

Think of what you already know about finding and keeping the best board members. Then, in turn, share that with someone near you.



Finding & Keeping the Best Board Members



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To Identify the Steps Involved in Finding
and Keeping the Best Board Members







Common Practices Nonprofit Boards Need To Avoid

Dumbing down board recruitment



A photograph of a conference room. In the center, a large projector screen displays the text "Overlooking frequent absences" in a black, sans-serif font. The room features a long, dark wooden conference table with several black office chairs arranged around it. The walls are a light beige color, and the ceiling has recessed lighting. A whiteboard is visible on the left wall.

Overlooking frequent
absences



Allowing re-election
despite term limitations

Board members ignoring financial obligations



Write a one-sentence summary of what you've learned from what we have shared. Share your summary with your tablemates.





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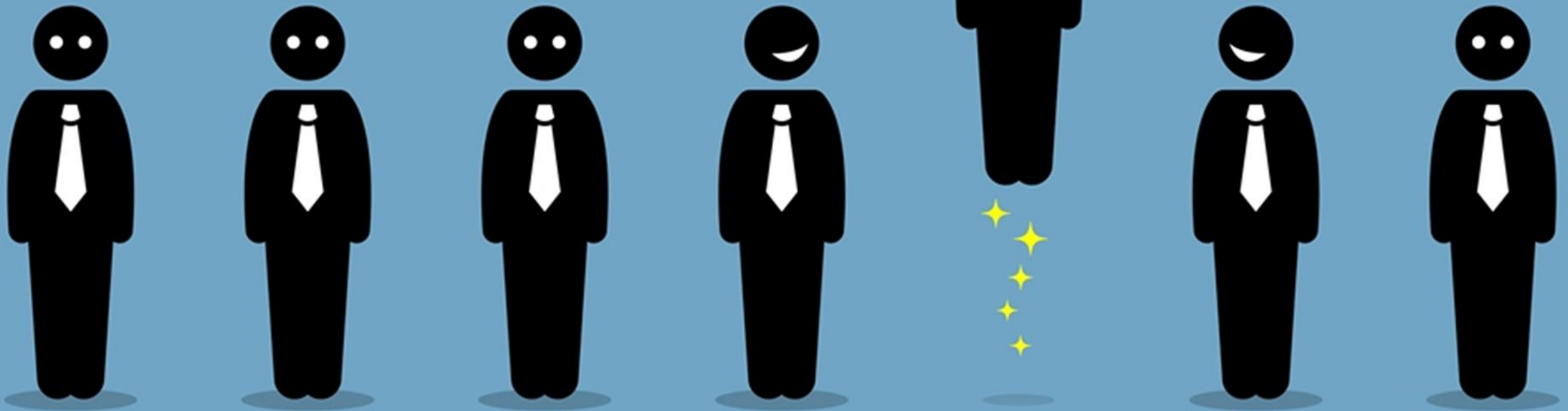
Step 1: Identify Board Needs



Step 2: Cultivate relationships



Step 3: Recruit prospects



Step 4: Orient New Board Members





Step 5: Involve the Board

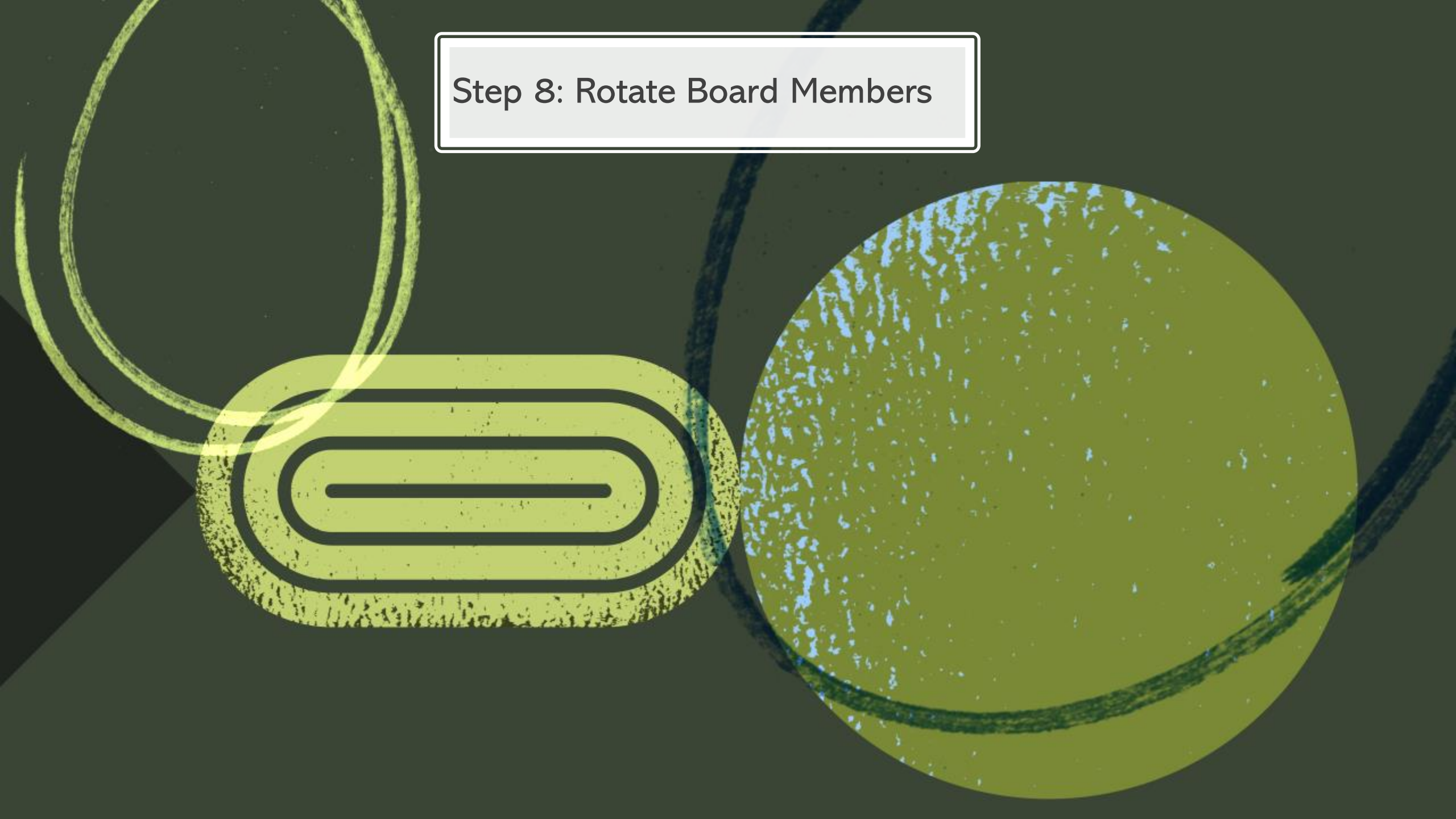
Step 6: Educate the Board



Step 7: Evaluate the Board



Step 8: Rotate Board Members



Step 9: Celebrate



Self-correcting worksheet



THANK YOU