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MPLA Nominating Committee

May 11, 2018

MPLA State Reps/Nominating Comm members: **You've been helpful. Need VP/President candidates**

- Arizona – Cherise Mead
- Colorado – Stephen Sweeney
- Kansas – Shanna Smith
- Montana – Rachel Rawn
- Nebraska – Jake Rundle
- Nevada – Luise Davis
- New Mexico – Bradley Carrington
- North Dakota – Paulette Nelson
- Oklahoma – Tim Miller
- South Dakota – Brenda Hemmelman
- Utah – Joe Frazier
- Wyoming – Cindy Moore

**MPLA Nominating Committee purpose:**

The Nominating Committee nominates two candidates for Vice-President/ President-Elect and two for Recording Secretary. The Chair is appointed by the President. The committee consists of a committee member from each state; each member could be a current state representative, a former state representative, or a current board member from that state.

**Ballot slate as of today: This report is deliberately late. Candidate decisions are imminent.**

**Vice-President/President:** no commitments to run

**Recording Secretary:** **Two** candidates submitted requisite candidate information forms and photos.

**Tentative Timeline for 2018 MPLA Election of the President-Elect and Recording Secretary**

- Conference: Kansas (Wichita)/MPLA – **Oct. 23-26, 2018**
- Date by which results are announced: **Sept. 10** - results must be announced not less than 6 weeks before the conference
- Dates during which the election will be run: **about 3 weeks in August?**
- Webmaster does the setup for the ballots – **late July**
- Date on which ballots are due to Webmaster and Executive Secretary: **May 15?**
- Date of newsletter in which candidates will be profiled: **June/July** Newsletter Deadline: **May 21**
- Date by which nominating committee will have nominations for officers: **May 15?** with Bios written
- Webmaster puts the Bios/Photos on the website - **June 1** after receipt of bios/photos
- Newsletter Editor puts Bios/Photos in the June/July Newsletter – deadline: **May 21**
- President-Elect and Recording Secretary nominations due: **April 1 ?** – Need time for candidates to send bios and photos by **May 1** AND time to fill slots if a candidate has to drop out

Respectfully Submitted, Brian

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