

Chapter Government Relations Committee

****Up to 25 hours of Appraisal Institute continuing education (CE) credit may be earned for service to the Appraisal Institute. Please refer to Regulation No. 10: Continuing Education for more details.****

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Reporting

The Chapter Government Relations Committee shall report to the Chapter Board of Directors.

Composition

The Chapter Government Relations Committee shall consist of:

- A Chair, and;
- A minimum of two (2) other Committee members who shall be appointed by the Chapter President with the approval of the Chapter Board of Directors.

The Chair shall be appointed to serve a one (1) year term. The other members shall be appointed to serve three (3) year staggered terms. The Chair and the other members shall be eligible to serve consecutive terms.

Duties

The duties of the Chapter Government Relations Committee shall be to promote the Appraisal Institute's policies and programs regarding legislation and regulations that are of interest and importance to appraisers.

Diversity

It is the goal of the Appraisal Institute to foster a corporate culture that so thoroughly embraces diversity that it no longer needs a diversity committee or diversity initiative; diversity is integral to every aspect of the Appraisal Institute.

The Appraisal Institute is committed to being an organization that encourages and supports the perspectives and talents of every individual and embraces all people interested in pursuing a professional appraisal career, enabling all to contribute at their highest potential. Diversity also includes political and opposing opinions. The Committee Chair should make sure the committee members with differing opinions are free to express their opinions during meetings.

Chapter Government Relations Committee

Chair

Minimum Qualifications

- Be a Designated Member or Candidate of the Chapter in good standing
- Continuing education is complete
- Have not been subject to a publishable disciplinary action by the Appraisal Institute within the five (5) years prior to election or appointment
- E-mail address and Web access

Desirable Qualifications

- Understanding of and commitment to Appraisal Institute public policies, legislative and regulatory initiatives
- Basic understanding of state's government structure and legislative procedures
- Basic knowledge of development and enforcement processes employed by governmental

regulatory bodies which exert influence or control over the appraisal profession and/or its practitioners

- Possess good communication skills
- Be willing to write articles for chapter newsletter
- Be willing to attend state appraisal board meetings and report back to the chapter board of directors
- Ability to work collaboratively
- Ability to build important/key relationships
- Effective negotiator
- Attorney
- Able to attend at least 2 of the 4 Chapter Board Meetings
- Contacts at the government level

Chapter Government Relations Committee Member

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- Continuing education is complete
- Have not been subject to a publishable disciplinary action by the Appraisal Institute within the five (5) years prior to election or appointment
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- Understanding of and commitment to Appraisal Institute public policies, legislative and regulatory initiatives
- Basic understanding of state's government structure and legislative procedures
- Basic knowledge of development and enforcement processes employed by governmental regulatory bodies which exert influence or control over the appraisal profession and/or its practitioners
- Possess good communication skills
- Be willing to write articles for chapter newsletter
- Be willing to attend state appraisal board meetings and report back to the chapter board of directors
- Ability to work collaboratively
- Ability to build important/key relationships
- Effective negotiator
- Able to attend at least 1 (one) chapter meeting
- Contacts at the government level