

It is with regret that we announce that Board Director, Josée Virgo, partner at Dust Evans Grandmaitre, has tendered her resignation from the Orléans Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors. Josée's level of involvement in our Chamber has been tremendous, acting as the Secretary on the Board's executive committee, and contributing on multiple committees, including being the Co-Chair of the Business Excellence Awards. The board is thankful for the time and energy that Josée has contributed in the success of our organization.

Consistent with our bylaws, the board will fill this vacancy by developing a slate of candidates and choosing a new member. This position will be an interim position that will last until the next AGM, which will take place in June, 2017. The board will now be accepting letters of interest from Orléans Chamber of Commerce members.

The board is responsible for establishing policies and standing rules of the Orléans Chamber of Commerce, and to oversee the affairs and budget of the association.

The board meets monthly for in-person meetings. In addition, board members participate in strategic planning sessions in the fall and are expected to Chair a committee or be involved in one or more committees.

Please submit a letter of interest describing strengths and skillset that can be contributed to the Board by e-mail to [officemanager@orleanschamber.ca](mailto:officemanager@orleanschamber.ca) through Monday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016. The board will meet for its regular Board of Directors meeting on Wednesday, October 19<sup>th</sup> and will select its new member.

Sincerely,

The Orléans Chamber of Commerce