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Tampa Connection 2017-2018 Potential Board Member Information Form Applications DUE APRIL 14, 2017

Please consider the following before applying to serve on the board:

- Elections will be held on April 20, 2017, during the board meeting.
- You must have a board member sponsor your nomination for the April 20, 2017, board meeting.
- Please attach a short letter of interest to this form. Include your qualifications and what attributes and/or ideas you would bring to the board.
- Your board sponsor will submit this information form and your letter of interest for consideration.
- The Chairman will notify you of the outcome after the election.
- If chosen for the board, you will attend a 1-hour orientation on May 18, 2017, to prepare you for the board retreat and upcoming events.
- You also will be required to participate in our all-day retreat on May 25, 2017.

The following lists information and responsibilities of the Tampa Connection Board:

- There are 24 members on Tampa Connection Board.
- Members serve a three-year term with an option for an additional three-year term.
- Board meetings are generally held on the Tuesday following a class program and last approximately 1 ½ hours.
- This is a “working” board with responsibilities and duties.
- Each member will participate on planning committees responsible for two or three programs.
- After serving one year, a board member may become the lead for a program.
- New board members serve as a team liaison for at least the first year.
- Team liaisons attend team meetings and provide support and guidance for the team.
- Liaisons report to the board the status updates of the team.
- Board members attend program events and help assist the planning committee.
- Board members actively participate in recruiting and selecting new class members.

Service to the Board of Directors requires a commitment of your time and abilities. The current class, our alumni, and your fellow board members expect you to attend Tampa Connection programs, events, and board meetings throughout the year. To accomplish this, we have set an attendance policy that requires board members miss no more than 4 board meetings throughout the year.



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Yes, I would like to be considered for a position on the Tampa Connection Board! I understand the commitment and dedication it takes to make Tampa Connection experience a success.

PLEASE PRINT

Name: _____ Date: _____

Employer: _____ Title: _____

Address: _____ City, St, Zip _____

E-mail address: _____ Phone: _____

Signature: _____ Board Sponsor: _____

Drivers Lic. #: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Tampa Connection Class of _____. (Use year in which graduation took place.)

Please attach:

- Letter of interest
- Brief biography

Submit all information to your board sponsor by: _____.



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2017 - 2018 Program Calendar (locations TBA)

* A Happy Hour follows each afternoon program.

Date	Program
Aug 25, 2017	Opening Meeting (All Day)
Sep 19, 2017	Purposes and Projects
Oct 17, 2017	Tampa 101 (All Day)
Nov 2, 2017	Tampa Connection Golf Tournament
Nov 14, 2017	Military Day
Dec 12, 2017	Community Impact Day
Jan 11, 2018	Local Government Program (AM)
Feb 6, 2018	Sports Day (All Day)
Mar 6, 2018	Arts Day (PM)
Apr 10, 2018	Public Safety Day (All Day)
May 8, 2018	Philanthropy Engagement (PM)
May 15, 2018	Recruitment Mixer
May 22, 2018	Graduation

2017 - 2018 Board Meeting Calendar (location TBA)

Date	Board Meeting
May 18, 2017	New Board Member Orientation
May 25, 2017	Retreat (All Day)
Jun 15, 2017	Project Review (3:00 – 6:00)
Jun 27, 2017	Project Review (3:00 – 6:00)
Aug 3, 2017	Pre Opening Retreat Meeting
Aug 29, 2017	Post Opening Retreat
Sep 26, 2017	Post Purpose and Projects
Oct 24, 2017	Post Tampa 101
Nov 16, 2017	Post Military
Dec 15, 2017	Board Holiday Party
Jan 23, 2018	Post Local Government Program
Feb 13, 2018	Post Sports Day
Feb 20, 2018	Recruitment Mixer
Mar 13, 2018	Post Art’s Day
April 17, 2018	Post Public Safety Day and Officer & Board Member Elections
May 15, 2018	Post Philanthropy Engagement
June 1, 2018	Retreat (All Day)