



## **BOARD MEMBER GIVING POLICY OF KIPP CHARLOTTE**

Each member of the Board of Directors for KIPP Charlotte is asked to invest time and resources to contribute to the school's success. As part of the Board Commitment to Excellence, each member agrees each year to make a personal financial contribution to KIPP Charlotte (give). In addition they commit to either bring in financial contributions from other individuals and/or entities (get) or to enable the school to reduce expenses (save). The target for these contributions is at least \$10,000 in total. In addition, all Board members will be expected to advocate and cultivate support for the school by participating in events and doing friendraising.

The pledge form will be handed out as part of the annual budget process, but no later than the annual meeting when elections are held, to facilitate this commitment. Signed pledge forms should be returned to the Board Chair as confidential information. The Development Director will follow up with each board member individually to transact contributions. Flexibility should be allowed to pay pledges including by check or credit card, monthly or quarterly, or other options as preferred by the individual board member. A report on board member contributions as an aggregate amount and number of individual board members who contributed should be made quarterly by the Board Chair.

This policy is effective June 30, 2011.



**SAMPLE BOARD MEMBER ANNUAL PLEDGE FORM**

<b>BOARD MEMBER NAME</b>	
<b>FISCAL YEAR (JULY 1-JUNE 30)</b>	
<b>PERSONAL CONTRIBUTION</b>	I wish to make a personal contribution in the amount of \$
<b>MY PAYMENT METHOD</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Check/cash enclosed <input type="checkbox"/> Invoice me <input type="checkbox"/> My company will match my gift. <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
<b>PERSONAL SUPPORT</b>	I will participate in preparations for special events to raise funds and attract donors for our school.
<b>MY EVENTS</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Fall event <input type="checkbox"/> Spring Event <input type="checkbox"/> Hosted by me
<b>PERSONAL CONTACTS</b>	I will assist with fundraising outreach to foundations, corporations, and/or individuals.
<b>MY CONTACTS</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Name <input type="checkbox"/> Name <input type="checkbox"/> Name
<b>INKIND RESOURCES AND SERVICES</b>	I can provide or identify inkind resources or services such as computer equipment, office supplies, transportation, furniture, professional services, etc.
<b>MY RESOURCES</b>	(Describe)
<b>OTHER IDEAS</b>	Please contact me, I have other ideas to share.
<b>MY IDEAS</b>	(Describe)

Each member of the Board of Directors for KIPP Charlotte is asked to invest time and resources to contribute to the school’s success to the best of his or her personal ability. Thank you for supporting KIPP Charlotte!