

2010-11 Officers and Directors - *Are you ready to serve?*

Q. What is the process to fill vacancies among the Officers and Directors?

A. Any REALTOR® member who wants to be considered to fill a vacancy on the Board of Directors will automatically be placed on the ballot (provided they are a member in good standing). Affiliate Members may serve as Directors provided they are a member in good standing.

Q. What happens if more than one person applies for the same vacant position on the Board?

A. There will most likely be more than one candidate for each vacancy. All candidates (who are members in good standing) will be placed on the ballot along with a brief synopsis of their qualifications. Voting on the ballot will take place at the Annual meeting, October 5, 2010.

Q. How do I submit my name to be a candidate or how do I nominate someone else?

A. Complete the application form and submit to SMAR by the deadline **August 20, 2010**.

Q. Where can I get an application?

A. In addition to the application included with the Newsletter, you may request an application by calling the SMAR Office 301-274-4406 or 888-340-8727.

Q. What is a member in good standing?

A. Dues and fees are paid up-to-date and no outstanding Professional Standards sanctions.

Q. Are there specific requirements or qualifications to serve as an Officer or Director?

A. No. However, it is recommended that candidates have at least five years experience as an active licensee. Experience serving on Committees at the local, state or national level is a plus.

Q. How many members are on the Board of Directors?

A. Five (5) Officers – President, President-Elect, Vice President, Secretary/Treasurer, Immediate Past President. Nine (9) Directors – who are REALTOR® and Affiliate members as follows:

- Three (3) Directors whose principal office is located in Calvert County; one of which may be an affiliate member;
- Three (3) Directors whose principal office is located in Charles County; one of which may be an affiliate member;
- Three (3) Directors whose principal office is located in St. Mary’s County one of which may be an affiliate member.

Q. How long is the commitment to serve on the Board of Directors?

A. Officers are elected for terms of one-year. Directors serve for a two-year term.

Q. How often does the Board of Directors meet?

A. One Directors meeting each month. Directors are encouraged to support other Association events such as Broker/Manager Meetings, Essay & Poster Contest Reception, Candidate Meet and Greet Reception, etc.

Q. What are the duties of the Board of Directors?

A. The primary duty of a Director is to meet regularly to approve, establish, prioritize and evaluate the programs and services of the Association to be sure that they serve the mission of the Association. While a Director need not be involved in the day-to-day administrative details and operations, he/she should be sufficiently informed to represent the members in ensuring the continuity of the Association by planning for the future, establishing and reviewing major policies and programs and making sure the organization is fiscally sound. To obtain more information on specific responsibilities, please contact Jann Clark, CEO at 301-274-4406 or by e-mail: jannclark@smarweb.org.

You may nominate yourself or someone else by completing the form on the adjacent page and mailing to SMAR, 8440 Old Leonardtown Road, Suite 211, Hughesville, MD 20637 or you may fax to 301-870-2575 by the **August 20, 2010**.

2010-11 OFFICERS

President	President-Elect	Vice President	Secretary/Treasurer
Beth Gilliland	_____	_____	_____
	<small>(one-year term, moves up to President)</small>	<small>(one-year term)</small>	<small>(one-year term)</small>

2010-11 DIRECTORS

Calvert County		Charles County		St. Mary’s County	
	Term Expires		Term Expires		Term Expires
Keely Tolley	October 31, 2011	Matt Davis	October 31, 2011	Beverly Moody	October 31, 2011
_____	October 31, 2012	Sharon Martlock	October 31, 2011	_____	October 31, 2012
_____	October 31, 2012	_____	October 31, 2012	_____	October 31, 2012

Southern Maryland Association of REALTORS®

Application for 2010-11 Board of Directors

Please read previous page for procedures and qualifications.

I am interested in serving in the _____ position.

Name

Office

Office Address

Office City

Office State

Office Zip

Home Address

Home City

Home State

Home Zip

Cell Phone #

E-mail Address

How long have you been a member of SMAR? _____

List any REALTOR® Association experience (committees, BOD, etc.): _____

List any Professional, Civic, and/or Charitable Organization experience: _____

List any skills or experience you have that may prove valuable to SMAR: _____

*With this application you may provide a resume, letters of recommendation,
or any other relevant materials. Use extra pages as needed.*

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: AUGUST 20, 2010
Fax this form to 301-870-2575