



**MICHIGAN COALITION
AGAINST HOMELESSNESS**

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MCAH BOARD COMMITTEE

*Expectations of Service for Anyone
Thinking About Getting Involved*

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EXPECTATIONS OF SERVICE FOR ANYONE THINKING ABOUT GETTING INVOLVED

Mission: We serve as an inclusive statewide voice to improve systems and support communities to prevent and end homelessness in a way that leaves no one behind.

Vision: We will advance housing justice and make ending homelessness a shared priority.

WHAT TO EXPECT

Primary Qualification

A commitment to decreasing the incidence of homelessness, improving the quality of services provided to people who are homeless, and affecting systemic change regarding the root causes of homelessness.

• *Helpful Attributes of MCAH Committee Members*

- Commitment to work on issues relating to the organization's mission
- Can provide time for committee and other agency meetings and projects, as necessary
- Critical thinking skills
- Interest in problem-solving
- Ability to interact and network with people of various backgrounds
- Representation reflective of Michigan's demographics

• *General Norms of MCAH Committee Members*

- Commitment of appropriate time
- Being prepared for committee meetings
- Fully contribute/participate during and in-between committee meetings
- Timely and responsive communication with staff and other committee members

• *MCAH Committee Options*

- Communications
- Finance
- Fund Development
- Public Policy

• *Commitment of Committee Members*

- Support the organization directly through a individual membership
- Regular participation on at least one committee
- Network with others who may help to further the organization's mission
- Bring and share your perspective
- Attend at least one MCAH-sponsored event (in-person or virtual) per year