Christian hope, community and wholeness.

Contact: Rev. Chuck Sailors
Phone: 816-221-1022

Email: info@kcurbanyouthcenter.org
Fax:

Type of volunteer position: x Board Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: To be responsible for governance and oversight of all aspects of KCUYC.

Specific expertise/requirements: Communications, health care, marketing, resource development, adolescent development, housing and event planning

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Quarterly, 6:00 – 8:30 PM

Time commitment: 11-20 hrs per year for board meetings, committee meetings and events

Financial expectations? Yes

Kansas City Youth Jazz, Inc.

5960 Dearborn, Suite 202, Mission, KS 66202
www.kcyouthjazz.org

To develop and maintain a multicultural music education program that perpetuates and promotes our jazz heritage.

Contact: Linda Brady
Phone: 913-424-9903

Email: lindabradyl@kcyouthjazz.org
Fax:

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: 1) visit a weekend rehearsal at the studio in Kansas City, KS, to get a better understanding of Kansas City Youth Jazz; 2) bring enthusiasm and new ideas to the group while respecting the work that has already been done by the committee; 3) attend committee meetings; 4) be willing to work on a subcommittee, and 5) follow through on commitments made and be prepared for meetings

Specific expertise/requirements: 1) passion and energy for Kansas City Youth Jazz; 2) creativity in fundraising and event planning; 3) an interest in helping middle and high school students improve their lives and their music through a multicultural music education program, 4) marketing, and 5) leadership

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: The committees meet either at 7:30 AM or at Noon in the first two weeks of the month. The meeting time is sensitive to the schedules of committee members.

Time commitment: 2-4 hours a week. It may be more at the time of events.

Financial expectations? No

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Keeler Women's Center

2220 Central Avenue, Kansas City, KS 66102
www.mountosb.org/kwc

Ministry of the Benedictine Sisters of Atchison, KS focused on empowering women in the urban core of Kansas City through education, advocacy, personnel and spiritual development.

Contact: Sr. Carol Ann Petersen
Phone: 913-906-8990

Email: kwc@mountosb.org
Fax: 913-281-4474

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Attend advisory committee meetings, assist the marketing committee and director in carrying out long range plan, collaborate with the director and other committee members to generate additional ideas for improving marketing & development efforts, and assist in building relationships with potential partners and funders.

Specific expertise/requirements: Expertise in the field of marketing and development.

Are board members required to serve on committees? No

Board meets: Monthly (2nd Monday from 4 to 5:30 PM)

Time commitment: 2-4 hrs per month

Financial expectations? Yes

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KEEN Kansas City

P.O. Box 45381, Kansas City, MO 64171
www.keenkansascity.org

KEEN seeks to develop each athlete's self-esteem and confidence, as well as recreational skills and talents, and to increase each athlete's ability to participate in a broader range of recreational activities and environments.

Contact: Derrick Braxton
Phone: 913-484-7805

Email: info@keenkansascity.org
Fax: 913-544-2910

Type of volunteer position: x Board Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Attend monthly board meetings and assist with fundraising and special events.

Specific expertise/requirements: Fundraising, grant writing and research, marketing, legal, event planning

Are board members required to serve on committees? No

Board meets: Monthly

Time commitment: Varies

Financial expectations? \$100 annually

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Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art

4420 Warwick Boulevard, Kansas City, MO 64111
www.kemperart.org

Presents modern and contemporary art of the highest quality and significance. Collects, preserves, documents, interprets, and exhibits a growing permanent collection; develops and presents special exhibitions; and offers a variety of educational programs.

Contact: Beth Harris
Phone: 816-457-6100

Email: bharris@kemperart.org
Fax: 816-457-6197

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Serve on Plaza Art Fair committee. Members attend monthly meetings, take notes to distribute to others, solicit prizes, and assume other duties as needed.

Specific expertise/requirements: Highly motivated, friendly, take meeting notes, feel comfortable soliciting prizes, etc.

Are board members required to serve on committees? n/a

Board meets: Monthly (May - September)

Time commitment: 25 hrs per year

Financial expectations? No

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Mother to Mother Ministry

333 East Poplar, Olathe, KS 66061

Mother to Mother provides opportunities for women of different racial, religious and economic backgrounds to gather in friendship, offering support with family struggles or simply sharing life experiences and learning from one another. These new friendships empower participants to nurture healthy families and to grow both as individuals and members of the community.

Contact: Rosie Dominguez
Phone: 913-689-8626

Email: rosemariadominguez@sbcglobal.net
Fax: n/a

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Serve as an advocate in the community, help oversee the organization and work with the program coordinator to plan and organize the annual fundraiser, family picnic and Christmas party for the mothers and their families.

Specific expertise/requirements: Dedication to making a difference in the lives of children, families and individuals in our community struggling with life challenges.

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Monthly

Time commitment: 2 hrs per meeting

Financial expectations? No

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Mothers Outraged at Molesters (M.O.M)

P.O. Box 3166, Independence, MO 64055
www.momskc.org

Because child molestation exists and its effects can be long lasting and detrimental, M.O.M's works to decrease its occurrence as well as to provide specialized information and support to those who have been affected.

Contact: Cyrilla B.
Phone: 816-478-2355

Email: momskc@momskc.org
Fax: n/a

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Help oversee the organization, help in events and the future of organization.

Specific expertise/requirements: Passion to help prevent sexual abuse and dedication to a small, but powerful organization

Are board members required to serve on committees? No

Board meets: Quarterly

Time commitment: 2 hrs per meeting

Financial expectations? No

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Phone: 816-478-2355 **Fax:** n/a

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Specific expertise/requirements: Passion to help prevent sexual abuse and dedication to a small, but powerful organization

Are board members required to serve on committees? n/a

Board meets: Varies

Time commitment: Varies

Financial expectations? No

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Myasthenia Gravis Association

6700 Troost Avenue, Suite 502, Kansas City, MO 64131
www.mgakc.org

To improve the quality of life for all people affected by this autoimmune, neuromuscular disease, by providing information, education, support and referral.

Contact: Chris Almvig **Email:** calmvig@mgakc.org
Phone: 816-256-4100 **Fax:** 816-333-1402

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Members shall establish the association's mission, vision, & direction; ensure the financial health of the organization; ensure the association has sufficient & appropriate human resources; direct organizational operations; and ensure effective community relations.

Specific expertise/requirements: Dedication to mission, team-player, and a background in accounting, finance, advertising, media, graphic design, or fundraising.

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Monthly (3rd Tuesday)

Time commitment: 60 hrs per year

Financial expectations? Yes - \$100 per year

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Niles Home for Children

1911 East 23rd Street, Kansas City, MO 64127
www.nhc-kc.org

To meet the mental health and education needs of high-risk children and their families; empowering them to become confident contributing citizens.

Contact: Darlene Wigfall
Phone: 816-241-3448

Email: dwigfall@nhc-kc.org
Fax: 816-231-9368

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Provide legal and financial oversight over the activities of the agency; carry out fiduciary responsibilities; set policies that ensure that agency is run effectively, legally, and ethically; sets long-range goals for growth and development; and secure adequate funds to sustain its programs.

Specific expertise/requirements: Experience in program development, fund development, finance, marketing, human resources, community leadership, management or legal expertise

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Monthly (3 year terms)

Time commitment: 5 hrs per month

Financial expectations? Yes

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Northland Early Education Center

8630 North Oak Trafficway, Kansas City, MO 64155
www.nееckids.org

To provide quality education and therapy services to children with special needs and children who are typically developing, from birth to five years of age, in order to help them reach their full potential.

Contact: Jill Bartlett
Phone: 816-420-9005

Email: JillB@neec.us
Fax: 816-420-9010

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: The Board will provide leadership in advocating for the rights and opportunities of children with special needs, and in developing partnerships to further that objective.

Specific expertise/requirements: Experience in fundraising, public relations, law, human resources management, finance, management and planning

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Monthly (one Monday/month from 6:00-7:00 p.m.)

Time commitment: 2 hrs per month

Financial expectations? Yes – either through an annual contribution or through special events

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Northland Meals on Wheels

2800 North Clay Edwards Drive, North Kansas City, MO 64116

To supply meals at or near cost to the homebound who are unable, because of sickness, age or other handicap, to provide proper nutrition for themselves.

Contact: Patte Bahl
Phone: 816-468-0295

Email:
Fax: n/a

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Oversee operations of program, attend meetings, support the board in their decisions and promote the program with peers and the community at large.

Specific expertise/requirements: Strong communication skills to work on fundraising, grant proposals and publicity committees

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Quarterly on the first Tuesday (to be determined at the beginning of each year)

Time commitment: 30-40 hrs per year

Financial expectations? Yes, to support to the best of their ability

Ozanam

421 East 137th Street, Kansas City, MO 64145
www.ozanam.org

Ozanam responds to the behavioral, emotional, social and spiritual needs of children and their families with dignity and care, proving a continuum of innovative services of the highest quality.

Contact: Laura McDaniel
Phone: 816-508-3608

Email: lm3608@ozanam.org
Fax: 816-508-3797

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory Committee x Other

Roles & responsibilities: Ozanam is currently seeking young leaders to fill volunteer positions for the President and Vice President of the Ozanam Guild, a group of young professionals who provide fundraising and volunteer support.

The President will communicate regularly with key Ozanam staff members and updating the Board of Directors every other month as an ex-officio member by reporting on the financial status of the Guide, as well as announce upcoming events and activities. This position also meets monthly with Guild volunteers and coordinates events. Leaders will also attend fundraisers within the community and volunteer activities with Ozanam youth throughout the year as a representative of the organization.

The Vice President is responsible for being a reliable advisor and backup to the president. They will share duties and meeting schedule, and will lead in the absence of the president. This position will also take the lead on several activities throughout the year.

Specific expertise/requirements: Strengths in event planning, volunteering, fundraising, public speaking, marketing and networking.

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: About 2 hours every other month attending board meetings on Monday evenings.

Time commitment: About 5 hours every month with the Ozanam Guild, including one-hour meetings and several extra hours for additional planning as necessary. Both the President and Vice President each have 2-year terms.

Financial expectations? No

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The REACH Healthcare Foundation
6700 Antioch Road, Suite 200, Merriam, KS 66204
www.reachhealth.org

To inform and educate the public and facilitate access to quality healthcare for poor and underserved people.

Contact: Brenda Sharpe **Email:** brenda@reachhealth.org
Phone: 913-432-4196 **Fax:**

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Actively participate in the functions of the Board of Directors. The board is in charge and control of the affairs and funds relating to the management and development of agency. The board shall also approve policies and major undertakings of committees and shall authorize contracts of agency.

Specific expertise/requirements: Knowledge or experience in investment strategies, asset management, governance, public policy, provision of health care, philanthropic administration and related areas of leadership and expertise

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Bi-Monthly

Time commitment: 10-15 hours per month

Financial expectations? No

Ronald McDonald House Charities
2502 Cherry Street, Kansas City, MO 64108
www.rmhckc.org

To reduce the burden of childhood illness on seriously ill children and their families.

Contact: Holly Buckendahl **Email:** hbuckendahl@rmhckc.org
Phone: 816-842-8321 x135 **Fax:** 816-842-7033

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Actively participate in the functions of the Board of Directors. The board is in charge and control of the affairs, funds, and property matters relating to the management and development of agency. The board shall also approve policies and major undertakings of committees and shall authorize contracts of agency.

Specific expertise/requirements: Fundraising and event planning

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Monthly (3rd Thursday)

Time commitment: Serve two 3-year terms

Financial expectations? Yes

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To reduce the burden of childhood illness on seriously ill children and their families.

Contact: Holly Buckendahl
Phone: 816-842-8321 x135

Email: hbuckendahl@rmhckc.org
Fax: 816-842-7033

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Work on a variety of projects in all aspects of operations and fundraising for agency.

Specific expertise/requirements: Fundraising and event planning

Are board members required to serve on committees? n/a

Board meets: Varies

Time commitment: One year

Financial expectations? Yes

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SafeHome, Inc.

P.O. Box 4563, Overland Park, KS 66204
www.safehome-ks.org

To break the cycle of domestic violence and sexual assault.

Contact: Michele Davis
Phone: 913-432-9300 x112

Email: mdavis@safehome-ks.org
Fax: 913-432-9302

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Serve on the "circle events" committee. Plan four events a year and be a part of professional networking group.

Specific expertise/requirements: Sponsorships and event planning

Are board members required to serve on committees? n/a

Board meets: Monthly (early evenings)

Time commitment: Varies

Financial expectations? Yes (must attend events)

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Contact: Michele Davis

Email: mdavis@safehome-ks.org

Phone: 913-432-9300 x112

Fax: 913-432-9302

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Serve on golf tournament committee to plan the event.

Specific expertise/requirements: Sponsorships and event planning

Are board members required to serve on committees? n/a

Board meets: Monthly (early evenings)

Time commitment: Varies

Financial expectations? No

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Contact: Michele Davis

Email: mdavis@safehome-ks.org

Phone: 913-432-9300 x112

Fax: 913-432-9302

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Serve on the flag football tournament committee to plan the event.

Specific expertise/requirements: Sponsorships and event planning

Are board members required to serve on committees? n/a

Board meets: Monthly (early evenings)

Time commitment: Varies

Financial expectations? No

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Contact: Michele Davis
Phone: 913-432-9300 x112

Email: mdavis@safehome-ks.org
Fax: 913-432-9302

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Serve on the June Jubilee committee to plan sit-down dinner with live and silent auction.

Specific expertise/requirements: Sponsorships and event planning

Are board members required to serve on committees? n/a

Board meets: Monthly (early evenings)

Time commitment: Varies

Financial expectations? No

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Salvation Army, The

14700 East Truman Road, Independence, MO 64051
www.salarmy-mokan.org

To meet human needs without discrimination.

Contact: Majors David & Marina Womack
Phone: 816-252-3200

Email: david_womack@usc.salvationarmy.org
Fax: 816-252-8252

Type of volunteer position: Board xAdvisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Assist and advise the organization with regard to its local programs and development.

Specific expertise/requirements: Active professionals in a variety of occupations

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Monthly (4th Monday)

Time commitment: 1-3 hrs per month

Financial expectations? Yes

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Sanctuary of Hope, Inc.
2601 Ridge Avenue, Kansas City, KS 66102
www.sanctuaryofhope.org

To help each person know, without a doubt, that God is with them. Once one realizes in one's heart that they belong to God, then for them all things are possible.

Contact: Julie Elwell **Email:** julie@sanctuaryofhope.org
Phone: 913-321-4673 **Fax:** 913-321-4321

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Promote special as well as ongoing events with organization.

Specific expertise/requirements: Public relations

Are board members required to serve on committees? No

Board meets: As needed

Time commitment: Varies

Financial expectations? No

Selective Service System

National Guard State Headquarters, Topeka, KS 66603
www.sss.gov

To provide manpower to the Armed Forces in an emergency, and to run an Alternative Service Program for men classified as conscientious objectors during a draft.

Contact: Major Robert Benefield **Email:** robert.benefield@us.army.mil
Phone: 816-401-4496 **Fax:**

Type of volunteer position: x Board Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: A group of five citizen volunteers in the state of Kansas whose mission, upon a draft, will be to decide who among the registrants in their community will receive deferments, postponements or exemption from military service based on the individual registrant's circumstances and beliefs

Specific expertise/requirements: Must be a U.S. citizen, at least 18 years old, not a retired or active member of the Armed Forces or Reserve component, live in the area in which the board has jurisdiction and be willing to spend enough time at the position. During peacetime, board members will undergo an initial eight-hour on-line training session, with an annual training to review sample cases similar to real-life situations

Are board members required to serve on committees? No

Board meets: As needed

Time commitment: Five times/year

Financial expectations? No

Shawnee Town

11501 West 57th Street, Shawnee, KS 66203
www.shawneetown.org

To engage visitors in thoughtful tours, exhibits and programs that allow them to experience a typical day in and around the farm town of Shawnee, Kansas.

Contact: Susan Tolleson
Phone: 913-248-2360

Email: stolleson@cityofshawnee.org
Fax: 913-248-2363

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Recommends policy to the FOST board on all matters related to development; formulates a development plan to support FOST's goals and objectives and present them to the board for approval; implements the plan, and reviews development activities to ensure there is progress toward achieving annual and long-range funding goals

Specific expertise/requirements: Experience in or interest in learning how to solicit through planned giving, major gifts, etc.; interested in the opportunity to work on a grow a committee in its infant stages; ability to plan and implement development activities as needed; excels at accomplishing goals; good communication and organization skills, and interest and concern for the strength, quality and overall well-being of Friends of Shawnee Town

Are board members required to serve on committees? No

Board meets: Quarterly

Time commitment: Every 2-3 months

Financial expectations? TBD

Sickle Cell Disease Association of America - Kansas City Chapter

1734 East 63rd Street, Suite 600, Kansas City, MO 64110
www.kcsicklecell.org

To educate the public about sickle cell disease, with special emphasis given to people of childbearing age, while improving the quality of life with direct services for patients and their families that suffer from this disease.

Contact: Jim Collier
Phone: 816-444-5600

Email: scdaakc@aol.com
Fax: 816-444-7907

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Help carry out the agency's mission.

Specific expertise/requirements: Legal, fundraising, and organizational experience

Are board members required to serve on committees? No

Board meets: Monthly (3rd Thursday)

Time commitment: One year

Financial expectations? Yes (\$25)

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Sickle Cell Disease Association of America - Kansas City Chapter

1734 East 63rd Street, Suite 600, Kansas City, MO 64110
www.kcsicklecell.org

To educate the public about sickle cell disease, with special emphasis given to people of childbearing age, while improving the quality of life with direct services for patients and their families that suffer from this disease.

Contact: Jim Collier **Email:** scdaakc@aol.com
Phone: 816-444-5600 **Fax:** 816-444-7907

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Govern and direct chapter activities, cooperating with other members to provide funding for those activities.

Specific expertise/requirements: Previous board experience

Are board members required to serve on committees? n/a

Board meets: Monthly

Time commitment: Two-hour monthly meeting and assorted tasks to carry out board duties

Financial expectations? Yes - \$100 board membership

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Special Neighbors, Inc.

3675 South Noland Road, Suite 110, Independence, MO 64052
www.specialneighbors.org

To empower and assist persons with developmental disabilities to live and participate in the community with dignity.

Contact: John Davis **Email:** john@specialneighbors.org
Phone: 816-836-3462 **Fax:** 816-836-5158

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Commit to the mission and goals of Special Neighbors, serve on one board committee, foster a positive working relationship with other board members and the general staff, and attend the annual strategic planning retreat.

Specific expertise/requirements: Legal, accounting, marketing, human resources and/or healthcare

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Montly (1st Tuesday)

Time commitment: Three years

Financial expectations? Yes

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Special Olympics Missouri

9001 West 67th Street, Merriam, KS 66202
www.somo.org

To provide year-round sports training and athletic competition for all children and adults with mental disabilities, giving them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in a sharing of gifts, skill, and friendships with their families, other Special Olympics athletes, and the community.

Contact: Jeremie Ballinger
Phone: 913-789-0332

Email: ballinger@somo.org
Fax: 913-789-0331

Type of volunteer position: Board Advisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Serve on one or more of the following committees: competitions, development, volunteers, families, coaches, mission delivery/outreach, or public relations/media.

Specific expertise/requirements: Volunteer management, sports management, fundraising & development, special event planning and networking via booster clubs, support groups, etc.

Are board members required to serve on committees? n/a

Board meets: Quarterly

Time commitment: Varies

Financial expectations? No

Truman Medical Center Behavioral Health
2211 Charlotte Street, Kansas City, MO 64108
www.tmcmed.org

Academic health centers providing accessible, state of the art, quality healthcare to the community, regardless of ability to pay.

Contact: Skye Howard
Phone: 816-404-5805

Email: skye-ann.howard@tmcmed.org
Fax: 816-404-5845

Type of volunteer position: Board xAdvisory xCommittee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Serve on the Futures Advisory Council which is works on programming for youth ages 16 to 25 with mental illness or emotional disturbance. Members will provide oversight and advice regarding implementation and operation of programming and resources possibilities. Membership will also learn and help educate the public.

Specific expertise/requirements: Interest in mental health of youth and young adults as well as ties to the community, preferably midtown, downtown, northeast, and/or east.

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Quarterly

Time commitment: 1 to 3 hrs per month

Financial expectations? No

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Truman Medical Center Hospital Hill Auxiliary

2301 Holmes Street, Kansas City, MO 64108

www.tmcmed.org

To secure financial and volunteer aid for patients and staff, and to support the Center's mission in the community.

Contact: Jane Bardwell

Email: jane.bardwell@tmcmed.org

Phone: 816-404-3306

Fax: 816-404-3305

Type of volunteer position: x Board Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Board offices include president, 1st and 2nd vice presidents, secretary, treasurer, assistant treasurer and gift shop treasurer. Board members serve as chairs of their committees and attend four board meetings a year. They also attend general assembly meetings each year.

Specific expertise/requirements: We are looking specifically for someone with expertise in accounting or bookkeeping to be willing to be elected to the Treasurer office.

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Every third Friday in August, November, February and May

Time commitment: 25-30 hrs per year

Financial expectations? Yes - \$10/year

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The University of Missouri Kansas City ACED Advisory Committee

2220 Holmes Street, Room 224, Kansas City, MO 64108

www.ihd.umkc.edu/ACED/

To teach independent living skills and provide life-enhancing experiences.

Contact: Wendy Seelbinder

Email: seelbinderw@umkc.edu

Phone: 816-235-1754

Fax: 816-235-1762

Type of volunteer position: Board xAdvisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: To contribute opinions and suggestions for program development and review the status of the program. To raise community awareness of ACED. To assist in recruiting financial backing or donations. To serve on one sub-committee. To attend 2-3 meetings a year, visit an ACED class, and attend a minimum of one certificate ceremony annually. Term limit of 2 years, with a possibility of a 2-year renewal.

Specific expertise/requirements: Experience with adults with disabilities or strong interest in the above or a related area, such as social services. Having a family member or friend with a disability is an added plus. However, we are looking for professionals and other interested community members as well. Appreciate open-minded people.

Are board members required to serve on committees? Yes

Board meets: Evenings, usually at MCC-Longview, but we are flexible

Time commitment: 2-8 hrs annually, excluding visits to programs or classes; committees will meet a minimum of three hrs annually

Financial expectations? No

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Whatsoever Community Center

1201 Ewing Avenue, Kansas City, MO 64126
www.whatsoevercc.org

Whatsoever Community Center supports the growth and development of families, by providing a variety of programs for children, youth and adults to build a solid foundation for life.

Contact: Misty Toomey
Phone: 816-231-0227 x101

Email: mistytoomey@yahoo.com
Fax: 816-231-0092

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Members shall represent the Center with financial, programmatic and mission driven decisions and support.

Specific expertise/requirements: None

Are board members required to serve on committees? No

Board meets: Monthly (4th Wednesday at noon)

Time commitment: 30 hours/year

Financial expectations? Yes - \$150/year board fees and fundraising support throughout the year

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Wyandotte Serves Wyandotte Works

736 Shawnee Avenue, Kansas City, KS 66101

To reconnect some of the community's most vulnerable citizens to mainstream American life through personal development, economic self-sufficiency, and lifelong community involvement.

Contact: Lora McDonald
Phone: 913-621-7440

Email:
Fax: 913-621-7447

Type of volunteer position: xBoard Advisory Committee Other

Roles & responsibilities: Participate in fundraising activities; promote the organization and its mission throughout the community; attend monthly meetings; assistance with web development

Specific expertise/requirements: Legal experience, particularly an understanding of nonprofit law would be ideal. We also would like a person with finance experience. Any volunteers would be considered. We also have an interest in representation from the Hispanic community.

Are board members required to serve on committees?

Board meets: Monthly (2nd Tuesday at 5:30 PM)

Time commitment: 2 years minimum

Financial expectations? Yes