

Non- Executive Director - St Mary's House of Welcome

Location: Victoria

Area of expertise: Homelessness, Legal, risk and fundraising/Government Relations

Organisation Type: Not for profit

Remuneration: Voluntary

Applications are sought from appropriately experienced persons for vacancies that exist on St. Mary's House of Welcome (SMHOW) Board. As a Director, you will have a genuine interest and commitment to the vision and purpose of SMHOW. You will have an excellent understanding of good governance in the context of commercial or not-for-profit enterprise and will be able to lead organisational growth.

As a Non-Executive Director you will play a crucial role in providing strategic oversight, guidance, and governance to the organisation. Drawing upon your expertise, you will offer valuable insights into regulatory compliance, risk management, and corporate governance matters and/or fundraising. Working closely with the Board and CEO, you will contribute to the development and implementation of effective strategies that align with the organisation's strategic objectives and values.

Directors donate their skills and experience by contributing to the mission and strategic direction of this leading organisation dedicated to delivering services that improve the social wellbeing of people experiencing homelessness and psychosocial disability.

- Join a not-for-profit social services provider who is getting back to what matters;
- At SMHOW we're inspired by our mission to further social justice by standing with disadvantaged people offering solutions, support and hope; and
- Serve as a trusted advisor to the Board and senior management team on governance matters impacting the organisation's operations and growth.

We are seeking expressions of interest from skills-based non-executive directors who embodies the strong values of The House of Welcome to join its Board of Directors. We currently have one two (2) independent director vacancies and are seeking:

- Cultural diversity;
- Experience and knowledge of the homelessness, mental health or substance use field
- Non-executive director corporate governance experience; and
- Specific skills sought in commercial, legal and fundraising and risk governance.

Each Board Director is required to attend monthly board meetings (10/annum) and serve on one Board committee to contribute to the development of our strategic planning, governance, risk and financial delivery.

All interested applicants must submit their expression of interest by emailing their resume and a cover letter outlining relevant experience and their interest in the role.

For further information please contact Robina Bradley, CEO/Company Secretary

Contact: Robina Bradley on 0419 505 975 email: robina.bradley@smhow.org.au
Closing date for applications is 5pm Monday 1 April 2024.

