

To: MAPE Local Officers

From: Paul Schweizer, MAPE Business Manager

Re: MAPE Regularly Scheduled Elections – Nominations Open February 10, 2020

Date: February 7, 2020

Dear local officers,

Nominations open on February 10, 2020 for the MAPE 2020 statewide, regional, local, agency-specific and selected local special elections. Nominations close on April 10, 2020.

The following positions are open for nomination:

Jurisdiction Position

Statewide Statewide President

Statewide Statewide Treasurer

Statewide Three Organizing Council Positions

 Statewide Two Political Council Positions

Statewide One Trustee Position

Statewide Meet & Confer Chairs

Region Regional Negotiations Team Representatives

Region Regional Director – (Even-numbered regions only)

Local Delegates & Alternates for Delegate Assembly

Local All Local Officer positions (Odd-numbered regions only)

Local Selected Local Officer positions in locals with vacancies

The following documents are attached to this email:

* Official Announcement
* Election Timetable
* List of local special elections
* List of active, statewide meet & confer committees
* Sample announcement template for you to personalize and send to your members.

Additional election resources are available on the MAPE website: <https://mape.org/resources/mape-documents/election-information>

New this year:

* Elections of meet & confer chairs
* Candidate forums required (statewide officer elections only)
* The Local President may make a temporary appointment to any vacant local office

**Please take these steps now:**

* **Personalize and send out a notice to your members.**
* **Appoint an elections committee.**
* **Appoint a nominations committee.**

Please feel free to contact Mike Landers, Elections Committee Chair, mikel7\_8@msn.com , Sierra Plunkett, splunkett@mape.org or 651-287-8763, or me with any questions.

Thank you,

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MAPE Business Manager

cc: MAPE Board of Directors

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 MAPE Elections Committee