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City of Irving

TO: TCMA Members
FROM: TCMA Nominating Committee
DATE: December 6, 2021
SUBJECT: Nominations/Elections Timetable for TCMA Officers

TCMA Statewide Offices

We are now accepting petitions for prospective candidates for the following statewide offices: **President-Elect (2022-2023), Vice President (2022-2023), and TML Board Representative (2022-2024).**

As you think about candidates for these statewide TCMA Board positions, we encourage you to consider the following factors: active involvement in TCMA, active involvement in the TCMA region, years of municipal government service, TCMA committee service, desire to serve, level of regional support, and prior TCMA Board service. The Nominating Committee will consider each person's candidacy in light of the current composition of the Board and will strive to achieve a balance among such factors as geography, size of city, ethnicity, race, and gender.

We encourage you to familiarize yourself with the following schedule:

December 6, 2021 (week of) – Election timetable and petition for candidacy posted on the TCMA website.

February 25, 2022 – Membership petitions will be received through this date by email to TML staff at kim@tml.org.

February 28-March 4 – The TCMA Nominating Committee will meet during this time to discuss membership petitions, verify petitions, and identify, when appropriate, the Committee's selection for the ballot.

March 7-11 – Electronic ballots will be provided to the voting membership, including biographical information on each candidate and how he/she was placed on the ballot.

March 11 – Deadline to cast votes.

March 14-18 – A subcommittee of the TCMA Nominating Committee (appointed by the TCMA Nominating Committee chair) will canvass the votes.

March 21-25 – If a tie occurs, a **second** electronic ballot will be forwarded to voting members this week.

March 25 – Deadline to cast votes.

June 11 – Election results announced shortly after certification of results by the Nominating Committee. New officers take office at the end of the Annual Conference in June.

It is important to keep in mind the following Board-approved policies regarding the TCMA nominations process:

- In order to place a person's name into consideration for a Board vacancy, a member shall forward either a signed personal letter or a petition with his/her legible signature on it to TCMA staff in Austin at kim@tml.org. Petitions or letters must be signed by at least 15 FULL members (see TCMA Constitution Article III, Section 6C). Associate members can petition and hold office for Director-at-Large (see TCMA Constitution Article III, Section 1 and Article V, Section 4).
- Each member is limited to endorsing (by petition or letter) only one person per statewide office vacancy. Any person whose signature appears as an endorsement of more than one candidate for a statewide office shall have the endorsement deleted from each candidate's count for said office.
- The TCMA Nominating Committee is not required to provide an endorsement when there are two or more candidates who have submitted the appropriate petitions for a statewide office.
- A petitioned candidate for a statewide TCMA officer position cannot serve on the TCMA Nominating Committee.
- The petition form to be used as part of TCMA's election process will be available to prospective candidates no earlier than December of the election year.

The Nominating Committee includes Brad Stafford, Retired and Immediate Past President (Chair); Jeffrey Snyder, City Manager, Plainview; Suzette Williams, City Administrator, Idalou; Jerry Flemming, City Manager, Iowa Park; David Miller, City Administrator, Springtown; Leslie Black, City Manager, Whitehouse; Tom Fullen, City Administrator, Hunters Creek Village; David Harris, City Administrator, Balcones Heights; Kathleen Weisenberger, Assistant City Manager, Portland; and Joe Vera, Assistant City Manager, McAllen

TCMA Regional Board Representatives

The terms for Board representatives from TCMA regions bearing **even-numbered** designations will end at the TCMA Annual Conference at Lost Pines Resort and Spa on June 12, 2022. Each of these regions is responsible for the election of its representative in accordance with the TCMA Constitution (Article III, Section 2B). **The name of the new regional director shall be submitted to the TCMA president and staff no later than January 31, 2022.**

We appreciate the opportunity to serve TCMA and look forward to your participation in this important process.

CANDIDATE NOMINATION FORM

President-Elect

(Only **Full** members may endorse a candidate)

TO: TCMA Nominating Committee

In accordance with the most recent TCMA Constitution (Article III, Section 6C) I, being classified a **FULL** TCMA member, petition to have (Name) _____, (Title) _____ of (City/Organization) _____, placed in nomination for the 2022–2023 TCMA statewide office of _____. In accordance with the TCMA Constitution, the following **FULL** members have endorsed this nomination by signing below.

REMINDERS:

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CANDIDATE NOMINATION FORM

Vice President

(Only **Full** members may endorse a candidate)

TO: TCMA Nominating Committee

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