

Nominations and Elections Committee Annual Report (#19)
September 2007

Nominations and Elections Committee Timeline

January-April 2007

Start contacting members for NDLA Executive Board positions: President Elect, Treasurer, Secretary, ALA Councilor, MPLA Representative.

March 2007

March board meeting: Reminder to section/roundtable chairs: Get your candidate names/candidate information to Christine. Positions to fill: Chair-Elect/Secretary
Candidate Information: Current position, education, professional involvement, vision statement, if possible: photo. Deadline: May 1, 2007.

Board motion to approve candidates secured thus far for the following positions: President Elect, Secretary, ALA Councilor, MPLA Representative.

April 2007

Email NDLA Executive Board: Reminder to section/roundtable chairs: candidates in by May 1.

May 2007

May 1: Last day to submit section/roundtable candidates. Get member mailing labels from Kathy Thomas. Make return address labels. Prepare envelopes for ballots: envelopes for mailing ballots to members + return envelopes with the help of committee members Sarah Devereaux and Zach Packineau.

June 2007

June board meeting: Complete list of candidates to the board; Motion to approve section/roundtable candidates.

Send candidate information + photos to Marlene for August (pre-conference) *Good Stuff*.
Deadline for submission: June 22, 2007.

July 2007

Find Nominations/Election committee members to assist with mailing preparation/ballot counting. Create ballots. Print one of each ballots, take ballots and colored paper to print shop, get ballots printed. Send paper, envelope and stamp receipts to Mike Safratowich.

August 2007

Candidates in August *Good Stuff* with article on ballots. Mail ballots by Monday, August 13, 2007 with a return by date: September 1. Bring to PreSort, bill mailing costs to NDLA.

September 2007

Count ballots with the help of committee members Sarah Devereaux and Zach Packineau. Ballots mailed: 275; ballots returned: 127. Percent of return: 46%. Submit election results to all candidates via email. Submit election results to NDLA Executive Board via email. SLAYS and Public Library Section will appoint members to Chair-Elect and Secretary positions during their annual meeting. Academic & Special Libraries Section will appoint someone to the Chair-Elect position during their annual meeting.

2007 NDLA Election Results

President-Elect: Phyllis Ann K. Bratton

Treasurer: Mike Safratowich

Secretary: Laurie McHenry

MPLA Representative: Al Peterson

ALA Representative: Shelby Harken

Sections and Roundtables:

Academic & Special Libraries Section Secretary: Cheryl Zimprich

Government Documents Roundtable Chair-Elect: Rachel White

Health Sciences Information Section Chair-Elect: Karen Anderson

Health Sciences Information Section Secretary: Marilyn Hedberg

New Members Roundtable Chair-Elect: Travis Schulz

New Members Roundtable Secretary: Stephanie Baltzer

Technical Services Roundtable Chair-Elect: Michele Azar

Technical Services Roundtable Secretary: Elizabeth Jacobs

At NDLA conference: Share election results to NDLA membership during first general session. Pass on Nominations and Elections Committee items to incoming Nominations and Elections Committee Chair.

October

Send election results/article to Marlene for December *Good Stuff*

Deadline for submission: October 26, 2007

Respectfully Submitted,

Christine Kujawa

Nominations and Elections Committee Chair