

---

## 2026 Nomination Form for NCBA CLUSA Board of Directors

### NOMINEE INFORMATION

Name & Title \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

### NCBA CLUSA MEMBERSHIP

*To be eligible for election, the candidate must be an active member in good standing, with current 2026 dues.*

Running as:

\_\_\_ Individual Member

\_\_\_ Delegate of a Cooperative Member

\_\_\_ Delegate of an Associate Member

Have you volunteered or worked previously for NCBA CLUSA?

*Check all that apply and attach a list of positions held and the dates.*

\_\_\_ Board

\_\_\_ Committee

\_\_\_ Employee

**Position Held**

**Service Dates**

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

### **CO-OP ENDORSEMENT**

Attach a letter of endorsement from your cooperative. The letter should be signed by the CEO or an officer of the cooperative (other than the potential nominee).

### **PROFESSIONAL HISTORY**

Please provide a copy of your resume.

### **BIOGRAPHY**

Please provide a biography (maximum 500 words).

*If you are selected as a candidate, this biography will be published on the NCBA CLUSA website, in NCBA CLUSA publications, and in the online election system for members to read.*

### **CANDIDATE STATEMENT**

Attach a statement of your reasons for seeking election to the NCBA CLUSA Board of Directors. Include the contributions you believe you would be able to make; your position or ideas with respect to any issues currently facing the cooperative community, the association, or its members; and any other information you feel may be useful to the Nominating Committee in evaluating your nomination (maximum 500 words).

*If you are selected as a candidate, this statement will be published on the NCBA CLUSA website, in NCBA CLUSA publications, and in the online election system for members to read.*

### **NOMINEE'S ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF COMMITMENT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

As a non-profit association, NCBA CLUSA Directors serve without compensation. Travel and lodging are reimbursed for certain meetings.

If elected, note that you will be asked to make the following commitment:

I pledge to adhere to NCBA CLUSA's mission, support its vision, and conduct my board service in adherence with the Cooperative Principles and Cooperative Values that are fundamental to the organization.

I will commit my time and energy to the work of the board.

I will attend board meetings, complete any committee assignments, and attend key NCBA CLUSA events (Co-op Week, Annual Meeting, Cooperative IMPACT Conference and others as identified by the board and management.)

I will be responsible, along with other members of the board, for monitoring the financial health of NCBA CLUSA.

I will assist with fundraising and member recruitment as a part of my board responsibilities.

I will serve as an ambassador for NCBA CLUSA within my professional network, within my company, among my friends and family, and in general wherever I am able to do so.

### **WHAT TO SUBMIT**

Interested nominees should complete and submit this Nomination Form with requested supplemental material to the Nominating Committee no later than February 20, 2026.

Please email this information to Sherry Goss at NCBA CLUSA: [sgoss@ncba.coop](mailto:sgoss@ncba.coop)

**Nominations must be received by February 20, 2026, to be considered.** You will be notified of the status of your nomination by March 2, 2026.