

## Board Chair – Strategic Leadership and Community Representation

### Description

Lead the Food Farm Gardens Association (FFGA) board in strategic decision-making and serve as the primary community representative for sustainable agriculture initiatives in Sint Maarten.

### Responsibilities

#### Key Responsibilities:

- Chair monthly board meetings and annual general assemblies
- Provide strategic oversight for community garden operations and expansion
- Represent FFGA at community events and stakeholder meetings
- Facilitate partnerships with local government, NGOs, and businesses
- Ensure alignment with Stichting Marlin Yard's mission and values
- Lead crisis management and conflict resolution when needed

### Qualifications

- 5+ years leadership experience in non-profit or community organizations
- Strong understanding of sustainable agriculture and community development
- Excellent communication skills in English and Dutch
- Experience with board governance and strategic planning
- Deep connection to the Sint Maarten community
- Availability for 10-15 hours per month

### Job Benefits

- XCG 150 per board meeting attended (monthly)
- XCG 100 additional for chairing special committees or emergency meetings
- Annual leadership bonus of XCG 500 based on performance milestones
- Professional development opportunities and travel reimbursement
- *As FFGA grows and our revenue increases, board stipends will grow accordingly*

**Growth Promise:** We believe in investing in our leadership team. As FFGA's community gardens expand, our CSA program grows, and our revenue increases through partnerships, we are committed to increasing board compensation to reflect the value and impact of your contributions.

### Hiring organization

Food Farm Gardens Association

### Employment Type

Community Board Positions

### Duration of employment

3-year terms with option to renew for one additional 3-year term (max 6 years total)

### Job Location

The Keys rd 8, Sucker Garden, U.P.Q., Sint Maarten

### Working Hours

Availability for 10-15 hours per month

### Date posted

8 July 2025