

Board Candidate Application

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1. Please describe in light of the responsibilities of the RESNET Board why you are the right person to be a member of the RESNET Board of Directors

As founder and Chair of the Midwest Energy Conference, I have created common ground for RESNET and Rural America (Touchstone Energy) to network and forge partnerships. I would like to continue that work over the next two years.

2. Why is this the right time for you to serve on the RESNET Board?

With the pending release of EPA's CO reduction on Electric Utilities, energy efficiency will play a large role in compliance of the regulation. The time is right for RESNET and Touchstone to forge partnerships.

3. Please explain your knowledge and/or experience in terms of each of the primary responsibilities of the RESNET Board

Strategic vision would be my strength, I've developed a unique ability over my career to recognize common needs of different organizations and bring them together.

I have gained some maturity in the other two with my work on boards and committees:

Seven years Home Builders Association of Lexington Board (four on Executive)

Seven years as Chair of the Midwest Energy Conference

Seven years on Touchstone Energy Residential Energy Committee

Four years on RESNET Board

4. Describe your experience in either leadership and/or serving on the board of a non-profit organization.

Over the last seven years on the board of the Home Builders Association of Lexington I have taken a leadership role in the creation and implementation of:

ENERGY STAR BUILDER program

Midwest Energy Conference

Green Build Kentucky

Energy Smart Builder program

5. What would you contribute to the RESNET Board?

I will bring knowledge of the Rural CO-OPs and act as a liaison to bring us together in the common goal of energy efficiency.