

## **CRITERIA FOR BOARD AND AGENCY MEMBERSHIP**

Personal Data Forms are used by the General Assembly's Nominating Committee for the purpose of preparing a slate of nominees for General Assembly boards and agencies. Each General Assembly board, agency, or advisory committee is assigned an area of responsibility. The agency membership collectively assumes the assigned responsibility on behalf of the General Assembly. "Willingness to serve" implies a commitment to the area of responsibility of the indicated board(s) or agency(s) and a commitment to work with others to fulfill those responsibilities.

### **Time Commitment**

Boards and agencies meet one, two or three times each year. Task force or committee work between meetings is sometimes necessary. Though the time commitment necessary to responsible membership varies from one entity to another and varies at different times within a given entity, the general standard is a willingness to commit at least six days a year to board or agency meetings and to assume assigned responsibilities between meetings.

### **Eligibility**

The General Assembly desires to select Cumberland Presbyterian members who are active members of local congregations that are supportive of the program of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Ministers must be members in good standing of their presbytery. Institutional boards have non-Cumberland Presbyterian as well as Cumberland Presbyterian members.

### **Boards, Agencies, and Advisory Committees of the General Assembly**

Communications Ministry Team

Corporate Board

Discipleship Ministry Team

Judiciary Committee

Ministry Council

Missions Ministry Team

Pastoral Development Ministry Team

Board of Stewardship, Foundation and Benefits

Board of Trustees of the Cumberland Presbyterian Children's Home

Board of Trustees of the Historical Foundation

Board of Trustees of Memphis Theological Seminary

Commission on Military Chaplains and Personnel

Nominating Committee

Unified Committee on Theology and Social Concerns

**PERSONAL DATA FORM**  
**FOR PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS OF BOARDS, AGENCIES and ADVISORY COMMITTEES**  
**OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

Minister       Layperson   
 Female       Male

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Preferred Title      First      Middle Initial      Last

2. Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address or P. O. Box      City      State      Zip

3. Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Work      Home

4. Fax Number \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

5. Congregation \_\_\_\_\_ Presbytery \_\_\_\_\_

6. Age: 15-19     20-24     25-34     35-44     45-54     55-64     Over 64

7. Areas of service in local congregation \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. Areas of service in Presbytery, Synod, or General Assembly \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. Occupation or Business \_\_\_\_\_

10. Education \_\_\_\_\_

11. Specify Board(s) or Agency(s) where you would like to serve \_\_\_\_\_  
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12. Comments \_\_\_\_\_  
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13. Please sign below indicating your willingness to serve if elected.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature

Recommended by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature      Date of Recommendation

General Recommendation \_\_\_\_\_  
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