



July 5, 2023

Dear Valued Chamber Member:

The Defiance Area Chamber of Commerce is accepting nominations for open positions for the **2023 Board of Directors**. The Chamber enjoys a long and successful history of serving our business community and is seeking leaders to represent the Chamber's Core Values as outlined in the Chamber By-Laws:

- **Knowledgeable**
- **Credible**
- **Accountable**
- **Responsive**
- **Supportive**

Please consider nominating yourself or another business professional you feel would be an asset to the Defiance Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors. Ideal candidates would like to have a voice in the local decision-making processes for the betterment of the organization and of the business community.

Board meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month from 12 – 1pm. Board members also serve on the Chamber Committees, such as finance, marketing, public affairs, and event specific planning committees.

Nominees are then presented to the membership for voting, and induction occurs at the Awards Banquet and Annual Meeting on Thursday, September 14<sup>th</sup>. Board terms are four years in length, beginning in January. **Chamber Membership for the individual or the individual's employer is a requirement.**

The deadline to nominate is **Friday, August 4, 2023** at 4:00 pm. Please deliver, mail, or email your completed Nomination Form to Defiance Area Chamber of Commerce, 400 Clinton St., Defiance, OH 43512 or email it to [sarah.tackett@defiancechamber.com](mailto:sarah.tackett@defiancechamber.com).

Thank you for your consideration. We look forward to receiving your nomination and to welcoming our newest Board members.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sarah".

Sarah Tackett

Executive Director/CEO



## Board of Directors – Nomination Form

Four-Year Term of January 2024 through December 2027

**Nomination Deadline: August 4, 2023**

### Nominee Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation / Title & Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Prior employer(s): \_\_\_\_\_

### Business Achievements:

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### Civic and Community Leadership Activities:

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### Previous Board Service / Experience:

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**If self-nomination, why would you like to be a Board Member for the Defiance Area Chamber of Commerce? If nominating another, why do you believe that this person would be an asset to the Chamber Board?**

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**Nominator Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominator Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

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