

MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY

Impact Lives Through Tennis

What: The Southern Region Nominating Committee of the United States Tennis Association (USTA) Eastern Section invites you to submit an application to serve as a volunteer member of the Board of Directors. President, Vice President and Secretary positions are available for the USTA Eastern Southern Region Board of Directors.

About the Organization: The USTA is a non-profit organization and the national governing body for tennis and the leader in promoting and developing the sport's growth. USTA Eastern and the other 16 sections receive the bulk of their funding from the USTA.

About the Sport: Tennis has changed. With racquets and courts sized for age and level making the game more enjoyable, it's never been easier to get kids and families in the game. Now is the time for action! Inactivity has become normal, in fact, in the last five years, 2.6 million fewer kids ages 6-12 are playing sports.* And, tennis is a great option for kids; participation positively influences the lives of U.S. Youth across all socioeconomic levels. 48 percent of youth tennis players have an "A" average and 81 percent say they will attend college.**

Benefits: Become a health and wellness change agent and impact the lives of kids and families close to home. Gain identification with the section, regions and the USTA. Gain opportunities for promotion within the volunteer structure of the USTA and for additional training and education. Enjoy access to US Open tickets and regional events.

If you are interested and would like further information, please email ustavolunteer@gmail.com

*The Aspen Institute's Project Play Report

**USTA Serves Special Report: More Than a Sport - Tennis Education and Health

