



## Board Member Acquisition (“GET”) Commitment Form

As a GEDCO/Stadium Place Board Member, I understand that it is my responsibility to help acquire new cash donations from new donors every fiscal year (April 1 to March 31) and I am an active Board Member. \_\_\_\_\_ (Initial)

### I plan on reaching my acquisition goal by (check all that apply):

- ☐ **Corporate Matching** – Check with your and/or your partner’s workplace Human Resources Department to see if the company matches donations. If not, ask the company to do it anyway!
- ☐ **Introduce GEDCO** – Set GEDCO up on a “blind date” with friends, colleagues, businesses – anyone who cares about social justice and wants to impact Baltimore. Four dates with new donors who could give \$250 would meet the acquisition goal.
- ☐ **Online Fundraising** – Set an online fundraising goal, and get your social networks involved. Use Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn or the GEDCO website. Ten \$100 gifts get you to your goal!
- ☐ **House Party** – Host a book club, cocktail party, or a movie viewing with discussion. GEDCO can facilitate the conversation and share how we are impacting Baltimore.
- ☐ **GEDCO Events and Campaigns**
  - ☐ **Golf Tournament** – Sell a foursome, and add or secure a sponsor
  - ☐ **Spring Appeal/End of Year Campaigns** – Make calls for Donation (April-June or November 18-June 31) to one of these major campaigns. If available, offer Community Investment Tax Credits as an incentive.
  - ☐ **Thanksgiving Tribute** – Sell a table, an advertisement, or tickets to a table for this year’s Thanksgiving Tribute

*\*This is a list to generate ideas on how you can acquire new donors for GEDCO. Please let us know if you have any other ideas, questions or concerns.*

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**Board Member Name**

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**Signature and Date**