

Police Accountability Board Alliance Membership Application

The Police Accountability Board Alliance (“the Alliance”) was formed by the Police Accountability Board Organizing Committee, which in 2017 recommended to the Rochester City Council an ordinance establishing a Police Accountability Board (“the ordinance”). The purpose of the Alliance is to nominate Rochester community members to represent the interests of civilian residents of the City of Rochester on the Rochester Police Accountability Board. (Bylaws, Article 1)

According to the bylaws of the Alliance, organizations interested in joining the Alliance must be nominated by an existing Alliance member organization and must receive a two-thirds majority vote by the Alliance to be approved as new members.

New Alliance member organizations are expected to:

- Select no more than two representatives from their organization to serve on the Alliance and attend meetings at least quarterly.
- Read the Bylaws of the Alliance and understand them. (Ask questions if needed.)
- Read the proposed Police Accountability Ordinance and understand it. (Ask questions if needed.) Participate in the process to seek out city of Rochester residents who represent the diversity of Rochester and nominate them to serve on the PAB.
- Commit your organization to remain an active participant in the Alliance to ensure the success of the Police Accountability Board’s goal of accountability and transparency.
- Employees of the Rochester Police Department are barred from joining the Alliance.
- Adhere to ethical and code of conduct considerations (Bylaws, Article 8).
- Annually, sign a letter of intent indicating your organization’s commitment to fulfill the obligations laid out in the bylaws and select no more than two organizational representatives.

Nominee

Organization Name: _____

Organization Mission: _____

Organization Address: _____

First representative name: _____

First representative email & phone number: _____

Second representative name: _____

Second representative email & phone number: _____

Please allow 2 – 4 weeks for a response from the Police Accountability Board Alliance Executive

Committee; a vote on a nominated organization's application for entrance into the Alliance will happen at the next scheduled general meeting after receiving word from the Executive Committee.

Attached are copies the current proposed Police Accountability Board ordinance as well as the bylaws of the Alliance.

Please return application to:

Police Accountability Board Alliance

285 Clarissa St., Rochester, NY 14608

Or send it via email to: Alliance.PAB@gmail.com

Thank you for your interest in joining the Alliance!