



Open/Closed Meeting Policy (Revised April 2016)

In order to encourage participation in the governance of the association and provide transparency regarding policy making, members are invited to attend “open committee” meetings.

Unless there are reasons for confidentiality as determined by the committee chairman, many committee meetings of the association are open to any member if space allows. Members should e-mail the staff support preferably not later than twenty-four hours before the scheduled meeting to reserve a place and to confirm that the desired meeting is open.

Members attending will have the opportunity to observe the meeting and may offer input when recognized by the committee chairman.

The following committee meetings are typically open:

- Budget & Finance amanda.waggener@maar.org
- Governing Documents melanie.blakeney@maar.org
- Fair & Affordable Housing ohara.keszler@maar.org
- MLS Information Network nick.jones@maar.org
- RPAC ken.scroggs@maar.org
- Commercial Council committees (various) elizabeth.ennis@maar.org

For reasons of confidentiality, the following committees are closed:

- Awards
- Benevolent Fund
- Governmental Affairs
- Professional Standards Hearings
- Grievance
- Member Services (Membership)
- Nominating
- Board of Directors
- Commercial Council Board of Directors
- Commercial Council Nominating Committee