

Guidelines for Campaign Literature EACC Elections

Campaign literature will not contain any obscenity or foul language. Literature will not contain libelous remarks about specific individuals.

Association office equipment and supplies (Xerox, paper, membership lists, staff, etc.) will not be used by candidates. Any campaign literature sent via the interschool pony using the Association's privileges will be approved by the Nominations, Elections, and Credential Committee. Candidates shall submit proposed literature to the Committee Chairperson, Richard Kelly, at the EACC office. Literature will be approved/disapproved within two days. Guidelines for literature will be included with the nomination form.

The Association Representative will not be required to distribute campaign literature but may volunteer to do so. The Chairperson of the NEC Committee will provide candidates with a list of persons in each school who have agreed to distribute literature. Nevertheless, it is the responsibility of the candidate to ensure that his/her literature has been distributed properly.

Positions Vacant for 2017 Elections:

- THIRTY-TWO (32) MSEA Convention Delegates (Fall 2017, Ocean City, MD)***
- FOURTEEN (14) NEA Convention Delegates (July 2017, Boston, MA)***
- ONE (1) MSEA PAC Representative**

***Attendance at the MSEA and NEA conventions will be funded as EACC budget allows. Elected delegate(s) who are not funded because of EACC budget constraints can attend the conventions at their own expense.**

EACC Election Schedule 2017

- March 8th** Election Schedule delivered to Reps.
Nomination Forms distributed to Reps, along with the Guidelines for Literature and a list of vacancies.
Nomination information posted on EACC website:
www.teameacc.org.
- April 7th** Nomination forms due at the EACC office by 4:00 p.m.
- April 19th** Chairperson of the Nominations, Elections, and Credentials Committee announces candidates and reviews election procedures at Rep Assembly. **Nominations from the floor will be taken only for offices where there is insufficient candidates to fill the vacancies. The ballot will not provide for write-in candidates.**
- April 24th** List of candidates, submitted biographies, and Voting directions sent out to members via reps.
- May 5th** Voting ends at 4:00 pm.
- May 9th** Election results certified, winners notified by email and/or phone. All other candidates will receive a copy of the election results.
- May 10th** Election results announced at RA

EACC Bylaws Voting Schedule 2017

- March 8th** Bylaws amendments proposed to reps at March RA.
- March 9th** Document sent to reps to send to members.
- March 28th** BALLOTS sent out to members via reps.
- April 7th** BALLOTS due before 4:00 pm at EACC Office. Ballots received after 5:00 pm time will not be counted.
- April 19th** Election results announced at RA.

Nomination Form

Complete both the Nomination Form and the Letter of Intent for each office you are seeking. Please print or type. Return forms to Richard Kelly, NEC Committee Chairperson, to the EACC office by PONY or Fax to: 301.392.0151.

DEADLINE: APRIL 7, 2017 by 4:00 pm

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Work E-mail Address _____

Home Phone # _____ School/Site _____

Position (Teacher, PPW, etc) _____

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Letter of Intent

I, _____, hereby state my willingness to run as a candidate for the office of _____.

I agree to abide by the EACC/MSEA/NEA policies and bylaws and to adhere to the NEA code of ethics.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

FAX# 301-392-0151

EACC Election Candidate

Biographical Information

Name: _____

School/Site: _____

Position: _____

Office/Position you are running for: _____

Below, in fifty (50) words or fewer, give a brief statement of your goals, background, intentions, etc. This information will be copied verbatim and distributed to EACC members.

The biographical statement below is optional but must be turned in to the EACC office by April 7, 2017 by 4:00 pm.
