



Board of Directors Vacancies

Veterans Off The Streets Australia – VOTSA Ltd is a registered charity providing services to veterans, ex ADF personnel, their families, war widows and war widowers who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless. Through our collegiate arrangements with other organisations VOTSA provides a diverse range of ongoing support services for those seeking our assistance.

Our Aims

- To provide support to veterans, ex-service personnel and their close family members, war widows and widowers who are experiencing or at risk of becoming homeless.
- To create awareness and understanding regarding issues specific to veteran and ex-service personnel homelessness.
- To foster and promote the need for increases in access to crisis and temporary accommodation for veterans, ex service personnel and their families.

Our Values

Our core values underpin our mission and create an environment of dignity, respect and engagement for ourselves, our clients, stakeholders and supporters. Our values are:

- Respect and Dignity
- Collaboration
- Professionalism
- Influence Change
- Compassion
- Accountability

To read more about our Mission, Values and Code of Conduct please visit <https://www.votsa.org.au> About Us

Support and Services

The support which VOTSA provides is a whole of person approach. Our first responder support gives immediate assistance to clients who are homeless or at risk of homelessness, while wrap around services through collegiate arrangements enables broadened support. This approach allows VOTSA to provide immediate care and assistance and also to assess and address issues such as mental health (including PTSD), physical health and financial distress or hardship which are impacting the client.



Our Expansion

VOTSA is experiencing an exciting time of expansion. We are seeking voluntary board members who will actively contribute to the continued shaping and development of VOTSA's corporate strength and service delivery as we progress through this new phase.

As a board member, you will be committed to our work, mission and values. You will bring with you experience, skills, and where appropriate qualifications, which will further build the organisation and deepen its foundations. These foundations will ensure the services we provide and expand into, will be supported by the fundamentals of good governance and corporate resilience.

Board Roles

Our board roles are voluntary non paid positions. The board is a mix of Executive Director (ED) and Non-Executive Director (NED) positions.

The following lists the board positions we are currently filling.

Board Chair – NED

Company Secretary – NED

Treasurer – ED

Director Events – NED

Director Fundraising – NED

Committees of the Board

Board Directors will be required to sit on a number of board committees. They are:

- Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee
- Governance Committee
- Finance Committee
- Executive Committee

How to apply

Your expression of interest should include a CV listing relevant experience and qualifications. Please include a one page cover letter outlining;

- What interests you about working with VOTSA
- Specific experiences in the board position/s in which you are interested
- How you see your skills and experience contributing to our work and mission.

Suitable applicants will be interviewed by a panel of our current board of directors.

In the first instance, please email your expression of interest and enquiries to Denise Hudson (Managing Director) at denise@votsa.org.au

