## **Board Member – Regeneration Community Services**

Regeneration Community Services (RCS) is looking for dedicated individuals with an interest in mental health and addictions to join our Board of Directors. We are looking for individuals with expertise in property management, legal contracts, finance, or donor relations. People with lived experience of mental illness and/or addictions and family members are encouraged to apply.

# **Overview of the Organization**

RCS is a charitable not-for-profit community mental health and addictions organization providing a range of affordable supportive housing and case management services for adults with serious mental health and/or addiction issues. We have an extensive employment program including our social purpose enterprise and a strong peer support program. RCS has grown over the past few years to almost 450 members and 350 units of housing. All of our programs are based on the Recovery Philosophy. We support our members in achieving their goals and meeting their needs.

# **Responsibilities**

- Regularly attend all board and committee meetings and functions, including the Annual General Meeting and special events
- Stay informed about the organization's mission, policies and services
- Advance and promote the profile and work of RCS
- Serve on at least one Board committee
- Provide oversight of the organization's finances by reviewing annual financial statements
- Actively participate in fundraising events
- Provide leadership in your area of expertise

# **Qualifications**

- Interest and/or experience in mental health and addictions
- Knowledge of property management, legal contracts, finance or donor relations
- Experience working as a member of a team
- Board Experience is preferred, but not necessary.

# **Terms and Participation**

The RCS Board meets monthly from September to July. We typically meet on Monday evenings, and have a light dinner before the meeting. Participants have an option to receive 2 tokens and a small Honoria. Board Members are expected to regularly attend all monthly meetings as well as participate on at least one Board committee. Board Members should also be well-informed about the work of the organization, promote the profile of RCS and contribute in their area of expertise. Participation in fundraising events is also an expectation. Board Members must commit to a 2 year term with the option to serve 6 years.

Interested applicants should send their resume and/or a cover letter by Sept. 25 to: regen@regenerationcs.org