

Chris McTaggart's Candidate Questionnaire

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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

For the past two years, I have served my first term as a RESNET Board of Directors (BOD) Provider representative. In that time, I have a perfect attendance record at BOD meetings, strive to be constructive in evaluation and discussion of proposed BOD policies, and am active in collaboration with my fellow BOD colleagues on various projects to improve RESNET's value proposition for its membership. Additionally, I have attempted to directly represent the interests of my fellow Provider members by surveying our members regarding their perceptions on our industry, and communicating that information to RESNET staff and BOD members.

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

Having served my first term over the past two years, I have substantially contributed to the organization in an attempt to serve the best interests of the membership. Moving ahead, I have additional projects that I am working on – such as HERS EBx – that I believe will be best served if I remain as a BOD member to oversee.

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

For each BOD meeting, I have attempted to prepare myself for discussion with my fellow members regarding topics of significant importance to the organization. Additionally, I am in regular contact with fellow members and the RESNET Executive Director regarding matters that involve the BOD, so as to ensure I am prepared and participating productively as a member. Finally, I take my job seriously to represent the interests of Provider members who elect me; I believe firmly in the role of RESNET as a member organization, and attempt to reflect the needs and interests of membership accordingly.

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

As stated previously, I am running for my second term on the RESNET BOD, having previously served one 2-year term. While on the BOD, I have participated in multiple Working Groups, Task Forces, and Standards Development Committees (SDC) to help improve RESNET's policies and Standards for the benefit of membership. Prior to serving on the RESNET BOD, I served on the BOD of the Midwest Home Performance Association.

5. What would you contribute to the RESNET Board?

I strive to go beyond simply attending meetings and engaging in associated discussions; it is my role to

participate in the advancement of the organization through promoting unique ideas to support the businesses of members. From advocacy for the role of raters in energy code verification, to expanding opportunities in the existing homes and light commercial sectors, I intend to continue to be a proactive BOD member. Finally, my phone/email are always open; several members have reached out to me with concerns, and I have taken action to attempt to address such issues to the best of my ability.