# Clinton County Board of REALTORS® 2018 Strategic Plan MISSION STATEMENT

## To be the regional Voice for Real Estate and to provide services and education to further our member's professionalism

## **GOAL 1: Leadership Development**

<u>Objective A:</u> Maintain a strong Leadership Team – grow that team Volunteer Group – Brokers, Board of Directors, YRN, Nominating Committee & Past Presidents Staff Responsible – Association Executive Budget Impact Areas – Travel, Education, and Member Events (Funded)

Action Plan

- Inform membership of the benefit programs available from NAR and NYSAR
- Look to NAR and NYSAR to assist in providing methods of developing future leaders
- Continue to fund leadership to attend NYSAR and NAR meetings
- Encourage involvement in NAR and/or NYSAR committees
- Encourage involvement in consumer advocacy efforts YRN, community service projects, etc.

**Objective B:** Increase and enhance Education opportunities

Volunteer Group - Education & Program Committee

Staff Responsible - Association Executive

Budget Impact Areas - Education, Member Activity, and NYSAR Leadership Academy (Funded)

Action Plan

- Financially and physically support the Education and Program Committee efforts to engage membership through sponsoring Agents Day activities, social programs, and ongoing educational opportunities, especially designations
- Promote the opportunity and financially support participation in the NYSAR Leadership Academy

<u>Objective B:</u> Maintain a Strong Organization Volunteer Group – Executive Committee of the Board Staff Responsible – Association Executive Budget Impact Areas – Regional Leadership Activity (Funded)

Action Plan

- Committed to investigating and evaluating potential shared services benefits including alignment with other REALTOR® organizations

#### **GOAL 2: Advocacy**

<u>Objective A:</u> Be the Voice for Real Estate Volunteer Group – Brokers, Board of Directors, YPN, & Past Presidents Staff Responsible – Association Executive Budget Impact Areas – Travel, Education, Community Involvement/Sponsorship (Funded)

#### Action Plan

- Increase member's attendance in NYSAR's State Lobby Day in Albany
- Maintain Board Leadership participation in REALTOR® Legislative Meetings in DC
- Participate in Chamber of Commerce political awareness events investigate co-sponsorship
- Inform the Public on how REALTORS® are assisting in encouraging Federal, State, and local legislation that benefit home ownership
- Investigate the local use of a NAR REALTOR® Party Opportunity Grants and the Independent Expenditure Campaign
- Engage and inform the media on all things real estate
- Assist statewide efforts by establishing solid relationships with our local legislators.
- Conduct a REALTOR® voter registration program

<u>Objective B:</u> Exceed RPAC Fund Raising and Member Participation Goals Volunteer Group – RPAC Chair & Committee Staff Responsible – Association Executive Budget Impact Areas – RPAC Board Contribution and Regional Events (Funded)

Action Plan

- Continue to support RPAC with a Budget line item contribution
- List the RPAC Contribution above the line on all Dues Statements
- Encourage membership to contribute a minimum of \$25 with their Dues Payment
- Continue to support the Regional events like the "Evening of the Arts"
- Investigate new ways to raise the bar for Membership with respect to RPAC

Objective C: Achieve participation rates on NAR and NYSAR Calls for Action that exceed state and national averages

Volunteer Group - Brokers, Board of Directors, & Past Presidents

Staff Responsible – Association Executive

Budget Impact Areas – No Budget Area Impact

Action Plan

- Encourage membership to sign up for NAR's Action Alert system
- Encourage participation in NAR and NYSAR Calls for Action
- Inform all members that they must keep their email addresses current in the system
- Promote the Broker Involvement Program with Brokers
- Promote membership to download the REALTOR® Action Center app

### **Goal 3: Communication/Education Efforts**

<u>Objective A:</u> Raise Awareness for CCBR and the value of using a REALTOR® Advocacy Group –Education & Program Committee & YPN Staff Responsible – Association Executive & Administrative Specialist Budget Impact Areas – Education and Member Events (Funded)

#### Action Plan

- Continue to provide continuous, effective communication to membership
- Distribute Monthly Housing Report to local papers and Chamber of Commerce
- Monitor the agendas of local county and municipal boards and participate when issues impacting Real Estate are being discussed
- Engage Brokers-develop new strategies to increase Broker involvement
- Provide our local media with stories that demonstrate the value of using a REALTOR® as well as how REALTORS® are involved in their communities.
- Remain aware of IMF Grants and other NAR grant opportunities

Objective B: Be proactive with local Real Estate education

Volunteer Group - Education & Program Committee

Staff Responsible - Association Executive & Administrative Specialist

Budget Impact Areas - Education: Orientation, Agent Day and Member Events (Funded)

Action Plan

- Charge Education/Program Committee with providing Fair Housing and Code of Ethics CE courses on a regular basis
- Promote GRI and all advances designation training
- Expand Agent Day in hopes to increase participation by providing multiple educational opportunities via the 1-hour CE credit course
- Maintain our new member orientation program

#### **GOAL 4: Technology**

<u>Objective A:</u> Consider the effectiveness and usefulness of Technology currently deployed Advocacy Group – Board of Directors, Committee Chairs & Past Presidents Staff Responsible – Association Executive Budget Impact Areas – Website (Funded)

#### Action Plan

- Refine the CCBR Landing Page website
- Utilize the NAVICA Landing Page, Social Media, etc. to drive traffic to CCBR website
- Utilize the Member Facebook page to inform membership
- Utilize available resources on webpage
  - e.g. NAR's Home Ownership widget, etc.

## **GOAL 5: Outreach**

Objective A: Get involved and support local community efforts

Advocacy Group – Brokers, Board, Committee Chairs & Past Presidents Staff Responsible – Association Executive

Budget Impact Areas - Education: Scholarship, and Member Events (Funded)

Action Plan

- Get involved in our community.

Continue support of these activities

- REALTOR® Dog Park
- YRN Plattsburgh Beach Cleanup
- Wish Fund Charity Auction
- Christmas Bureau YRN Wrap Fest
- High school college scholarship
- High School college Scholarship for REALTOR® Family members
- Assist in Fund Raising for local charities
- Strengthen partnership with Burlington Ronald McDonald House
- Partnership with additional local community organizations
- Be active in Chamber of Commerce activity
  - Co-Sponsor Chamber activities
    - Political dialogue meetings, debates, etc.
  - Actively participate in Chamber events