THE CROSSING CHURCH BOARD MEMBER NOMINATION FORM

INTRODUCTION

The Board is responsible for the ongoing business of the Church. The congregation elects and empowers the Board to undertake on behalf of the Church all powers and responsibilities not retained by the membership specifically.

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Nominator completes form on behalf of nominee having regard for the requirement in order to be considered for election as a board member.
- 2. Nominee, Nominator and Seconder must sign and date the form.
- 3. Completed and signed nomination form must be submitted to the Board Secretary by the deadline of *July* 31, 2024.

REQUIREMENTS

In order to be considered for election as a board member, an individual:

- a. Must be an active Voting Member of the Church for at least one year
- b. Must be nominated by a non-related, active Voting Member
- c. Must be greater than 19 years of age
- d. Must be mentally competent
- e. Must have the status of non-bankrupt
- f. Must submit to a criminal record check
- g. Must be willing to commit to regular attendance of Board meetings / activities
- h. Must meet the requirements as exemplified in 1 Timothy 3:8-13

CONSIDERATIONS

The individual should have a mature, active and growing relationship with Jesus as Saviour and Lord, regularly practice spiritual disciplines and exhibit the fruit of the Spirit as exemplified in Galatians 5:22-23.

The individual should have experience in a variety of church ministries and demonstrated a servant leader attitude.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Board member responsibilities are described in By-Law 12 of the By-Laws of The Crossing Church. In summary The Board:

- a. Will have accountability to the congregation for governance and finances
- b. Will hold the Senior Pastor accountable for carrying out the Purpose of the Church
- c. Will provide support to the Senior Pastor, providing a forum for the Senior Pastor to seek guidance and direction in spiritual matters, and in providing advice, counselling or other assistance
- d. Will be corporate directors of the Church, being accountable to the Church membership



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Nominee Name.	
Describe how the nominee fulfills the requirements and desired attributes of a Board Member having regard to The Board responsibilities as described above.	
Nominee ¹ (print name & sign):	Date:
Nominator (print name & sign):	Date:
Seconder (print name & sign):	Date:

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¹ The nominee will be subject to a Certification Process (minimum requirements described in By-Law 13.6) which shall include an interview during which the nominee should present their personal testimony and reasons why they believe they are a suitable candidate to serve. If, at the end of the Certification Process, a nominee is deemed by the Certification Committee as suitable to stand for election and has signed the covenant to serve, then the nominee will be presented at a Congregational Meeting for the Election of Board members.