

### Monthly Committee Report - November 9, 2021

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Committee: Nominations and Elections Committee Report

Officer/Chair: Annette Hill

**Committee Members:** Beverly Wadley, Doris Lewis, Janet Proctor,

and Pat White

#### 1. Activities Completed for the Month:

- Attended and provided report at the October 12th Council of Excellence Executive Meeting.
- Continued systematic release of marketing information via Newsletter, Robo calling.
- Hosted an Applicants' Forum on October 14th and 26th via ZOOM.
- Completed the self-nomination process, received, vetted all applications received by October 28, 2021.

#### 2. Activities Planned for the Future:

- Present candidates at November COE Executive Committee meeting.
- Present and explain the Early Voting Process. Ballots can be requested for Mail-in Voting UPON Request only to eligible members. Members request mail-in ballots November 9-11 by:
  - o Calling LWSC at (770) 322-2900 or direct
  - o Email to ezansari@dekalbcountyga.gov
  - Mail-In Ballots must be postmarked on or before November 24th
- Host an Applicants' Forum on October 14, 2021, 1:00 p.m. via ZOOM. Will provide various discussion questions to Chairpersons.

- Continue marketing through available options.
  - Newsletter
  - Robo calls
  - Drive by Dates
- Facilitate an open and easy process to elect new officers to the COE Executive Committee.
  - o Provide Drive-by-Access
  - Provide on-line voting process
  - Provide mail-in Access (by request only)
- Manage voting process for all members.
- Spotlight Candidates
- Prepare Ballots
- Finalize Incentives for Drive-by-Voting.
- Manage voting process to encourage maximum participation.
- Attend Officer Installation Event

### 3. Motion Stated for Executive Committee Consideration/ Resolution/Recommendations:

None

### 4. Action Required by the COE Executive Committee:

None

### 5. Action Required by LWSC Staff:

- Provide timely and necessary information to members regarding the COE Election Process to include:
  - 11/3 Candidate Announcement
  - 11/5 Robo Call to remind members to 'Meet The Candidates' on Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> during the monthly COE Executive Board meeting.
  - 11/8 Repeat Robo Call
  - 11/12 Prepare and mail Ballots as requested. receive and distribute outreach materials from NEC widely via Newsletter, Website, Email and Robo calls to ensure all members receive election information. Provide a place at the LWSC for access via Drive-by.

 11/16 -- Provide ZOOM information to 'Spotlight' Candidates.

# 6. Opportunities for Celebration:

 With the challenge of in-person meeting limitations, the NEC has meticulously provided an opportunity for members to make the best- informed decision of selecting their COE representatives.

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

## **Distribution of Applications**

Thursday, from September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021
Applications for the LWSC
Council of Excellence Executive Committee

**Applicants Forum September 16, 2021 1pm** 

Candidates Submit Applications
October 1<sup>st</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021

### **Candidate Application Deadline**

4:00 PM Thursday, October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2021
Leave at the Reception Desk in a Sealed Envelope for the LWSC Director

### Validation of Candidate Applications Friday, November 5, 2021

### **Meet The Candidates -- COE Executive Meeting**

Tuesday, November 9, 2021 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

### **Spotlight The Candidates**

Tuesday, November 16, 2021 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm - ZOOM

Candidates Campaigning Will Answer Questions About Their Vision for LWSC

#### **Mail In Ballot Postmark Deadline**

Wednesday, November 24, 2021

### **LWSC COE Election Days!!!**

December 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>
Tuesday - Wednesday - Thursday
10:00 am - 2:00 pm