



## Board of Governors Application

### **Call for Applications**

GreenSeam, LLC is governed by a 20-member board made up of an intentional composition of stakeholders representing the diverse mix of entities within the GreenSeam Region (southern Minnesota and northern Iowa). GreenSeam's Vision is to *build on existing ag business prominence and maximize a growing economic marketplace in order to be the premier ag business epicenter in the United States – the most diverse, balanced, and sustainable.*

The Nominating Committee for GreenSeam, LLC is currently seeking applicants to fill the 20 seats on the board, terms will be staggered (beginning January, 2018 and ending March of 2019, 2020, or 2021). A cross-section of both businesses/entities from throughout the GreenSeam region will make up the slate of Governors to be nominated. **To Serve on the GreenSeam Board of Governors, your company must be an investor in GreenSeam.**

**Name (printed):** \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate the level(s) your company is interested in investing starting January 1, 2018 (see Investor Model for details):

\$750       \$1,250       \$2,500       \$5,000       \$10,000       \$20,000

### **Questions to be answered by the applicant:**

- 1) What business category do you most closely identify with?
- 2) Explain how your company's (and any affiliate organizations') location best fits into the GreenSeam Region; and how the GreenSeam Vision is consistent with your own company's vision of the future.
- 3) Please provide evidence of your leadership abilities. Including a description of your past and present civic leadership involvement.
- 4) What motivates you to serve on the Board of Governors?
- 5) What are some unique characteristics or perspectives you will bring to the Board of Governors? Including the skills and contributions you can offer the Board.
- 6) Will your schedule allow for you to be a committed Board member? And will your company fully support this commitment? (See Position Description for details.)
- 7) Additional information: What else would you like for us to know?

### **Please submit 1 – 2 references:**

Name of Reference: \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Member Business: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please submit by the **close of business on Sept. 30, 2017** to GreenSeam, LLC., Attn: Susan Jameson, 1961 Premier Drive, Suite 100, Mankato, MN 56001, Fax to (507) 345.4451, or email to [sjameson@greatermankato.com](mailto:sjameson@greatermankato.com).