Article IX. Rights of Volunteer Board Members

(a) To be fully informed about the responsibilities, time commitment, organization, etc. before accepting the position of Board Member.

(b) To be kept fully informed through accurate financial reports, management reports, regular and thorough briefings about the operation of the Council.

(c) To know that volunteer time will not be wasted by lack of planning, coordination, and cooperation within the Council or within the Board.

(d) To be assigned jobs worthwhile to the Council and challenging, with freedom to use existing skills or develop new ones.

(e) To be able to decline an assignment if it is felt that the match of skills and interest is not appropriate, or that the time commitment cannot be freely given.

(f) To be trusted with confidential information that will help the Board member carry out assignments and responsibilities.

(g) To know whether the volunteer work is effective and what results have been obtained.

(h) To be recognized at appropriate times for one’s work and involvement as a Board Member.