



# Maine Strong Memorial Foundation

## Board Member Application

### Mission Statement

The Maine Strong Memorial Foundation seeks to provide temporary financial relief to Maine families who are affected by unexpected tragedy. We aim to raise funds through annual events to provide donation matches.

### Vision Statement

To honor the legacy of those we've lost by providing unwavering support during life's unexpected challenges, ensuring their spirit lives on through our dedication, and continuing to exemplify our community's Lewiston Strong motto.

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## Applicant Information

**Full Name (First & Last):**

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**Email Address:**

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**Phone Number:**

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**Current Occupation / Employer:**

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## Application Questions

1. Why is joining the Maine Strong Memorial Foundation Board important to you?



2. **Were you personally impacted by the events that took place in October 2023? If so, please share as much as you feel comfortable.**

3. **What skills, experiences, or perspectives would you bring to the board?**

4. **Do you have prior nonprofit or board experience? If yes, please describe.**

5. **Describe your strengths in the following areas (if applicable):**

- Forward-thinking / strategic planning
- Working in a group setting
- Organizational skills
- Community connections



## Commitment Expectations

Board members are expected to:

- Commit to a **12-month term**
  - Attend **1–2 meetings per month**, either virtually (e.g., Zoom) or in person
  - Actively contribute to fundraising efforts, planning, and community outreach
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## Selection Process

Please read and acknowledge the following:

- All applications will be reviewed by the Board of Directors.
  - A **board vote will take place prior to inviting candidates for an interview.**
  - Following the interview process, the **board will vote again before making final selections.**
  - Selected candidates will enter a **six-month probationary period**, during which:
    - No official board position will be assigned
    - Either the individual or the board may determine that the role is not the right fit
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## Agreement

By signing below, I confirm that:

- I understand the expectations and time commitment required
- I acknowledge the selection and probationary process outlined above
- I am committed to supporting the mission and vision of the Maine Strong Memorial Foundation

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_