



THE POWER OF TOUCH

March 14, 2021

THIRD QUINQUENNIAL MEETING OF THE
POTOMAC CONFERENCE CORPORATION
OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS

Recommendations
**NOMINATING
COMMITTEE**



Potomac Conference
CORPORATION OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS®



Dear Delegate,

Below is important information for your prayerful consideration regarding our Constituency Meeting, being held on March 14, 2021. In this document, you will find recommendations from the Nominating Committee for the Potomac Conference Corporation Executive Officers, Vice Presidents and members for the Executive Committee, Board of Education, Takoma Academy School Board and Shenandoah Valley Academy School Board. Votes will be taken on March 14 on the recommendations presented below:

Nominating Committee Report - March 7, 2021

Recommendations for Executive Officers and Vice Presidents

- **Conference President:** Charles Tapp (information below)
- **Vice President for Administration:** Jose Vazquez
- **Vice President for Finance:** David VandeVere
- **Vice President for Education:** Steve Laing
- **Vice President for Pastoral Ministries:** Rick Labate

Recommendation for President

CHARLES A. TAPP

FAMILY

Spouse: Maureen

Children: Maeling
Tiffany
Victoria



EDUCATION

| | Date | Degree |
|--------------------|------|-------------------------------|
| Andrews University | 1986 | Masters of Divinity |
| Oakwood College | 1982 | B.A., Theology and Accounting |

Ordained: 1990

WORK EXPERIENCE

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|---|----------------------|
| Senior Pastor, Sligo Seventh-day Adventist Church | 2009 – Present |
| Senior Pastor, Seabrook Seventh-day Adventist Church | 2003 – 2008 |
| Interim Senior Pastor, Oakwood University Church | January – April 2003 |
| Associate Senior Pastor/Young Adult Ministry, Sligo Seventh-day Adventist Church | 2001 – 2003 |
| Associate Pastor, Oakwood University Church | 1998 — 2001 |
| Administrative Pastor, Seabrook Seventh-day Adventist Church | 1997 – 1998 |
| Religion Teacher, Takoma Academy | 1995 — 1997 |
| Instructor, Department of Religion and Theology, Northern Caribbean University | 1993 — 1995 |
| Senior Pastor, South Ozone Park Seventh-day Adventist Church | 1988 — 1993 |
| Associate Pastor, Hanson Place Seventh-day Adventist Church | 1986 — 1988 |
| Pastoral Assistant, Highland Avenue Seventh-day Adventist | 1984 — 1986 |
| Senior Pastor, East Side Seventh-day Adventist Church | 1982 – 1984 |

SPECIAL HONOR

Conferred with an Honorary Doctorate in Humane Letters from Washington Adventist University in 2019

Recommendations for Executive Committee (Subject to Vetting and Availability)

27 Members:

Specifics:
 4 Ex-Officio
 7 DC/MD
 6 DC Metro Hispanic
 3 Northern VA
 2 VA Capital
 1 VA So Central
 1 VA Southwest
 1 VA Tidewater
 2 VA Valley

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|-----|------------|------------|-------------------|---|--------------|
| 1. | PCC | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| | President | | | | |
| 2. | PCC VP Adm | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 3. | PCC Fin | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 4. | PCC Educ | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 5. | Kelvin | Mitchell | Employee-Pastor | M | DC/MD |
| 6. | Jami | Walker | Employee-Educator | F | DC/MD |
| 7. | Natalie | Roberts | Employee-Pastor | F | DC/MD |
| 8. | Luci | Sloan | Lay | F | DC/MD |
| 9. | Nancy | Lamoreaux | Lay | F | DC/MD |
| 10. | John | Varghese | Lay | M | DC/MD |
| 11. | Cecil | Calliste | Lay | M | DC/MD |
| 12. | Federico | Revollo | Employee-Pastor | M | DC Metro His |
| 13. | Ana | Reyes Vega | Lay | F | DC Metro His |
| 14. | Ferdy | Rodriguez | Lay | M | DC Metro His |
| 15. | Jessica | Salvador | Lay | F | DC Metro His |
| 16. | Gaby | Canales | Lay | F | DC Metro His |
| 17. | Dehuel | Prado | Lay | M | DC Metro His |
| 18. | Vince | MacIsaac | Employee-Pastor | M | Northern VA |
| 19. | Melissa | Brooks | Lay | F | Northern VA |
| 20. | Franchelle | Beach | Lay | F | Northern VA |
| 21. | Daniel | McManus | Lay | M | VA Capital |
| 22. | Jim | Hiner | Employee-Pastor | M | VA Capital |
| 23. | Geraldo | Alonso | Employee-Pastor | M | VA So Cent |
| 24. | Scott | Cleveland | Lay | M | VA So West |
| 25. | Michael | Monroig | Lay | M | VA Tidewater |
| 26. | Shane | Anderson | Employee-Pastor | M | VA Valley |
| 27. | Michelle | Hall | Lay | F | VA Valley |

Alternates:

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| Jeanine | Jarrett | Lay | F | DC/MD |
| Jason | Miller | Lay | M | DC/MD |
| Karl | Lawrence | Lay | M | DC/MD |
| Carmen | Saltos | Lay | F | DC Metro His |
| Lazaro | Portillo | Lay | M | DC Metro His |
| Marcela | Luna | Lay | F | DC Metro His |
| Byron | Barnes | Lay | M | NOVA |
| Louis | Velez | Lay | M | VA Tidewater |
| Jesse | Nascimento | Emp | M | VA Capital |

Recommendations for Board of Education (Subject to Vetting and Availability)

27 Members:

Specifics:
 7 Ex-Officio
 5 PreK-12 (2-small sch)
 1 Pastor
 14 Lay

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|-----|-----------|----------------|------------------------|---|-------------------|
| 1. | PCC | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| | President | | | | |
| 2. | PCC VP | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| | ADM | | | | |
| 3. | PCC VP Fn | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 4. | PCC Educ | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 5. | Donavan | Ross | Ex-Officio | M | DC/MD |
| 6. | Carla | Thrower | Ex-Officio | F | DC/MD |
| 7. | Don | Short | Ex-Officio | M | VA Valley |
| 8. | Valerie | Swan | Lay | F | DC/MD |
| 9. | Richard | Samuel | Lay | M | DC/MD |
| 10. | Wendy | Pega | Lay | F | DC/MD |
| 11. | Wendy | Aceituno Prado | Lay | F | Metro/DC Hispanic |
| 12. | Janice | Henderson | Lay | F | NOVA |
| 13. | Avelyn | Young | Lay | F | NOVA |
| 14. | Stan | Nickens | Lay | M | VA Capital |
| 15. | Seth | Savoy | Lay | M | VA Capital |
| 16. | Susan | Timmons | Lay | F | VA Southwest |
| 17. | Claudius | Rodgers | Lay | M | VA Tidewater |
| 18. | Ryan | Brossfield | Lay | M | VA Valley |
| 19. | Paul | Griffin | Lay | M | VA Valley |
| 20. | Donna | Mashburn | Lay | F | VA Valley |
| 21. | Linda | Royer | Lay | F | VA Valley |
| 22. | Paolo | Esposito | Pastor | M | NOVA |
| 23. | Dwight | Morgan | PreK-12 | M | NOVA |
| 24. | Davin | Hammond | PreK-12 | F | VA Valley |
| 25. | Kelly | Hartnett | PreK-12 Representative | F | VA NOVA |
| 26. | Billy | Wright | PreK-12-Small School | F | VA NOVA |
| 27. | Melody | Snider | PreK-12-Small School | F | VA Valley |

Non-Voting

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| Janet | Armstrong | | F | VA Capital |
| Gabriel | Madrid | | M | DC/MD |

Alternates:

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| Di-Ann | Earlington | Lay | F | DC/MD |
| Ron | DeClerck | Lay | M | DC/MD |
| Randy | Davis | Emp-Pastor | M | NOVA |

Recommendations for Shenandoah Valley Academy School Board (Subject to Vetting and Availability)

26 Members:

Specifics:
 8 Ex-Officio
 18 (majority Lay,
 no more than 3:
 w/children in
 school or from one
 region

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|----|----------------|-----------|------------|---|-------------------|
| 1 | PCC President | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 2 | PCC VP Admin | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 3 | PCC VP Finance | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 4 | PCC VP Educ | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 5 | Shane | Anderson | Ex-Officio | M | VA-Valley |
| 6 | Jacqueline | Messenger | Ex-Officio | M | DC/MD |
| 7 | Kelli | Hanon | Ex-Officio | F | VA-Valley |
| 8 | Don | Short | Ex-Officio | M | VA-Valley |
| 9 | Rafael | Soto | Employee | M | VA-Capital |
| 10 | Daniel | Royo | Employee | M | DC/MD |
| 11 | Geraldo | Alonso | Employee | M | VA-South Central |
| 12 | David | Reile | Lay | M | DC/MD |
| 13 | Helen | Wilson | Lay | F | DC/MD |
| 14 | Louise | Phanstiel | Lay | F | Non-Member |
| 15 | David | Forbes | Lay | M | VA-Capital |
| 16 | Don | Feltman | Lay | M | NOVA |
| 17 | Janine | Hudson | Lay | F | NOVA |
| 18 | Shernett | Dalhouse | Lay | F | NOVA |
| 19 | Chris | Roark | Lay | F | VA-South Central |
| 20 | Lynda | French | Lay | F | VA-Tidewater |
| 21 | Robert | Belleza | Lay | M | VA-Tidewater |
| 22 | Richard | Hevener | Lay | M | VA-Valley |
| 23 | Gary | Patterson | Lay | M | VA-Valley |
| 24 | Duane | White | Lay | M | VA-Valley |
| 25 | Robert | McLennan | Lay | | VA-Southwest |
| 26 | Vacancy | | Lay | | Metro DC Hispanic |

Non-Voting

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| Alternates: | Jerson | Malaguit | Emp | DC/MD |
| | Natalie | Roberts | Emp | DC/MD |

Recommendations for Takoma Academy School Board (Subject to Vetting and Availability)

30 Members:

Specifics:

11 Ex-Officio
 19 (majority Lay, no more than 3: w/children in school, or from one community)

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|-----|---------------|------------|-----------------------|---|-------------------------|
| 1. | Vacant | | Ex-Officio | F | Alumni President-Vacant |
| 2. | PCC President | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 3. | PCC VP ADM | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 4. | PCC VP Fin | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 5. | PCC VP Educ | | Ex-Officio | M | |
| 6. | Carla | Thrower | Ex-Officio | F | Sligo |
| 7. | Weymouth | Spence | Ex-Officio | M | Sligo |
| 8. | Donavan | Ross | Ex-Officio | M | Sligo |
| 9. | Avalyn | Young | Ex-Officio | F | CPC? |
| 10. | Keith | Beckett | Ex-Officio-TA-Faculty | M | RPC |
| 11. | Shemika | Campbell | Ex-Officio-TA-Faculty | M | Non Member |
| 12. | Ebony | Holland | Emp-Educator | F | Takoma Park |
| 13. | Jami | Walker | Emp-Educator | F | Olney |
| 14. | Therezinha | Barbalho | Emp-Pastor | M | Silver Spring |
| 15. | Pedro | Huaringa | Emp-Pastor | F | Annandale Spanish |
| 16. | Hazel | Marroquin | Emp-Pastor | M | Sligo |
| 17. | Kelvin | Mitchell | Emp-Pastor | M | RPC |
| 18. | Gerald | Christo | Emp-Pastor | M | SASDAC |
| 19. | Mario | Pinto | Lay | F | Langley Park Spanish |
| 20. | Vacancy | | Lay | F | |
| 21. | Rodney | Cartwright | Lay | M | Takoma Park |
| 22. | Helen | Wilson | Lay | F | SASDAC |
| 23. | Angie | David | Lay | M | Burnt Mills |
| 24. | Gwen | Dozier | Lay | F | CPC |
| 25. | Joanna | Foronda | Lay | F | Washington Bilingual |
| 26. | Yesika | Rodriguez | Lay | M | Silver Spring Spanish |
| 27. | Jeanine | Jarrett | Lay | F | Seabrook |
| 28. | Trenise | Gulley | Lay | F | Sligo |
| 29. | Joyce | Martin | Lay | F | Sligo |
| 30. | Sanjay | Thomas | Lay | M | Takoma Park |

Non-Voting

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| Vacancy | | TA Faculty | M | |
| Rashawna | Young | TA Faculty | F | |

Alternates:

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| Solomon | Isaac | Lay | M | DC/MD |
| Steward | Bell | Lay | M | DC/MD |
| Laverne | Hayes | Lay | M | DC/MD |
| Jennifer | Northrup | Emp | F | DC/MD |
| Connie | Wuerstlin | Emp | F | DC/MD |
| Domitila | Rosette | Lay | M | DC Metro Hisp |



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