

MY ONE PAGE PROFILE



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Board Member

What people appreciate about me...

- 40 years' experience of working in social housing and 10 years in the private sector
- A qualified accountant with treasury management experience
- An analytical frame of mind that likes detail
- An open approach that prefers honest exchanges and no surprises
- Knowledge of the legal and regulatory requirements of the housing sector based on 30 years as a Company Secretary

What's important to me...

- Honest and open relationships with board colleagues and with officers
- The duty to support colleagues and constructively challenge
- To always act in the best interests of the company
- To understand the detail of what the board are approving, by preparing thoroughly for meetings
- To build meaningful relationships with board and officer colleagues

How to support me well at work...

- I am an introvert by nature which colours my approach
- I like to listen more than I talk – this is my learning style
- I like to set deadlines and achieve them
- Please be understanding of my need to understand the detail of matters
- I am new to both Gloucester and to GCH – if I'm struggling to understand please help me out