

Nominating Committee Report and Recommendation to the MCCO Annual Meeting

November 14, 2009

Current MCCO Directors and Officers on the MCCO Board:

Officers and Directors nominated by MCCO:

Chair	Margaret Nally	MCEC	2006-2009
Vice-Chair	Ted Dueck	MB	2006-2007, 2007-2009
Secretary	Peggy Snyder	MCEC	2004-2007, 2007-2010
Treasurer	Sara Cressman	MCEC	2007-2010
Alumni	Anita Streicher	BIC	2007-2008, 2008-2011
Additional	Heide Van Riesen	MCEC	2007-2008, 2008-2011
Additional	Ebenezer Rajeevan	MB	2007-2008, 2008-2011
Additional	Eunice Valenzuela	MCEC	2007-2010

Directors nominated by supporting constituent conferences:

BIC	Carole Phillips	BIC	2004-2007, 2007-2010
BIC	Lloyd Hogg	BIC	2003-2006, 2006-2009
EMMC		EMMC	
EMC	Gerhard Dyck	EMC	2006-2009
MB	Lynn Rempel	MB	2008-2009
MB	Paul Gilbert	MB	2007-2010
MCEC	Karen Cornies	MCEC	2004-2007, 2007-2010
MCEC	Leah Reesor	MCEC	2008-2011
MCEC	Dave Tiessen	MCEC	2007-2010
MCEC	Bob Burkholder	MCEC	2008-2011
MCEC	Greta Wiens	MCEC	2008-2011
Markham/Waterloo	Clare Frey	MW	no term length
Old Colony	Jacob Reimer	OC	no term length

Student Reps (non-voting) for the MCCO Board for 2009/10:.

CGUC	Rebecca Steiner	Sep 2009-Sep 2010 (2 nd term)
EBC	Matt Winger	Sep 2009-Sep 2010

Appointees by MCCO Board to Other Parts of MCC:

MCCC Delegate Body and MCC Binational	Margaret Nally	Nov 2007-Nov 2009
MCCC Delegate Body and MCCC Board	Peggy Snyder	Nov 2007-Nov 2010

MCCO Officers and Directors Resigning/Retiring in 2008/09:

Lynn Rempel	MB	(End of first term)
Lloyd Hogg	BIC	(End of second term)
Gerhard Dyck	EMC	(End of first term)
Ted Dueck, Vice Chair	MB	(End of first term as Vice Chair)

MCCO Officers and Directors Ending First Terms and Willing to Serve a Second Term

Margaret Nally	MCCC Delegate Body, and MCC Binational Executive Committee
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DELEGATES AT THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE WILL BE ASKED TO VOTE ON THE FOLLOWING:

Recommended Slate of Nominees of Directors/Officers for the MCCO Board for 2009/10:

Officers nominated by MCCO:

Board Chair	Margaret Nally	Nov 2009 – Nov 2012 (second term as Chair)
Vice Chair	Carole Phillips	Nov 2009 – Nov 2012 (first term as Vice-Chair)

Directors nominated by supporting constituent conferences:

BIC	Sue Boisvert	Nov 2009 – Nov 2012 (first term)
BIC	Steve Authier	Nov 2009 – Nov 2010 (completing Carole Phillips' term)
MB	-----	Nov 2009 – Nov 2012 (first term)
EMC	Will Enns	Nov 2009 – Nov 2012 (first term)
EMMC	Abram Wall	Nov 2009 – Nov 2012 (first term)

Legend:

BIC = Brethren In Christ
EMMC = Evangelical Mennonite Missions Conference
EMC = Evangelical Mennonite Conference
MB = Mennonite Brethren
MCEC = Mennonite Church Eastern Canada
CGUC = Conrad Grebel University College
EBC = Emmanuel Bible College

**Mennonite Central Committee Ontario
Current & Proposed Board of Director Biographies
2009-2010**

*** = name is recommended as a NEW Board Member on the current slate of nominees**

***Steve Authier – BIC Conference**

Place of Residence: Hannon, Ontario

Place of Birth: Quebec

Previous and current connections with MCC: MCC Rep at The Meeting House

Church Membership and Involvement: The Meeting House Home Church leader, Compassion Director and Children's Ministry Volunteer

Educational Background: B.A. McMaster University, Brethren In Christ's Equipping for Ministry Direct Study Diploma

Current Employment: Retired

Previous Employment: Interim Pastor with The Meeting House in Parry Sound for one year from November 2008, as well as 30 years at Dafasco (various roles including sales management)

Family: Wife Judi, three sons: Scott, Phillip and Daniel

Hobbies/Community Involvement: Photography, running, his dogs, World Vision Life Change Network Volunteer Leader for 4 years, City Kidz (inner city children's ministry in Hamilton), Participation House Volunteer (residence for physically and/or mentally challenged adults)

*** Sue Boisvert – BIC Conference**

Place of Residence: Stirling

Place of Birth: Ontario

Previous and current connections with MCC: MCC Africa Learning Tour November 2007, BIC Compassionate Ministries Team Canadian Conference

Church Membership and Involvement: BIC New Hope Christian Fellowship, Belleville, Ontario—Intercession, Missions Coordination

Educational Background: Registered Nurse

Current Employment: Community Living Campbellford Brighton—Supporting Adults with Intellectual Disabilities

Previous Employment: Quinte Healthcare Belleville General Department of Psychiatry

Family: Husband—Albert, 5 children (2 adopted), 3 grandchildren

Hobbies/Community Involvement: Founding Director-Belleville Pregnancy Crisis Centre, City Wide Intercession Group, Quinte Christian Counsellor's Network.

***Will Enns – EMC**

Place of Residence: Aylmer

Place of Birth: Mexico

Previous and current connections with MCC: MCC Sudan Learning Tour September 2009

Church Membership and Involvement: Serves on Pastoral Team as Lay Minister with primary focus on leading and developing a Social Action Team (Mount Salem EMC)

Educational Background: Completed Secondary School

Current Employment: Owner of Advanced Stainless (manufacturer of food processing equipment)

Previous Employment: n/a

Family: Wife-Ani, 3 children: Andrea, Marcus and Sammy

Hobbies/Community Involvement: Soccer coach, Big Brother Program, loves to play any team sport!

***Abram Wall – EMMC**

Place of Residence: Wheatley, Ontario

Place of Birth: Mexico

Previous and current connections with MCC: First time serving with MCC

Church Membership and Involvement: Served the Leamington EMMC for 15 years from 1994 until 2009 as Treasurer. At the present time he is representing the LEMMC at the Leamington Mennonite Home Board of Directors (EMMC Member)

Educational Background: Mennonite School in Mexico

Current Employment: Retired

Previous Employment: Chrysler Canada

Family: Wife Aganetha (Agnes), 3 married boys and 6 grandchildren

Hobbies/Community Involvement: Voluntary work for church and enjoys travel

***Matt Winger – Young Adult Rep (EBC)**

Place of Residence: Fenwick, Ontario

Place of Birth: Ontario

Previous and current connections with MCC: First time serving with MCC

Church Membership and Involvement: Not currently a member, but has attended the BIC Church for most of his life. Matt feels strongly connected to the BIC or a church denomination with Anabaptist roots

Educational Background: Matt is currently in his final year of a Bachelor of Religious Education majoring in counselling. He plans to continue and work towards a Masters.

Current Employment: Mutual Support Systems

Previous Employment: Dekortes Landscape, Zellers, West 49

Family: Lee and Shelley (parents), Chris and Jesse (younger brothers)

Hobbies/Community Involvement: Matt is currently Head of Social Concerns within the student council of Emmanuel Bible College. Matt is an avid longboarder and enjoys hiking and music.

Robert Burkholder – MCEC Conference, Kingston

Karen Cornies - MCEC Conference, Kitchener

Sara Cressman – Treasurer, Waterloo

Clare Frey - Markham-Waterloo Church, Elmira

Paul Gilbert – MB Conference, Waterloo

Margaret M. Nally – Chair, Waterloo ****recommended for a 2nd term as Chair****

Carole Phillips – BIC Conference, Oakville ****recommended for her 1st term as Vice-Chair****

Ebenezer Rajeevan - Additional Director, Kitchener

Jacob G. Reimer – Old Colony Church, Aylmer

Leah Reesor – MCEC Conference, Toronto

Margaret (Peggy) Snyder – Secretary, Waterloo

Rebecca Steiner – Young Adult Rep (CGUC), Waterloo

Anita Streicher – Alumni Rep, Waterloo

David Tiessen – MCEC Conference, Waterloo

Eunice Valenzuela – Additional Director, Kitchener

Heide Van Riesen – Additional Director, Tilsonburg

Greta Wiens – MCEC Conference, Niagara on the Lake