

## VFP Board Candidate Questionnaire

1) Please briefly describe why you would like to be on the VFP board and what you believe you'll bring to the organization as a board member.

My experience as president of one of the most vibrant and active chapters in VFP for five years.

2) What do you do, or did you do if retired, for a living?

I was a Teamster truck driver for 26 years.

3) Have you served on any non-profit boards before?

I served on my neighborhood board in Minneapolis as well as on the VFP National Board of Directors this past year.

4) If so, what board committee(s) were you on?

I was on, and continue to be on, the National convention committee for VFP.

5) Has your work or non-profit board experience included any responsibilities in any of these areas?

Human resource/personnel

Legal

Development/fundraising (including grassroots and groups with paid staff)

Accounting and/or financial management

Being a local chapter president is mostly Human Resources!

6) When was your military service?

USN. 1966 to 1970

7) Where do you live?

Minneapolis

8) Do you belong to any racial or ethnic minority?

The "old white guys" group.

9) Please describe some of the tasks/projects/responsibilities you've undertaken for VFP.

Besides the many tasks of running a chapter, I was a major player in hosting the 2018 VFP convention in St. Paul.