

# GLOBE CHARTER SCHOOL

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPLICATION

### Vision

GLOBE Charter School educates Kindergarten through Sixth Grade students academically, emotionally, and socially to become involved and productive citizens of the world.

### Mission

GLOBE Charter School's Core Principles are:

- Maintaining High Academic Expectations
- Inspiring Student Learning
- Fostering a Caring Community
- Connecting with the World
- Preparing Students for Life

These assist our students in acquiring essential academic and personal skills necessary to make a positive difference in their world

## Overview

The GLOBE Charter School Board of Directors govern the overall execution of the organization's mission. Principally, the Board of Directors manage organizational finances and sets long-term priorities for programs, policy and charter. Additionally, the Board oversees Administration, who is responsible for day-to-day management of education programs and responsible for the financial management of the corporation. Overall, the members of the Board of Directors contribute to the educational, management, legal, and financial skills needed to ensure long-term organizational stability and ensure year-to-year educational excellence for GLOBE Charter School. The Board of Directors has seven elected voting members, with terms of two years. Two Board of Directors appointed members, with terms of one year from the date of appointment.

Board of Directors responsibilities includes; attendance at all in-person meetings per year, as well as teleconference meetings and active electronic conversations as part of Board of Directors subcommittees. At times, the Board of Directors have held additional meetings that may require attendance.

Board of Directors members also hold a fiduciary responsibility for management of organizational capital and ensuring appropriate filings with federal, state, and local authorities consistent with the Charter contract and incorporation status as a 501c3 non-profit organization. The corporation's attendance policy for directors allows for removal if three meetings are missed without notice.

## Declaration of Candidacy

We encourage you to speak with the current Board members to obtain a first-hand perspective on the positions and the organization (e-mail addresses are at the GLOBE Charter School office, or on the website at [www.globecharter.org](http://www.globecharter.org)). Board positions, at times may require time, energy and commitment which should not be underestimated. Candidates are encouraged to consider the depth of personal priorities for the next year, as well as, the ways to contribute to the development of the organization.

## *Current GLOBE BOARD of DIRECTORS:*

*Chuck Reed-President*

*Chad Wehner- Vice President*

*Pamela Keith - Treasurer*

## **To apply:**

- Submit the one-page Board of Directors Application (page 2 of this document) and a Biography (if possible) of yourself by the last day of each month to be considered at the next regularly scheduled meeting.
- Copies of the one-page application will be distributed to those selecting members of the Board of Directors and if selected, the chair of the selection committee may advocate for you at the next meeting when you present to the Board your public candidacy for a seat on the Board of Directors.
- Submit all applications to the office of GLOBE Charter School located at; 3302 Alpine Place, Colorado Springs, CO 80909-2100, (719) 630-0577

## Time and Financial Considerations

### Meetings:

- Currently -Second Monday of each month.
- Conference Calls (can be monthly) for updates on programs, setting policy, approving committee work.
- Committee Work (in person) on the Board Development, Finance, Program or Fundraising Committee.
- Possible additional weekend Board meetings or Executive Committee meetings as scheduled.
- Attend all village assemblies

**Travel Cost:** As part of good stewardship, members are encouraged to use school funds for Board related activities. GLOBE policies provide shared lodging and transportation reimbursement (up to certain maximums) for travel if it is required to travel to conferences or certain out of town meetings. Faculty members are not allowed to be on the Board.

**Donations:** As with any Board, members could be solicited for in-kind donation; 100% participation is sought; monetary amount is optional and is not required and further does not guarantee a position on the Board of Directors

Name	
School/Company	
Current Occupation	
<b>Contact Details</b>	
Address	
Primary	
Secondary	
Email	

**We want to understand your views on current operations and how your potential contributions might fit with the organization’s vision and mission. Please answer the following questions. Limit your response to this page/the space provided. Address and contact information will not be distributed. Please also send your résumé or CV.**

1. Please **briefly** describe your academic and professional background, and other relevant experience.

2. Why do you seek a position on the GLOBE Charter School Board of Directors?

3. Please briefly outline the specific skills you bring, or contributions you hope to make, to GLOBE Charter School.

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