

**Application for BOARD OF DIRECTORS
Founders Metropolitan Community Church**

NAME(S) PAST AND PRESENT: _____

CELL PHONE: _____ **HOME PHONE:** _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

(Personal Information will be redacted prior to publication)

Please Circle

Y N Have you ever been charged with or convicted of a crime (other than a minor traffic citation)?

Y N Do you struggle with the over use of alcohol, drugs or other habit forming substances?

Y N Have your personal financial debts ever been or are they now unmanageable?

Y N Have you ever been the subject of a restraining/protective order? Or have you ever had to request a restraining order against someone else?

Y N Have you ever been the subject of a disciplinary action by an employer or professional licensing organization or authority?

Y N Have you ever been the subject of a church investigation and/or discipline by a religious organization, church or denomination?

If you answered "yes" to any of the above questions, please provide details on a separate attached sheet.

Occupation _____ **Years employed in field** _____

Briefly describe your current job responsibilities: _____

Warning: By your signature on this application, you understand and agree that an investigation of any and all of these matters may be conducted by Founders Metropolitan Community Church of Los Angeles to determine your eligibility for election to this position. You also understand and agree that you may be subject to an immediate removal from your position if it is later determined that your answers to any of the above questions were not true. All employees and leaders of Founders Metropolitan Community Church of Los Angeles are subject to a background investigation required by our insurance carrier as well as our by-laws.

Signature

Date

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER. (copying the question from this sheet before stating your answers and writing legibly)

- 1. Give a brief statement of your Christian faith and spiritual journey.**
- 2. In your own words, what is the purpose of Founders MCC?**
- 3. What do you see as the function of the FMCC Board of Directors?**
- 4. Please describe the ways in which you have contributed to the life and ministry of FMCC.**
- 5. Why do you personally want to serve on the Board of Directors?**
- 6. Have you previously served as a Board Member of a church or any other non-profit organization? If yes, please list those organizations and any specific responsibilities you had.**
- 7. Do you have expertise or work experience in any of the following areas – Finance/Fiscal Management, Property/Building Management, Policy Development or Fund Raising for non-profit organizations?**
- 8. Are you able to commit the time necessary to regularly attend Sunday morning worship services, committee meetings, Congregational Forums and workshops?**

PLEASE RETURN THIS COMPLETED APPLICATION WITH ADDITIONAL ATTACHMENTS TO: revkeith@mccla.org. MAY WE ALL BE BLESSED BY YOUR WILLINGNESS TO SERVE.

Authority to Conduct Background Check (Please write legibly)

NAME: LAST	FIRST	MIDDLE	
CURRENT ADDRESS			
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTY
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	SEX	DATE OF BIRTH	
DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER		STATE OF ISSUE	
PREVIOUS ADDRESS (3-year history)			
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTY
PREVIOUS ADDRESS			
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTY

Read Carefully and Sign

Authorization to release criminal history information reports, private companies' dishonesty, drug offense, or violence reports, or credit bureau reports. For and in consideration of my being considered for service, I hereby authorize Founders Metropolitan Community Church (FMCC) to make inquiries concerning my suitability for service and qualification, including: (i) any public record of any convictions for crimes of violence, abuse, or dishonesty; (ii) any incidents of employment dishonesty, retail theft, or other related acts of dishonesty, violence, abuse, or drug related offenses reported by any merchant or employer where such acts occurred; or (iii) any credit bureau reports. I further authorize any government agency where such conviction information is on file, or any company (prior company) where such incident or credit transaction occurred, to disseminate such report(s) to FMCC. During any period(s) while I may be in service to FMCC I hereby authorize FMCC to make further like inquiries as FMCC may from time to time deem necessary for volunteer or employment service purposes. I also hereby authorize such government agency, any such credit bureau and any such prior company to issue such reports in response to FMCC's inquiry(ies). I waive any further notice with respect to FMCC's inquiries or with respect to such governmental agencies, such prior companies, and such credit bureau's report(s). I hereby generally release and fully discharge every such government's agency, every such credit bureau and every such prior company from and against any and all liability with respect to or arising from the release or dissemination of any such information for such purposes. I understand and agree that my service may be determined in whole or in part, based on the report(s) so issued to FMCC. I have been informed and I understand that I may obtain a copy of such report and that I may dispute the accuracy or completeness of the information reported to FMCC by writing the address listed.

(X) _____ DATE SIGNED _____
 SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT FOR VOLUNTEER SERVICE OR EMPLOYMENT

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 Authorized Representatives: Rev. Keith Mazingo, Senior Pastor and Kimberly Doneche, Clerk