

## Public Charter School Governing Board Member Information Sheet

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Please respond to the following questions:

1. Why do you wish to serve on the governing board?  
I want join the board of ELC to learn more about how to serve a local educational institution. I want to support an institution that would have been helpful for me to utilize when I was school aged.
2. What is your understanding of the educational needs of students in the catchment area?  
This catchment area has a diverse cross section of educational needs. ELC fulfills multiple demographics of needs.
3. Please list any previous or present educational involvement; such as board member, budget committee, citizens committees, etc. List school(s) or district(s).  
I have no previous or present educational involvement. Aside from the student perspective.
4. What special qualifications do you have that will help you to be a board member?  
My qualifications are lived experience, relationship building experience, and my professional skill set.
5. What is your understanding of the role you will play as a public charter school board member?  
Board members are tasked with supporting ELC meets it's mission, help provide funding from community sources, provide fiscal insight and steering, oversee compliance with charter school regulations, and vet prospective employees to the school.

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