

FBCC Board Assessment

Indicate your agreement or disagreement with the following statements about the FBCC Board	Strongly Agree	Somewhat Agree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Somewhat Disagree	Strongly Disagree
Mission, Values, Strategic Plan					
Board understands and advances the mission and purpose of the organization.					
Board has a vision of how the organization should evolve over the next 3-5 years.					
Engages in strategic planning for appropriate long-range goals and annual objectives for the Chamber, Board, staff and committees.					
Board identifies external and environmental trends and influences impacting the organization and its members.					
Provide comments below: <hr/> <hr/>					
Benefits, Programs and Services					
The Board is familiar with all programs and services offered.					
The Board or a committee periodically reviews the portfolio of programs and services; improving what needs improving, eliminating ineffective programs, and recommending new programs and services.					

The Board understands the role volunteers play in the organization.					
Board members are appropriately involved in Chamber activities.					
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Budgeting, Finances, and Fundraising					
The Board understands and fulfills the organization's fundraising needs by giving and seeking sponsorships.					
The Board approves an annual budget and reviews regularly.					
The Board receives financial reports which are understandable, accurate and timely.					
The Board requires an annual audit or review and considers the recommendations made in the auditor's report and management letter, with resulting changes as appropriate.					
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Staffing and Professional Development					
The Board delegates enough policy and operating authority for the President CEO to lead and manage the organization.					

Gives direction to staff only through the President CEO.					
Encourages and funds professional development of staff.					
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Governing Documents					
Periodically reviews articles of incorporation, by-laws, mission and policies.					
Adopts policies to reflect governing and management wisdom to pass on to future boards and staff.					
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Risk Management - Protection					
Understands the responsibility for protecting the organization and risk management and acts accordingly.					
Board understands and promotes the principles of Duty of Care, Duty of Obedience and Duty of Loyalty.					
Ensures adequate insurance coverage for the organization and avoids risk.					
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Leadership, Development and Orientation					
Ensures an effective process for identifying and orienting new members.					
Avoids conflict of interest and discloses to the Board in a timely manner any possible conflicts.					
Promotes trust and respect for new ideas and people among Board and staff.					
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Strategic Governance					
Focuses Board agenda largely on significant policy issues and not short-term operating matters.					
Have adequate opportunities to discuss issues and ask questions.					
All Board members are actively involved in Board Meetings and activities.					
Board regularly assesses its own work.					
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Committees and Task Forces					

Board does not undertake committee work inside the Board meeting.					
Committee structure and activities contribute to Board productivity.					
Committees have a stated purpose and annual objectives.					
Committee assignments and selection of officers offer opportunities for leadership development.					
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Overall					
Board members find serving to be a satisfying and rewarding experience.					
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Name (optional) _____

Date: _____