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## Upper Maumee Watershed Partnership Board Director Expectations Approved 11-4-15

## Who are our Directors?

The Upper Maumee Watershed Partnership is a locally-led group of concerned citizens and organizations whose primary goal is the improvement of water quality throughout the Upper Maumee River Watershed and ultimately throughout the Western Lake Erie Basin. Partnership Board directors represent a variety of institutions, businesses, local government agencies, and other groups.

## **Responsibilities of Board Director**

- Understand and support the mission of the Upper Maumee Watershed Partnership.
- Make an effort to become familiar with and understand the Partnership's purpose, goals, policies, programs, services, strengths and needs.
- Prepare for and participate in Board and committee meetings.
- Bring good will and a sense of humor to the Board's deliberations.
- Attend at least five of the six bi-monthly Board meetings (remote attendance available)
- Serve on at least one standing committee. Standing committees are:

**Executive Committee** 

Nominating Committee

Septic System Committee

Agriculture Committee

**Urban Committee** 

**Recreation Committee** 

- Participate in one activity or ad hoc committee per year:
  - Activities might include: publications, activities in support of grants, providing letters of support, speaker's bureau, etc.
  - Ad hoc committees might include: Media Relations Committee or other committees established to assist with a specific event or program.
- Assist in identifying potential partners.
- Assist in recruiting new board directors, particularly looking for men and women of achievement who can make significant contributions to the work of the board and the organization's progress.