

## What's involved in applying to the KGNU Board?

1. Make sure you're familiar with KGNU and its mission. Check our website at: [www.kgnu.org](http://www.kgnu.org) To apply for the Board, we ask that you have been a member for at least one year.
2. Download an application at: <http://www.kgnu.org/pdf/boardapplication.pdf> If you'd like a Word version of the application or a hard copy, please contact the KGNU Nominating Committee at [nomcom@kgnu.org](mailto:nomcom@kgnu.org) Fill out the entire application and email it to the Nominating Committee or mail it to the Nominating Committee c/o the KGNU Boulder studio, address below.
3. Attend KGNU Board meetings. To be considered for the Board, you must have attended at least two Board meetings in the twelve months prior to submitting an application. They are held every month on the second Monday of the month at 6:00 p.m. On odd-numbered months they take place at the Boulder studio, 4700 Walnut Street, Boulder, CO 80301. On even-numbered months they take place at our Denver studio, 700 Kalamath Street, Denver, CO 80204. By attending, you'll learn how business is conducted by the Board. We appreciate if you announce – at the Board meeting - your interest in possibly applying for the Board. That way, Board members will have the opportunity to get to know you, and committee chairs can inform you about their committees.
4. Speaking of committees, part of applying to the KGNU Board is attending at least two committee meetings, one of which must be a standing committee. This gives you a chance to see how volunteers take action on some specific tasks required to keep KGNU functioning. It will also help you get a sense of which committee(s) you'd like to join if you are elected to the Board. The KGNU web site lists committees and meeting times.
5. After you have submitted an application, the Nominating Committee will meet to review it and contact your references. They'll also talk to people at KGNU who may be familiar with your volunteer activities, if you've indicated that you have experience volunteering for KGNU. (This is recommended, but not required.)
6. After review of your application and references, the Nominating Committee may decide to contact you to set up an interview with the committee. After the interview, the committee will then vote on whether to move your application forward, following their analysis of the application, references, and interview. You'll be notified of their vote

shortly after your interview. If the Nominating Committee votes to move your application forward, it will then recommend that the Board review your application and conduct their interview. (This is a “Nomination.”) If nominated, it’s generally expected that you’ll attend the next Board meeting following the Nominating Committee’s vote.

7. Once a nominee is interviewed by the Board, the Board will vote at that meeting whether to elect the nominee to the Board. The nominee will be informed that evening as to whether the board elected her/him, and if elected, the person becomes an official KGNU Board member at the end of that evening’s Board meeting. Board members serve a three-year term, with option of a second term. Members are expected to spend a minimum of 12 hours per month on KGNU activities.

If you have any questions about this process, please contact the KGNU Nominating Committee at the email address above. Thanks for your interest in KGNU!