

CALIFORNIA HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

CREATING OPPORTUNITIES TO END POVERTY

## BOARD MEMBER POSITION DESCRIPTION

## **POSITION:** Board Member of the California Human Development Corporation **Board of Directors POSITION SUMMARY:** This is a volunteer position providing governance and oversight to the California Human Development Corporation (CHD). CHD is a 501(c)(3) Officers whose Mission is: Creating Paths and Opportunities for people to rise above barriers in Emila Aguilar, Chair their pursuit of better lives. CHDC provides services over a regional area in Northern Antonio Silva, Vice Chair California including 31 counties. Luis Sanchez, Treasurer Horacio Parás, Secretary **VOLUNTEER DUTIES:** The specific duties of a CHD Board Member are as follows: Directors 1. Representing the Corporation: Board members may be asked, in coordination with the Board Chair and the CEO, to represent the Corporation in public forums and enhance CHD's Miguel Mejia public image. Maximiliano Aquilar Hector Brambila Regularly attends board meetings: Board members attend meetings and committee Carly Huston meetings, stays informed about committee matters, reviews Board packets and are **Maridel Perlas** prepared for meetings. **Interim Chief Executive** Officer 3. Events and Fundraising: Board members are expected to actively participate in the CHD's community and fundraising events. This may include an individual commitment by Board Kai Harris members. Divisions 4. Strategic Planning: Actively participates in the Strategic Planning process during the annual Board retreat and throughout the year. **Training & Jobs** Affordable Housing 5. Reviews and works with Chief Executive Officer (CEO): Actively partners with the CEO to disABILITY Services ensure mission and goals are met. Immigration & Citizenship Drug Free Living 6. Committee Assignments: Board members are expected to actively serve on one or more Board Committees. 7. Avoidance of Conflicts of Interest: Board members are expected to avoid and disclose any potential personal and/or organizational conflicts of interest.

8. Assessment of Performance: The Board reviews its own performance on an annual basis.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** Interested individuals must be willing to serve as volunteers and represent their local communities. A minimum time commitment of one day a month is expected. Individuals should be able to drive in order to attend Board meetings. Individuals will be compensated for direct expenses related to travel and meeting attendance. CHD welcomes applications from individuals with direct experience, expertise and interests in the areas of farm labor, housing, immigration services, rehabilitation services, employment and training, the criminal justice system and other human service programs.

**<u>EEO</u>**: Board members are recruited based on qualifications and expertise, without regard to race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, age, veteran status, marital status, mental or physical disability (including aids), medical condition (including cancer) and political or religious affiliation or beliefs.