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## The Cumberland Area Economic Development Corporation Seeks Resident for CAEDC Board of Directors Vacancy

*Interested candidates for the Cumberland Area Economic Development Corporation Board of Directors should apply by Thursday, January 23, 2025.*

**Mechanicsburg, PA** – The Cumberland Area Economic Development Corporation (CAEDC) is looking for a county resident or person employed by a business in Cumberland County who would be interested in serving on the CAEDC Board of Directors. CAEDC is looking for a community-minded candidate to fill the vacant position.

The Board of Directors includes the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer, and 11 additional Directors tasked with evaluating day-to-day operations. The volunteer Board Member will contribute to board meetings, provide input on strategic decisions, and support the organization's mission.

**Criteria for consideration:**

- Knowledge of nonprofit corporations, including governance and organizational development issues.
- Knowledge of tourism and the hospitality industry is preferred OR knowledge of economic development and/or marketing.
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to work collaboratively as a team member.
- Passion for community development and economic growth.
- Previous board or leadership experience is a plus.

The candidate will serve from February 2025 until February 2026. The Board of Directors meetings are held every 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month from 7:30 a.m. -8:30 a.m.

To be considered, individuals need to submit a letter of interest and a resume to CAEDC as follows:

Please submit materials via email to [nominations@cumberlandbusiness.com](mailto:nominations@cumberlandbusiness.com)

OR by regular mail to:

230 S. Sporting Hill Road, Suite 100, Mechanicsburg, PA 17050.

For additional information or questions, call 717.240.7180. The deadline for submitting all materials is Thursday, January 23, 2025.

*The Cumberland Area Economic Development Corporation (CAEDC) is an independent, county-chartered 501(c)3 non-profit corporation responsible for providing economic development and tourism promotion services to Cumberland Valley, which includes Cumberland County and the Southcentral Pennsylvania region. The corporation is led by an executive director who reports to the board of directors. Members of the board of directors are appointed by the Cumberland County Board of Commissioners.*