Greetings Earthlings! Free Geek will be changing the way in which it governs itself. The model of a board of directors and council will be replaced by an expanded board of directors. The new board will contain elected volunteer representatives who will give volunteers a voice in the governance process, and provide insight into the issues facing Free Geek from a volunteer perspective.

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## \*Robots need not apply

## Humans Wanted!

However, in order to elect representatives, we must have an election! The election will be held in a town-hall style meeting, where volunteers, staff, and board members can come together an discuss the issues of the day. Currently, the meeting is scheduled to be held in September. There will be an opportunity to meet Free Geek staff, board, and nominees over lunch, as well as discussions on a variety of topics, Q & A sessions and reports and presentations from Staff and Board. Board candidates will be given an opportunity to speak, and describe their interest in Free Geek and the Board of Directors and ballots will be distributed for the election. The event will be followed by a Free Geek happy hour. We welcome all members of the community to participate in this event, so contact a staff member if you have further questions or are interested in standing for volunteer representative.\*