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Call for nominations to the Volunteer Canada Board of Directors

Are you interested in putting your leadership skills to work with a national organization that strengthens citizen engagement and catalyses voluntary action? If so, consider applying to join Volunteer Canada's dynamic and diverse Board of Directors.

Volunteer Canada is issuing a call for nominations for two member-at-large positions to serve on its Board of Directors for a two-year term. As a board member, you'll have a voice in determining the strategic direction of the organization and gain a wealth of experience in leadership and non-profit governance.

To apply, please review the following letter from the Chair of the Governance Committee and the board member position description, which outlines the skills the Board is seeking, and the requirements for the job. If you're interested, consider completing and submitting the application along with a resume, to Ruth MacKenzie, President & CEO, Volunteer Canada, at rmackenzie@volunteer.ca. Nominations are due Friday, April 13, 2012.

- [Member-at-Large Nomination Covering Letter](#)
- [Board Nomination Position Description](#)
- [Board Nomination Application Form](#)

Former Volunteer Canada board member awarded with Diamond Jubilee Medal

Volunteer Canada would like to congratulate Barney Ellis-Perry, former member of the Board of Directors, on being awarded the [Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal](#). The medal honours outstanding Canadians for their contributions and achievements.

Barney's contribution to Volunteer Canada has been substantive. His impact as a board member of the organization has been considerable. Barney spent eight years on the Volunteer Canada Board of Directors, during which time he served as Vice-Chair, Chair, Chair of the Public Policy Committee and Chair of the Nominating & Governance Committee.

Volunteer Canada benefitted enormously from Barney's passion, strategic and innovative thinking, relationship-building skills and fundraising expertise. Since his time on the Board, he has continued to be a tireless champion, advocate and trusted advisor to Volunteer Canada, and for the cause of volunteerism.