

## **Board Call Out**

Our Community Bikes (OCB) is a charitable nonprofit that operates a social enterprise storefront and offers community programs. At OCB we use the bicycle as a tool for social change to combat oppression, increase individual opportunities and expand community boundaries. We do this by providing refurbished bicycles and education in mechanical skills. We strive for an equitable workplace regardless of perceived ability, employment status, income, race, gender, orientation or age. Together, OCB works to increase access to bicycles and the opportunities that affordable, independent transportation can give people.

**Our Community Bikes and PEDAL are seeking new board members.** We recognize that in order for us to break the systemic cycles of oppression, we need the voices and perspectives of underrepresented people in positions of power within our organization. If you see yourself as an agent of change with a diverse lived experience, please apply!

A LITTLE ABOUT YOU:

- Interest or passion for cycling, environmental and social justice
- Knowledge or connection to the communities and groups we serve
- Life experience or professional experience with procedures, policies, and financial planning or literacy.
- Experience with community bike shop/non-profit organization a plus.
- Other experience missing from our board includes: fundraising; legal negotiations; accounting; financial management; human resources; volunteer management; Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion expertise; Communications; Media and Marketing.

## BOARD COMMITMENTS:

- Participate in board meetings every two months and join or lead at least one committee.
- Commitment of 2-5 hours per month (includes board and committee meetings and email communication).
- Manage miscellaneous correspondence, actions and decisions in-between board meetings.

BENEFITS INCLUDE:

- Participate in governing a not-for-profit organization and social enterprise.
- Support and connect to the community through education, training and bike repair.
- Become a member and gain access to shop discounts.

INTERESTED? HAVE QUESTIONS? Contact Sarah Rocchi Srocchi@ourcommunitybikes.org DEADLINE TO EXPRESS INTEREST: Immediately / no later than April 22, 2024.