**Appointed Board Member – One Position**

**Organisation: Cycling New Zealand**

**Website:** [**www.cyclingnewzealand.nz**](https://www.cyclingnewzealand.nz/)

Cycling New Zealand is the national sports organisation (NSO) for cycling in New Zealand, as recognised by the International Cycling Union (UCI), Sport New Zealand, High Performance Sport New Zealand (HPSNZ), the New Zealand Olympic Committee (NZOC) and the New Zealand Paralympic Committee (NZPC), representing the interests of Road, Track & Cyclocross, Mountain Bike, BMX, and Schools Cycling.

Cycling New Zealand is emerging from several organisational and cultural reviews and are seeking candidates with a strong focus on continuous improvement, who exemplifies the highest standards of Integrity, Collaboration, Excellence, and Innovation which are the CNZ values.

Background

The Board of Cycling New Zealand has four members appointed by the Board and four members elected by the cycling community. We are calling for nominations for one (1) Appointed Board Member prior to the Annual General Meeting in accordance with clause 20.1 of the Cycling New Zealand Constitution.

This vacancy will arise through the current incumbent retiring at the end of their two four-year terms at the Cycling New Zealand AGM in May 2024. The position created by this vacancy is for one full four-year term. The Board member may be re-appointed for a further four-year term with the maximum tenure being two consecutive terms (eight years).

Ideal Applicant

The Board is seeking applications from interested persons who can demonstrate experience and skills in governance, including a strategic thinker, leadership coupled with clear communication abilities able to influence key relationships, alongside financial, commercial, and business acumen.

Candidates are asked to highlight experience they have in any of the following:

* Chartered Accountant with Finance and Risk credentials or Solicitor, with Not-for-Profit sector experience.
* Experience and knowledge from within a professionally structured high performance sporting environment.
* Head of People and Culture or Chief Operating level leadership from a substantive, high profile organisation with successful wellbeing implementation and improvement.
* Practitioner, either client or agency side, to guide public relations, crisis management, communications, and marketing.

Commitment Required

The Board convenes on average 8 times per annum generally for 4-5 hours per meeting. In addition, the Board also operates three subcommittees of which attendance as a member of one or multiple committees may be required.

This is a non-remunerated appointment.

Further information on Cycling New Zealand can be found at [www.cyclingnewzealand.nz](http://www.cyclingnewzealand.nz).

Applications

Please submit applications no later than Wednesday 31 January 2024 in accordance with clause 20.1 of the Cycling New Zealand Constitution. Send to Cycling New Zealand’s Chief Executive, Simon Peterson – [AGM@cyclingnewzealand.nz](mailto:AGM@cyclingnewzealand.nz)