

2024-2025 Board of Directors Nomination Applicant and Employer Commitment Letter

Thank you for your interest in submitting a nomination for one of the upcoming open board positions within the Chesapeake Water Environment Association (ChesapeakeWEA or CWEA). It is important to have motivated volunteers to help CWEA achieve its mission and vision goals that were recently established in our updated 2024 CWEA Strategic Plan.

VISION: Advancing the water industry in the region through education, collaboration, and environmental stewardship.

MISSION: To lead the Chesapeake region in educating and connecting members to improve the water environment.

The open positions for the 2024-2025 CWEA Board are Vice-President, Secretary, Maryland Trustee, and Utility Member Representative.

By signing this Commitment Letter, you are confirming that you have read the CWEA Bylaws and the appropriate Standard Operating Procedures for the volunteer Board position you are nominating for.

By signing this Commitment Letter, if you are elected, you are confirming that, although a volunteer position, you understand the time and responsibility commitment that the position requires and are agreeing to fulfill the duties outlined in the Standard Operating Procedures. Commitment requirements encompass board meetings, committee meetings, attendance at certain CWEA and/or WEF planned or collaborated events, along with any related duties. These meetings, events, and/or activities may take place during the typical workday, evenings, and/or weekends.

Nomination Applicant's Signature & Date

Nomination Applicant's Supervisor

Thank you for your willingness to allow your associate to submit this nomination. Not only will your associate receive valuable leadership training and experience, but they will also have an immediate influence on improving the water/wastewater industry, along with giving positive exposure to your organization.

By signing this Commitment Letter, you are confirming that you understand the time commitment and responsibilities that will be required of your associate on a volunteer basis to serve on CWEA's Board of Directors and are agreeing to allow them to fulfill those requirements.

Applicant's Supervisor's Signature & Date

Thank you both for your willingness to help advance the water/wastewater industry in our region through education, collaboration, and environmental stewardship!

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