

ROTARY BOARD GOVERNANCE

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WHAT IS GOVERNANCE?

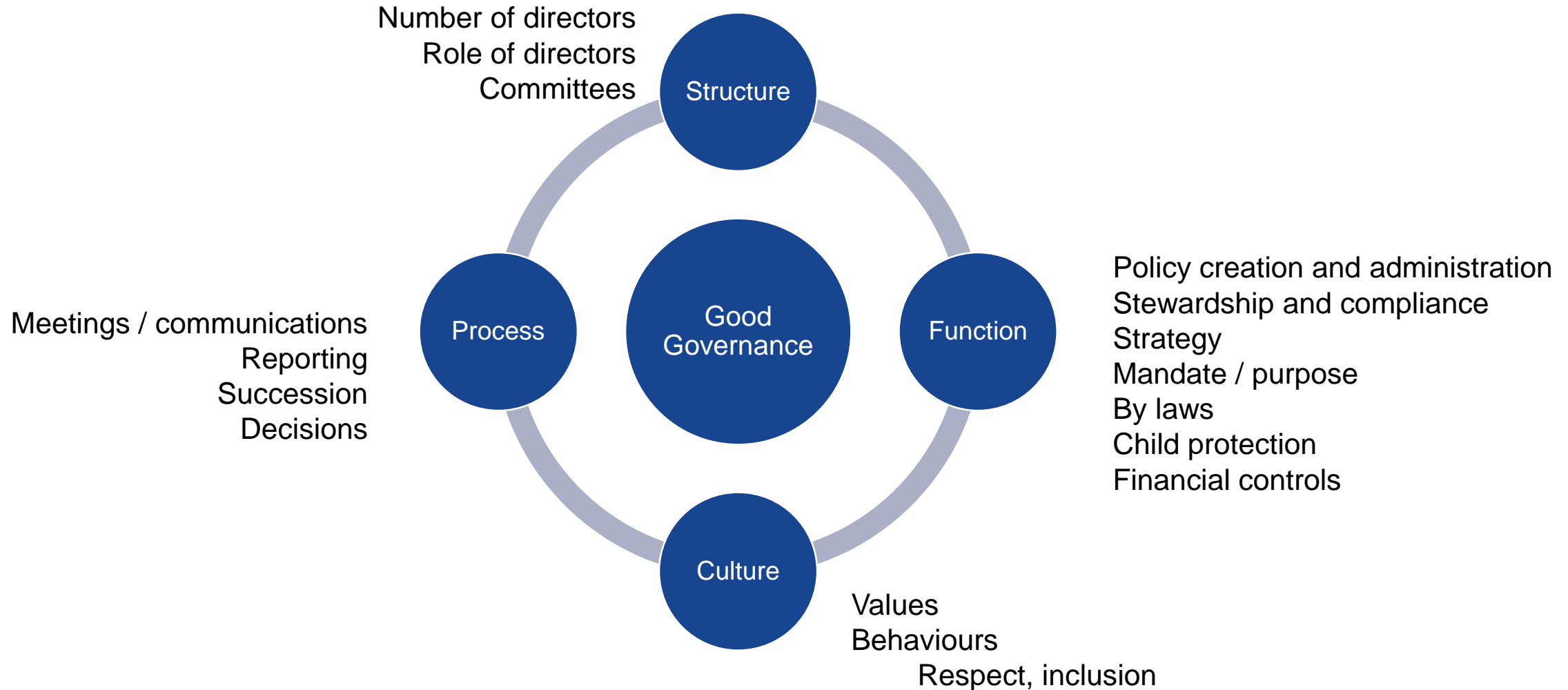
Non-profit governance has a dual focus:

- 1. achieving the organization's social mission and*
- 2. the ensuring the organization is viable.*

Both responsibilities relate to fiduciary responsibility that a board of directors has with respect to the exercise of authority over the explicit actions the organization takes.

Public trust and accountability is an essential aspect of organizational viability, so it achieves the social mission in a way that is respected by those whom the organization serves and the society in which it is located.

A FRAMEWORK FOR SUCCESS



TAKE NOTHING FOR GRANTED

- As a director you (and your fellow board members) are accountable for the governance framework
- It doesn't matter what has happened in the past – you need to be confident that the existing governance framework is robust

WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO CHANGE?

- If there was ONE thing you would improve about your governance framework, what would it be and why?
- What will you need to implement this change?

RESOURCES

<https://my.rotary.org/en/learning-reference/about-rotary/governance-documents>

ROTARY'S VISION STATEMENT

- Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change — across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.