



2025 Call for Nominations to CNCLT Board of Directors

Help shape the future of the community land trust movement in Canada.

Nominations are now open for the Canadian Network of Community Land Trusts' (CNCLT) Board of Directors.

Four directors will be elected by our voting membership at our Annual General Meeting on **October 17, 2025 (1:00–3:00 PM ET)**, held virtually.

Why Join the Board?

CNCLT exists to support, connect, and grow the community land trust (CLT) movement across Canada.

As a director of CNCLT, you will help:

- oversee strategic direction and good governance
- co-create systems and policies for a growing organization
- support the development of a sustainable, member-driven network

This is a meaningful opportunity to contribute your expertise, relationships, and perspective to a dynamic, movement-based organization.



What We're Looking For

We welcome all candidates who share a strong commitment to the values of the CLT movement.

Experience serving on a board is a strong asset, though we accept first-time directors.

Expertise in one or more of the following areas is advantageous:

- fundraising and resource development
- government relations or advocacy
- financial oversight or risk management
- organizational policy or nonprofit operations

We are especially interested in nominees operating in the **Prairies, Quebec, Atlantic Canada, and the North.**

We strongly encourage nominations from individuals from **equity-deserving communities**, including Black, Indigenous, racialized, low-income, 2SLGBTQIA+, and otherwise marginalized groups.



What's Involved

CNCLT is still in its early stages — with a small staff team and an ambitious mandate.

Board members are expected to contribute actively to a hands-on, evolving organization.

Term: Two years (renewable up to three consecutive terms)

Meetings: Every other month (90 minutes, virtual, standard business hours)

Additional Expectations:

- Participation in at least one board committee or working group (2–3 hours/month)
- Attending onboarding sessions (3 hours, in October or November)
- Participating in additional strategic planning activities (2–4 hours)
- Preparation for and attendance at the AGM
- Attendance (in-person or virtual) at the annual Community Land Trust Summit

This is a volunteer role– **board members are not financially compensated.**

Who Can Apply?

To be eligible, you must be:

- A **CLT or Associate Member** of CNCLT in good standing
- If your organization is the member (i.e., you are not personally a member), your nomination must be supported in writing by **two board members** of that organization

If you're not yet a member, you must [apply for membership](#). Indicate on your application that you are also applying for the board, and please allow 2 weeks for processing.

How the Election Works

All nominations will be reviewed by the current board.

Qualified candidates will be presented for election by the membership at the AGM

Though permitted, **we discourage nominations from the floor** during the AGM. Please try to be nominated beforehand, to make things simpler for our small team.

Ready to Apply?

[Submit your nomination](#) by **October 10, 2025**.

If you have any questions about the process or your eligibility, please contact us at **info@communityland.ca**.