

Board of Directors Position

West Shore Wildlife Center board members are responsible for helping lead the organization to a sustainable future. Board members work to advance the wildlife center's mission by providing legal and fiduciary oversight, participating in fundraising and using their unique expertise to help the wildlife center grow. This leadership role is of utmost importance to the wildlife center's future success.

Please Note: While there will be opportunities to see the wildlife center's work up close, **no animal care or handling is involved with this position**

Responsibilities

- Ensure that WSWC works on its mission of inspiring coexistence between humans and wildlife
- Help make decisions and strategically plan for the future of WSWC
- Oversee the executive director in collaboration with the entire board of directors
- Fundraise for monetary and in-kind support for WSWC
- Attend fundraisers and events and serve as an ambassador for our work

Requirements

- At least 18 years of age
- Willing to dedicate at least 4 hours of your time monthly to the position
- Attend at least 75% of regularly scheduled board meetings (usually bi-monthly)
- Make a personal, meaningful financial contribution to WSWC annually
- Willing to serve for a term of at least two years
- Professionals with a background in marketing, local government, environmental education, veterinary medicine or conservation biology are encouraged to apply, but these specific skills are not required

Please Note

- It is <u>highly recommended</u> that you complete the application on a desktop device.
- If you have any questions regarding volunteer positions, reach out to our Executive Director emilygarrigan@westshorewildlife.org

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