

SAMPLE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SURVEY

Regarding Your Board Service

1. What are the best and most challenging parts of being on the board? Are you learning? Are you having any fun? Are you contributing?

2. What do you believe is your most significant contribution to the mission?

3. Do you feel like you understand what your “job description” is on the board?
 - Don't Understand
 - Somewhat Understand
 - Mostly Understand
 - Well Understand

Additional Comments:

4. Do you feel like your current responsibilities (as a subcommittee member, board member, or on any “special assignments”) take advantage of your gifts and experience?
 - Takes Little Advantage
 - Takes Slight Advantage
 - Takes Good Advantage
 - Takes Full Advantage

Do you want to adjust your responsibilities in any way?

5. Do we communicate well? Are you comfortable with the frequency and level of communication between the CEO and the board?

- Uncomfortable
- Less Comfortable
- Mostly Comfortable
- Very Comfortable

Additional Comments:

6. Are we a high-functioning board? Do you have any concerns on how we function as a board?

- Low Functioning
- Less Functioning
- More Functioning
- High Functioning

Additional Comments:

7. What pleases you most about our mission?

8. What concerns you the most?

9. Are you comfortable with the present direction?

- Uncomfortable
- Less Comfortable
- Mostly Comfortable
- Very Comfortable

Additional Comments:

10. What will we need more of if it is to have the deepest possible impact on the places where it is working?