

Everything that Board Members Should Know*

1. Who (or what) does each board member represent?
2. What does it mean to govern?
3. How can our board become an effective governing team?
4. How does the board affect the strategic direction of the organization?
5. What can we do to ensure that the board's relationship with the chief staff executive is a strong and healthy partnership?
6. What is the best way for board members to impact operations, management, staff work and ongoing programs and services?
7. How can each board member best support the public policy and issue advocacy efforts of the organization?
8. How can the board manage its performance as a governing team?

(*and should discuss and achieve consensus on!)