

DAHLIA LIVING BOARD OF DIRECTORS

RIGHTS OF BOARD MEMBERS

1. To be fully informed about the responsibilities, time commitment, organization, etc. before accepting the position of Board member.
2. To have opportunities for orientation and continuing training opportunities to allow the Board member to function effectively.
3. To be kept fully informed through accurate financial and management reports; advance notice of meetings, agenda and action items; prompt receipt of meeting minutes, and personal involvement in agency activities.
4. To expect that volunteer time not be wasted by lack of planning or coordinated effort within the agency or Board of Directors.
5. To be assigned jobs that are worthwhile and challenging with options to use existing skills or develop new ones; to be able to refuse an assignment if one feels that his/her skills or interests are not applicable to the job.
6. To be trusted with confidential information that will facilitate one's assignments.
7. To be recognized for participation and contributions.
8. To be respected by other Board members, staff and volunteers and return that respect.