

CRITERIA FOR BOARD MEMBERS

BASICS

- Love of the Lakes, Great Lakes rivers H
- Time and commitment to actively serve on the Board H
- Commitment consistent with GLU's by-laws and policies
- Knowledge of present and/or coming GLU issues
- Experience in working with not for profits and/or citizens' groups H

LEADERSHIP

- Political savvy/organizing skills H
- Consensus building, negotiation skills H
- Recognizes and articulates key issues H
- Skills to help advance and direct GLU programmes and policies H
- Vision H

DEVELOPMENT

- Experience in fund-raising and development
- Access to potential large donors
- Skills to promote the organization, enthusiasm, a good salesperson L
- Business sense HELPS

NOT NECESSARY
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THESE FUNCTIONS
CAN BE
PERFORMED
BY STAFF
VOLUNTEER
OR HONORARY
BOARD FOR
THIS PURPOSE
ADVOCACY IS
THE MOST
IMPORTANT
BOARD FUNCTION

DIVERSITY

- Of region H
- Of task force focus H
- Of constituency H
- Economic and ethnic background H
- Expertise (science, law policy, media) L

SUPPORT TO OFFICE

- Board members from Buffalo and Windsor areas H