

Organizational Structure

At the national level, TFM has a Board of Directors and a National Secretariat. The TFM Board is composed of farmer representatives of TFM people's organizations and individual advocates. Farmer representatives at the Board are selected and recommended by the provincial organizations. Individual advocates are nominated and recommended by other members of the Board.

The TFM Board of Directors is a policy making and coordinating body of the organization. It primarily sets the general policies and direction of the organization.

The TFM Board helps in the formulation of national campaigns based on consolidated issues and concerns of local affiliate organizations. The TFM Board is convened every six months. Special Board meetings are conducted if necessary.

The National Secretariat is the implementing arm of the TFM Board. It assists affiliate people's organizations or federations in the implementation of the programs and plans. It coordinates efforts of the different local member organizations in national campaigns and activities. It also coordinates closely with the local secretariat in the provincial level.

The National Secretariat is composed of a National Coordinator, Technical Assistant, Media Specialist, two (2) Campaign Specialists, Finance Officer, Administrative Assistant, and Researcher-Documents. The National Secretariat regularly submits progress and accomplishment reports to the TFM Board.

At the local levels, the Council of Leaders governs TFM affiliate organizations. The Council is composed of representatives of hacienda or estate organizations in each province. It takes charge in formulating programs and campaign plans and regularly convenes provincial members through General Assemblies at least twice a year. It regularly coordinates its plans and activities with the National Secretariat. The provincial secretariat assists the national secretariat in the implementation of its projects and campaigns.