

NALC national elections announcement

The National Election Committee, appointed at the Detroit National Convention to conduct the election of national officers for NALC for four year-terms, has announced the results.

Here are the results, listed in ballot order. *Winners are highlighted in italics.* Note that voting for the regional national business agent offices was limited to NALC members in good standing from the respective regions:

President

- *Fredric Rolando, Sarasota, FL Br. 2148: 48,977*
- David Noble, Washington, DC Br. 142: 11,099

Executive Vice President

- *Brian Renfroe, Hattiesburg, MS Br. 938: 42,708*
- Rachael Elmore, Freehold, NJ Br. 924: 16,064

Vice President

- *Lew Drass, Huntsville, AL Br. 462: 38,732*
- Sara Gresham, Newport News, VA Br. 609: 19,314

Secretary-Treasurer

- Jerry Kerner Jr., Baltimore, MD Br. 176: 15,317
- *Nicole Rhine, Lincoln, NE Br. 8: 42,981*

Assistant Secretary-Treasurer

- *Paul Barner, Roswell, GA Br. 4862: 35,315*
- Kathryn R. Myers, Billings, MT Br. 815: 22,153

Director of City Delivery

- *Christopher Jackson, Garden Grove, CA Br. 1100: 43,886*
- Thomas A. Houff, Richmond, VA Br. 496: 13,470



Director, Safety and Health

- *Manuel L. Peralta Jr., Garden Grove, CA Br. 1100: 42,006*
- Douglas L. Peters II, Lansing, MI Br. 122: 16,071

Director of Life Insurance

- Alan Nagata, Salt Lake City, UT Br. 111: 17,889
- *James W. Yates, Long Island Merged, NY Br. 6000: 39,449*

Director, Health Benefit Plan

- Robert R. Brunette, Sheboygan, WI Br. 102: 14,363
- *Stephanie Stewart, Central Iowa Mgd. Br. 352: 43,355*

Director, Retired Members

- *Daniel Toth, Lorain, OH Br. 583: 43,952*
- Thomas E. Fath, Decatur, IL Br. 317: 13,047

National Trustees (three positions)

- *Lawrence D. Brown Jr., Los Angeles, CA Br. 24: 41,832*
- *Michael Gill, South Florida Br. 1071: 40,170*
- Carol E. Paxton, New Orleans, LA Br. 124: 27,487
- Rolando Rodriguez, Anderson, IN Br. 489: 16,029
- *Mack I. Julion, Chicago Br. 11: 35,138*

Region 2 National Business Agent

- Michael Wahlquist, Salt Lake City, UT Br. 111: 1,084
- *Nick Vafiades, Longview, WA Br. 2214: 1,300*

Region 4 National Business Agent

- *Dan Versluis, Tucson, AZ Br. 704: 1,801*
- Anita Lewallen, Conway, AR Br. 1592: 1,337

Images of the ballot counting supervised by members of the National Election Committee.



Region 9 National Business Agent

—Lynne Pendleton, Central Florida Br. 1091: 3,481

—Kenneth R. Gibbs Jr., Brunswick, GA Br. 313: 2,977

The following nominees ran uncontested and were elected by consent at the convention on July 18:

Region 1 National Business Agent

—Bryant Almario, Santa Clara, CA Br. 1427

Region 3 National Business Agent

—Michael B. Caref, Chicago, IL Br. 11

Region 5 National Business Agent

—Michael Birkett, Dubuque, IA Br. 257

Region 6 National Business Agent

—Charles Troy Clark, Lexington, KY Br. 361

Region 7 National Business Agent

—Troy D. Fredenburg, Minneapolis Br. 9

Region 8 National Business Agent

—Steve Lassan, Nashville, TN Br. 4

Region 10 National Business Agent

—Javier Bernal, Houston Br. 283

Region 11 National Business Agent

—Mark Camilli, Northeastern New York Br. 358

Region 12 National Business Agent

—David J. Napadano, New Castle, PA Br. 22

Region 13 National Business Agent

—Vada E. Preston, Tidewater Virginia Br. 247

Region 14 National Business Agent

—Richard J. DiCecca, Massachusetts Northeast Merged Br. 25

Region 15 National Business Agent

—Larry Cirelli, New Jersey Merged Br. 38

The committee met on Aug. 13 in Washington, DC, to set the rules and procedures for the contested national and regional elections, as laid out in the *NALC Constitution*. It also conducted the random drawing to determine the order of the names as they appeared on the ballot for each office.

The election was conducted by mail ballot in accordance with the *NALC Constitution*. The Election Committee retained the services of Hartfield Resolution Group of St. Clair Shores, MI, to assist the committee in supervising the conduct of the election.

The committee reviewed and approved all nominating forms and created the ballot for mailing. Official election instructions were included with all ballots mailed to eligible NALC members.

To be eligible to vote, a person was required to be a regular member of NALC and in good standing as of June 1, 2018.

The printing and preparation of ballots began on Tuesday, Sept. 4,

followed by the mailing, which began on Tuesday, Sept. 11. Ballots had to be received by 9 a.m. on Thursday, Oct. 4, to be counted. The counting of ballots began that day.

The installation of NALC's 28 elected national officers will take place in Washington, DC, on Saturday, Dec. 1. For more on the installation, see the box below.

The Election Committee, as appointed by President Fredric Rolando, is made up of Garden Grove, CA Branch 1100's Barbara Stickler (chairperson); Mike O'Neill, New Jersey Merged Branch 38; Rod Holub, Manhattan, KS Branch 1018; Delano Wilson, Silver Spring, MD Branch 2611; Antonia Shields, Birmingham, AL Branch 530; Paul Roznowski, Royal Oak, MI Branch 3126; Ethel Ford, Houston, TX Branch 283; Tom Dlugolenski, Syracuse, NY Branch 134; Margaret Parker, Aurora, IL Branch 219; and Brian Wiggins, Seattle, WA Branch 79. **PR**

Picking up installation tickets

The installation of NALC's 28 elected national officers for four-year terms will take place from 5 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. on the evening of Saturday, Dec. 1, at the Marriott Marquis Washington, DC. For those who have purchased tickets, the person authorized to pick up tickets listed on the order form can do so in the secretary-treasurer's office at NALC Headquarters between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 30. Additionally, he or she can pick up tickets at the registration area outside the Marquis Ballroom at the Marquis Washington, DC, between 2 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. on Dec. 1. Full coverage of the installation will appear in the January issue of *The Postal Record*. **PR**