

HALTON FOOD FOR THOUGHT

BOARD MEMBER

About Us

Halton Food for Thought, in partnership with the community, is the sole provider of Student Nutrition Programs in schools across the Halton Region including Burlington, Oakville, Milton and Halton Hills. We believe that when given access to healthy food at school, every student has the best chance for success. Our vision is a Halton Region in which “no student goes hungry at school”! We feed kids - healthy food! Thousands of kids every day!

Responsibility

As the highest leadership body of the organization, our board is responsible for acting in the best interests of our organization and the community, making well-informed decisions, with a broader knowledge and an inclusive perspective.

Principal Duties

Every member of our Board of Directors is expected to do the following:

- Prepare for and participate in board meetings
- Listen to others’ views, advocate their own, identify common interests and alternatives, and be open to compromise
- Participate in the review of our organization’s mission and objectives and in the development of a strategic plan
- Help the board to monitor the performance of our organization in relation to our mission, objectives, core values and reputation
- Abide by the by-laws, code of conduct, conflict of interest and other policies that apply to the board
- Participate in the approval of the annual budget and monitor the financial performance of our organization in relation to the budget
- Support governance decisions once voted on and approved
- Serve as active advocates and ambassadors for our organization and fully engage in identifying and securing the financial resources and partnerships necessary for our organization to advance its mission

Accountability

The Board of Directors is collectively accountable to the members, community, funders, and other stakeholders. They are accountable for our organization’s performance in relation to its mission and strategic objectives, and for the effective stewardship of financial and human resources.

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Time Commitment

Approximately six hours per month – which includes attending board meetings, preparing for board meetings, participating in committees, and attending special events.

Term of Office

Two-year term, with possible renewal.

If interested please apply to:

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