



September 1, 2011

Dear BCO Members and Bowmanville Neighbors:

The BCO Board of Directors wants **YOU!** We are looking to fill a number of vacancies on the BCO Board with Bowmanville residents who will bring energy and ideas into the community process. We invite you to **nominate yourself** or a **friend** or a **neighbor** you think would be an outstanding candidate for the BCO's Board of Directors or Officers. A nominating form and return envelope are enclosed for your use. Please return **the nominating form by September 14, 2011.**

Whether you are a long-time resident or new to Bowmanville, we hope you'll consider joining the Board.

When the nominating process is completed, the new slate will be presented to the general membership of the BCO for election on October 20, 2011. The slate will include the 25 positions listed below. The term of office is one year. Please feel free to nominate candidates for any or all of the positions.

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|------------------|---|
| 1 President      | 12 Board of Director Positions            |
| 1 Vice President | 7 Nominating Committee Positions          |
| 1 Secretary      | 2 Alternates for the Nominating Committee |
| 1 Treasurer      |   |

We ask that Board members attend regular board meetings on the third Thursday of each month and participate in at least one of the following BCO committees:

- |                          |        |                     |            |
|--------------------------|--------|---------------------|------------|
| Planning and Development | Events | Gardening           | Membership |
| Communications           | Safety | The Bowmanville Bee |            |

If you have any questions about the BCO, the nominating process or the responsibilities involved, call the BCO hotline at 866.837.1006 or visit the BCO website at [www.bcochicago.org](http://www.bcochicago.org).

Thank you for your help and interest. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

The Nominating Committee:

Jeff Graves	John Paraoan	Laura Novy	Carrie Mitchell
Laura Sabransky	Barbara Wolke	Betty Redmond	

P. S. for your convenience, you can join the BCO or renew your membership online. If you are not sure if your dues have been paid, please leave a message to that effect on the BCO hotline (866.837.1006) and we'll get back to you as soon as possible.



# Bowmanville Community Organization

866.837.1006  
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## Nominating Form

### OFFICERS

Claire Shingler  
*President*

Open  
*Vice President*

John Paraoan  
*Secretary*

Scott Lair  
*Treasurer*

Noelle Braun-  
Etheridge  
Jeff Graves  
Amy Gawura  
Sue McCoy  
Laura Novy  
Anthony O'Reilly  
Josh Samson  
Menghua Sun  
Barbara Wolke  
Jim Yorton  
Amy Zoeller

**Please return this form to the nominating committee by September 14, 2011.  
You may drop the form off to Jeff Graves 2142 W Summerdale Avenue, 60625.  
You may also send nominations via email to [membership@bcochicago.org](mailto:membership@bcochicago.org).**

BCO By-laws require that officers (president, vice president, treasurer and secretary) and board members of the BCO:

- Must join or be a member in good standing of the BCO as of the election date.
- Be 18 years of age.

I wish to recommend the following for consideration as a candidate for officer or board member of the BCO:

Name	Nominated for	
Address		
Home Phone	Office Phone	E-mail
Qualifications		

### COMMITTEES

*Communications*  
comm@  
bcochicago.org

*Events*  
events@  
bcochicago.org

*Gardening*  
gardening@  
bcochicago.org

*GreenSpace*  
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bcochicago.org

*Membership*  
membership@  
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*Planning*  
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**Vuelva por favor esta forma al comité antes de Septiembre 14, 2011. Un sobre de vuelta esta incluido para su conveniencia o pase y deje la forma con Jeff Graves 2142 W Summerdale Avenue, 60625. También puede enviar candidaturas por correo electrónico a [membership@bcochicago.com](mailto:membership@bcochicago.com).**

## Forma para Nominación

Las ordenanzas municipales de BCO requieren que los oficiales (presidente, visé presidente, tesorero y secretaria) y los miembros del tablazón de BCO:

- Debe unirse o ser miembro de pleno derecho de la BCO a partir de la fecha de las elecciones.
- Un mínimo de 18 años de la edad.

Deseo que se considere para candidato de Tablazón Oficial o Directoral de BCO a:

Nombre	Posición		
Dirección			
Teléfono	de la oficina	teléfono	domicilio de correo electrónico
calificaciones para el puesto nominado			

The Bowmanville Community Organization is established as a not for profit corporation under the General Not for Profit Act of Illinois. The BCO is a non-partisan, non-sectarian, not for profit civic organization. The BCO is not a 501(c)(3) entity. However, contributions made in support of BCO GreenSpace programming are fully tax deductible through the BCO's partnership with Friends of the Parks. For more info contact the BCO.