



Arizona Association  
of Defense Counsel

THE CIVIL DEFENSE BAR

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPLICATION FORM**

Please complete and return this application with a cover letter containing a brief statement about why you are interested in serving on the AADC Board of Directors to Admin@azadc.org

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Firm/Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell/Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Practice Areas: \_\_\_\_\_

State Bar Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Law School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_ Year Graduated: \_\_\_\_\_

States Admitted to Practice: \_\_\_\_\_

History of Community, Board, Volunteer Involvement: (organization name; type & term of involvement):

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## BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMITMENT

The Board of Directors of the AADC is the driving force behind all Association activities. It is the responsibility of the directors to implement policy and procedure in order to carryout and further the mission of the Association.

The Arizona Association of Defense Counsel (AADC) is a non-profit organization that was established in 1965. AADC is composed of defense attorneys who practice primarily in the area of civil defense litigation. AADC is dedicated to the education of its members and the judiciary and increasing community awareness of positive aspects of the legal profession.

AADC sponsors continuing education seminars and law school competitions; files amicus briefs on legal issues of significance to its members; circulates information on pending legislative action which impacts the members' representation of their clients; and host networking and charitable events for members throughout the year.

### BENEFITS OF SERVING AS A DIRECTOR:

- Shaping future initiatives, policies & programs of Arizona's statewide association of civil defense lawyers
- Developing and organizing continuing education programs for Arizona defense attorneys
- Facilitating and participating in networking events for members
- Coordinating and hosting philanthropic and charitable events on behalf of the AADC to benefit the community
- Working with a diverse, interesting and professional group of lawyers dedicated to the AADC's mission
- Developing individual leadership skills and new contacts in the Arizona legal community
- Opportunities to interface with the national defense lawyers' organization, Defense Research Institute (DRI)

### REQUIREMENTS FOR SERVING AS A DIRECTOR:

- Be current member of the AADC
- Commit to a three year board term
- Become knowledgeable about the AADC's purpose, goals and objectives



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- Attend and participate in the board meetings
- Serve on board committees and contribute to the success of the committee's mission(s)
- Support, promote, and endeavor to attend all programs of the AADC
- Support all positions of the AADC regardless of personal opinions
- Assume responsibility for furthering the efforts of the AADC