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Give or Get Policy

Board members are asked to make FAAST a priority in their personal giving. Board members are encouraged to be involved in fundraising by contacting their friends and business associates in efforts to gain their support of FAAST financially and otherwise, by soliciting funds when appropriate, by serving on fundraising committees, and by attending fundraising events.

Every board member is expected to annually make a financial donation to FAAST that is personally meaningful. The definition of "meaningful" is left to the discretion of the board member; nonetheless, each board member should donate some amount; and

Each board member is encouraged to generate contributions to FAAST on an annual basis, including personal giving and donations from friends and business associates within the context of fundraising events or otherwise. This expectation may be met through a combination of mechanisms, including but not limited to:

- Contribute regularly through the FAAST Donation Web Page
- Make any Amazon purchases using the FAAST AmazonSmile Campaign
- Participate in the Annual Toy Drive or other FAAST Sponsored Fundraising Campaigns
- Obtaining gift(s) from your church, synagogue, civic and/or professional associations;
- Getting a matching gift from your employer;
- Hosting a fundraising event in your home or business, asking your guests to make a financial contribution to FAAST;
- Identifying, cultivating, and personally participating in meetings with prospects in which they are asked to make a gift to FAAST; and
- Asking your family and friends to make a donation to FAAST in lieu of birthday gifts.