



## Join Business Leaders Transforming Lives Through Inclusive Employment



### Become a Beyond26 Board Member

As a business leader, you know the impact that meaningful work can have on someone's life. However, the unemployment rate for adults with disabilities is over twice that of adults without disabilities — not due to a lack of ability or desire to work, but because of limited opportunities available.

With your leadership on our board, we can start to change this reality together. At Beyond26, we help adults with disabilities unlock their potential and find their place in the workforce through individualized advocacy, networking, and job placement. Join our mission in opening doors for adults with disabilities, while connecting with local business leaders who share this passion for creating positive change in our community.



### Board Member Benefits

Becoming a board member at Beyond26 is more than just making decisions for the organization. It's about bridging the gap between businesses and a community of adults with disabilities. By attending board meetings, participating in Beyond26 community events, and engaging with your network, we can help turn every workplace into a one that celebrates different abilities and inclusivity. As a board member, you can expect to:

- Create direct impact on employment opportunities for adults with disabilities
- Expand your professional network with passionate, purpose-driven leaders throughout the community
- Gain an inside perspective on disability employment and how it affects those around you
- Learn how your business can become an advocate for adults with disabilities



### Ready to join our mission?

1. Scan the QR code to visit our website and fill out the contact form to schedule an introductory meeting with our founder.
2. Interview with our governance committee to see if you're a good fit for our organization. A recommendation will be sent to our current board for approval.
3. *Together, we can continue to support adults with disABILITIES and create a stronger, more diverse community in West Michigan.*

