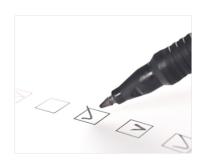
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Bar President's Planning Checklist

I am familiar with my association's bylaws, policies and programs
I am familiar with my association's member services
I am familiar with existing board and executive committee policies
I have read my association's strategic and annual plans, if available
I have spoken with past and upcoming leaders about what needs to happen this year
I have thoroughly reviewed and understand the budget and reporting procedures my association uses
I have spoken with the executive director about our mutual expectations
I have recently reviewed my association's volunteer and staff organization chart and understand the flow of authority and operation
I have a clear understanding of my duties for the upcoming year
I have developed an operational plan in conjunction with the leadership team
I have committed to orienting our board in best practices in governance
I am familiar with the resources available to me to do the job and advance the bars toward its goals
I have spoken with my family, colleagues and staff about serving and the time commitment that will be required.