

## **Board of Directors Application**

Thank you for your interest in serving on the Board of Directors for the Coolidge Chamber of Commerce. This form will be reviewed by the Chamber's Nominating Committee when creating a slate of candidates to fill vacancies for Board of Director positions. In order for the Nominating Committee to attain the best slate of candidates we do ask that you please complete the following application in full.

<u>Chamber Mission</u>: To provide leadership for the continued growth of our community. We advocate an environment in which our local businesses succeed and our community prospers. We support and strengthen this environment by driving economic development, fostering community partnerships and promotion of our members.

## A Chamber board member is one who:

- Has solid ethics, a strong community involvement and belief in the purpose of the Coolidge Chamber
- Available to attend monthly board meetings (currently the first Tuesday of the month from 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM)
- Has demonstrated ability through committee service or other community service
- Has a great deal of energy and enthusiasm
- Has time to commit to the Chamber, its activities and its Board Of Directors
- Is willing to serve on a Chamber committee
- Understands board members are not reimbursed for personal expenses
- Understands the board members may not act where there is real or perceived conflict of interest
- Can serve a for a full term of three years

The following guidelines are used by the Nominating Committee in preparing a slate of candidates to fill vacancies for the Board of Directors positions:

- Activity and involvement with the Coolidge Chamber
- Tenure as a member of the Coolidge Chamber
- Skills, knowledge, experience and education related to the Chamber, its activities, its programs, board responsibilities and to business as a whole
- Primary consideration will be individuals and their potential contribution versus consideration of a single organization

If you know of a good candidate, please refer this form to them.

Full Name:
Employer/Company Name:
Position/Title:
Business Address:
Business Phone #: Personal Cell #:
Personal E-Mail Address:
Number Years with Present Employer: Number of Years in Coolidge:
Please indicate why you are interested in serving on the Coolidge Chamber Board of Directors:
How do you feel that you can contribute to the success of the Chamber?
Will you be an advocate for the Chamber by recruiting new members, fundraising, and speaking positively about the work of the organization?
For Board Use:
Action Taken by Nominating Committee:
Action taken by Board of Directors: