No Time to Join a Committee?
It's Easier Than You Think

Joining a Bay East Committee has always been a great way to make new contacts, learn about the new trends in the industry, and have a hand in shaping the Association's direction. Each year over one hundred REALTORS® and Affiliates become active participants in Bay East's Committees.

If you'd like to get more involved with Bay East or simply have some great ideas you'd like to share, now is the time to do something about it. The Association has plenty of opportunities for volunteers. So, if you'd like to volunteer, just complete the sign-up form located below and send back.

Please indicate in order of preference (1st, 2nd & 3rd), which areas are of interest to you. A brief description of each Committee is on the other side of this form.

☐ **MLS & Business Technologies**

☐ **Housing Opportunities**

☐ **Local Government Relations**

☐ **Mediation**
Requirements:
- ✓ Served at least 3 years on Professional Standards
- ✓ REALTOR® member at least 2 years and completion of Professional Standards Training

☐ **Grievance**
Requirement:
- ✓ REALTOR® member at least 2 years and completion of Professional Standards Training

☐ **Professional Standards**
Requirements:
- ✓ Served at least 1 year on Grievance Council
- ✓ REALTOR® member at least 2 years and completion of Professional Standards Training

☐ **Young Professionals Network (YPN)**

Please return to Bay East by fax (925) 730-0264 *(no cover page necessary),* email pamb@bayeast.org or mail to 7901 Stoneridge Drive, Suite 150, Pleasanton, CA 94588. ***Please print:***

Name:_____ Member #:_____

Firm Name:_____ Phone #: _____

Address:_____
Street City Zip

Direct Phone #_____ Fax #: _____

E-mail _____

The following is a brief summary of the Committees:

Grievance

To review alleged violations and recommend for Disciplinary hearing if necessary in accordance with the Membership/MLS Rules and Regulations, Association's Bylaws and the California Association of REALTORS® Professional Standards Reference Manual.

Home Ownership Opportunities

To identity, develop and oversee programs that enhance the opportunity for housing choices that will accommodate all economic levels within the communities. To advocate and educate members and the public on Green principles, and housing assistance programs and developments.

Local Government Relations

To identity, develop and oversee programs that enhance the Association's relationship with the communities, government and other "publics" within the areas served by the Association.

Mediation

The Mediation Committee assists the Bay East Association of REALTORS® ("Association") by providing an alternative resolution process for disputes that arise from the real estate business, which allows the parties through formal Mediation Conferences and/or the NAR/CAR Ombudsman Program. Mediations shall be governed according to the procedures in the California Association of REALTORS® Professional Standards Reference Manual, the CAR Mediation Manual and NAR.

Multiple Listing Service

To identify and recommend programs and improvements to MLS vendor that enhance the value of the MLS of the Association's constituents. And, to review, evaluate and advise members on technology issues that will enhance their ability to do business in the 21st century.

Professional Standards

In accordance with the Strategic Plan/Budget to identify, recommend and implement programs that enhance the professionalism of the Association's members in accordance with the Membership/MLS Rules and Regulations, Association's Bylaws and the California Association of REALTORS® Professional Standards Reference Manual.

Young Professionals Network (YPN)

As the voice and advocate for Bay East's Young REALTORS® and Affiliates, it is the mission of the Young Professional Network (YPN) to help develop young real estate professionals through association participation, career advancement, community involvement and the cultivation of future leaders