

Georgia Hereford Association

Guidelines for Serving as a Director

A Board member must be dedicated to serving the Georgia Hereford Association (GHA) membership and the Hereford Breed

To actively serve as a board member of GHA, an individual must be willing to give of his/her time and financial resources. The Board meets from four (4) to eight (8) times each year. The director pays his/her own expense with no re-imbursement to each of these meetings including room and board which might be incurred. These expenses will vary from year to year depending on where the board meets (in relation to the director's home) and number of meetings.

The director should contact at least five (5) GHA member breeders each year to get the members ideas about the association and what could be done to better serve the membership. Also, each director should visit as many prospective members as possible including commercial members.

The director should put the breed and the GHA above personal gain. A director who misses three (3) meetings during one (1) year will be asked to resign unless the absences are beyond the director's control. The board member will be given the opportunity to present hi/her reasons for the absences before the position on the board is declared vacant. After the position is declared vacant by the Board, a new board member will be appointed by the Board of Directors to fill the remainder of the term.

The director must be will to work as a team member with other directors and members.

(Approved by the Board of Directors at the October 30, 1988 meeting.)