

2018 MLS Board of Directors Self-Nomination Form

Nomination forms must be submitted no later than Friday, June 16, 2017.



Are you interested in serving your MLS as an Officer or Director? Tell us why you should be considered by the Nominating Committee to be on the Slate. The Nominating Committee (Past Presidents) is seeking talented, forward thinking individuals who represent a broad spectrum of the membership in terms of diversity, firm size (large and small) and firm type (independents and franchises).

Criteria for Serving on the CMMLS Board of Directors

- Must be the **Principal Broker** of the firm who applied for MLS Participation
- Can make objective decisions without prejudice
- Has a desire to help the MLS Service remain relevant into the future
- Can commit to attending monthly MLS Board of Directors meetings (3rd Thursday of each month)
- Regularly attends MLS Participants meetings
- Votes in MLS elections
- Is knowledgeable about the MLS products and services currently being provided
- Ability to make decisions that are best for the membership as a whole

* Making your interest known through this form does not guarantee a nomination by the Nominating Committee. *

1. MLS Board of Directors Nominee Information

Name of Nominee	<input type="text"/>
Firm Name	<input type="text"/>
Email Address	<input type="text"/>
Phone Number	<input type="text"/>

2. Please select any position(s) which you have interest in serving. You may be considered for one or more positions provided that you meet the criteria stated above.

- Director (two-year term)**
Four new Directors are selected every year. Responsible for making policies affecting the operation of the Multiple Listing Service; is committed to helping the MLS provide state-of-the-art products and services that meet the needs of the Participants; is willing to stay abreast of issues and events taking place outside our local market that could affect the products and services provided to Participants. Directors meet routinely once a month for approximately two hours and at other times when called upon by the President. Directors are committed to attending all meetings knowing that missing two consecutive meetings can result in a request for resignation from the President. The nominating committee generally nominates 8 to run in the election and the 4 with the highest number of votes are elected.
- Treasurer (one-year term)**
Serves as the chief elected financial officer of the MLS with oversight over receipt and disbursement of funds; works with the staff Finance Officer as necessary to become familiar with the MLS budget and financial processes and allocations; responsible for presenting and interpreting the monthly financial statements for the Board of Directors at each monthly meeting; serves on the Budget Committee who creates the annual MLS budget; committed to attending each monthly meeting and others as called by the President.
- President-Elect (one-year term)**
Is familiar with the local and national trends on the MLS forefront. Performs the duties of the MLS President when requested by the President; presides over meetings and discharges other duties of the President in the President's absence; serves on the MLS Committee as the liaison to the Board of Directors; stays abreast of national MLS issues and trends; has the ability to travel to two National REALTOR® meetings: the NAR REALTOR® Party Conference in Washington in May and NAR's Annual meeting (at a different location each year) in November with expenses reimbursed upon return. The President-Elect succeeds to the office of President at the conclusion of current President's term.
- President (one-year term)**
Leads the Multiple Listing Service in accordance with that outlined in the MLS section of the REALTOR® Association's Strategic Plan. Attends two National Association of REALTORS® meetings in May and November and other MLS meetings as needed to stay abreast of issues and trends. The President's travel expenses will be reimbursed upon returning from national meetings. Remains on the Board the year after Presidency as Immediate Past-President. The 2016 President-Elect automatically advances to the President's position.

Describe why you have an interest in serving as an MLS Officer or Director.

3. By entering your name below, you will attest that you meet all stated criteria listed at the beginning of this form to serve on the MLS Board.

If you are nominated, you will be required to provide a photo and other supplemental information that will be posted on the CMR website for members to view prior to the election. Supplemental information can be a letter to members, a statement, a bio, a resume or video. You may submit that information along with the Interest Survey if you would like the Nominating Committee to also have the information as they consider who to nominate.