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# Board Nomination Form 2019

- Board Member information: There are 8 board positions up for re-election in 2019.
- General board members are elected for 2-years; the President and Vice-President are also asked to serve for 2-years.
- In general, the board meets once per month. As a board member it is asked that you serve on at least one of the committees noted below, and that you try to dedicate approx. 5 hrs/mo to board responsibilities.

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Which committee would you be most interested in serving on? (choose as many as apply)

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| Green and Clean      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Zoning/Design Planning |
| Community Engagement | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership/Volunteer Coordination |
| Website/Social Media | <input type="checkbox"/> Communications/Marketing          |

Are you a CNA member?  Yes  No

What position interests you? President Vice President Treasurer  General Board

What do you like most about the neighborhood?

I love the unique architectural character of Callowhill and the variety of styles and scales of buildings. It feels very different from other Philadelphia neighborhoods, yet it is very close to Center City. It's exciting to see more people visiting and moving to our neighborhood. It's also very promising to see new buildings, businesses and the Rail Park open in recent years.

What do you think needs improvement in the neighborhood?

I think the the trash and unmanaged vacant lots in our neighborhood are a big challenge to residents and visitors. With new residents moving in, I would like to see more community engagement and neighborhood pride. I think that CNA can and should have a big role in helping to facilitate this community involvement.

Tell us a little about yourself—how long have you lived in the neighborhood and what would make you a good board member:

I've owned a condo and lived in Callowhill for about 5 years, and I've been a Philadelphia resident for almost 10 years. I'm a practicing architect who is very interested in zoning, construction, and city planning. I would like to continue to contribute my knowledge and passion to these issues in our community, and I would eventually like to take the lead role in facilitating zoning matters.