

# Board Retreat Facilitation



EXECUTIVE COACHES  
OF ORANGE COUNTY

**We Develop Nonprofit  
Leaders for Maximum Impact**

## Why hold a board retreat?

Most successful nonprofits hold annual board retreats to step away from the more tactical issues of overseeing the organization to focus on the more strategic issues related to the organization's vision, mission and strategic plan.

## How can EC of OC help make your board retreat even more valuable?

One of our board retreat facilitation coaches will meet with the Executive Director and Board Chair to:

- Set goals for the event
- Plan the agenda
- Insert interesting exercises to engage participants

The coach can also facilitate all or segments of the retreat, as directed by the Executive Director and Board Chair.

## What are the benefits of using an ECofOC coach facilitator?

Retreat leadership by an EC of OC coach facilitator allows the Executive Director and Board Chair to focus on the meeting content and board member interactions. We can also bring:

- New perspectives and insights
- Various processes to engage meeting participants
- Organization and coordination of meeting topics
- More practical results



*Executive Coaches of Orange County (ECofOC), was founded in 2002 by Bob Cryer, a consultant and SCORE Business Mentor, to focus on aiding and developing skills of nonprofit leaders. EC of OC is a 501(c)3 and has provided expert coaching to hundreds of clients. EC of OC is a grass roots volunteer effort with no paid staff or office.*

