# **BOARD LEADERSHIP TRAINING**

#### By Karaki Business Solutions

### Is Your Board Built to Lead or Just Going Through the Motions?

At Karaki Business Solutions, we believe that a thriving nonprofit starts in the boardroom — not with fundraising alone, but with courageous leadership, clear strategy, and deep commitment to mission-driven governance.

## Too many boards fail not due to lack of passion, but due to:

- Misunderstood roles and responsibilities
- ✓ Lack of accountability and structure
- Passive participation and ineffective meetings
- Fear of conflict or change
- No investment in leadership development



# Our Signature Board Leadership Training Will Help You:

- Define and strengthen roles for board members, officers, and committees
- Build a culture of accountability and transparency
- Develop effective decision-making and meeting practices
- ✓ Improve board recruitment with skill-based, mission-aligned strategies
- ✓ Tackle hard conversations around performance, mission drift, and growth
- Reignite board engagement and leadership confidence

Whether your board is new, disengaged, or in need of a reset — this training will equip your leadership team with the tools, language, and mindset to govern effectively and act decisively.

## Who Is This For?

- Nonprofit founders & executive directors
- Board chairs and officers
- Struggling or transitioning boards
- Startups looking to build a board that lasts
- Organizations ready to scale with integrity



#### Karaki Business Solutions

With over 25 years of experience in board development, organizational growth, and nonprofit governance, we help leaders navigate complex challenges with clarity and confidence.

# Ready to Build a Board That Leads With Purpose?

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# TOO MANY NONPROFITS STRUGGLE NOT BECAUSE OF A LACK OF PASSION OR PURPOSE — BUT BECAUSE THE BOARDROOM FAILS TO LEAD WITH CLARITY, ACCOUNTABILITY, AND COURAGE.

#### **ASK YOURSELF:**

- Is your board aligned with what's right, or are they simply agreeing to move forward without questioning, accountability, or strategy?
- Are board members physically present at meetings but mentally absent when it comes to making tough decisions?
- Does your board lack the leadership skills and structure needed to guide the organization through change, growth, and complexity?

#### WHY DO SO MANY BOARDS FAIL THEIR MISSION?

#### 1. Lack of Clarity Around Roles and Responsibilities

Board members often confuse governance with management. They either micromanage staff or disengage entirely — both of which stall progress and damage morale.

#### 2. No Accountability Culture

When there are no clear expectations, no evaluations, and no consequences, boards fall into a pattern of passive participation rather than active leadership.

#### 3. Poor Recruitment Practices

Too often, board seats are filled with friends, donors, or well-meaning individuals who lack the time, skills, or commitment to truly serve the mission.

#### 4. Avoidance of Conflict and Difficult Conversations

Boards frequently prioritize harmony over honesty. Real growth happens when hard questions are asked — not avoided.

#### 5. Ineffective Meetings and Decision-Making

Meetings without agendas, follow-ups, or meaningful engagement waste time and erode confidence. Decision-making becomes reactive instead of strategic.

#### 6. No Investment in Leadership Development

Board service is a leadership role — but rarely do boards receive training, mentorship, or professional development to grow into it.

#### 7. Mission Drift and Compliance Failures

Without strong oversight, boards can lose focus on the mission, miss regulatory responsibilities, or make decisions based on personal interests rather than community impact.

#### It's Time for a Boardroom Reset.

Whether you're starting a nonprofit or trying to breathe life back into a stagnant board, it starts with strong, aligned, and courageous leadership.

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