



**Founder Region  
Soroptimist International of the Americas**

Date: September 2023

To: All Club Presidents

From: Dyann O'Brien, 2023-2025 Nominating Committee Chair

**Act on this immediately.**

**Deadline: email on or before December 1, 2023**

At our annual region conference in May, 2024 we will elect the following officers for the 2024-2026 biennium: Governor-elect, Secretary, Treasurer, and District Directors from each of the five districts AND Fellowship President, Treasurer, Directors from each of the five districts. They will serve from July 1, 2024 thru June 30, 2026.

**In submitting the club's nominations, keep in mind the following suggestions:**

- Please use the enclosed form.
- You may submit more than one name for consideration for each office.
- You may submit the name of a member for more than one office. (The individual nominated will indicate the office for which they wish to be a candidate.)
- The consent of the nominee is not required at the time of the nomination.
- Please keep in mind that the proposed candidate for the District Director and Fellowship Director must be from a club in the District in which they are a member.
- Members of the Nominating Committee may be suggested as nominees.
- The term of office is two years (7/1/2024-6/30/2026) or until their successor is elected.

**To be eligible for office:**

- ✓ Only regular members in good standing are eligible.
- ✓ Must have served a term as club President.
- ✓ Governor-elect must have served on the Founder Region Board within six (6) years prior to the term for which being nominated.
- ✓ Fellowship President must either be a past Founder Region Governor OR have served on the Fellowship Board within six (6) years prior to the term for which being nominated.
- ✓ District Director and Fellowship Director shall be a member of a club in that district.
- ✓ Must not hold any other elected Soroptimist office during the coming term.

Please remember that the consent of the nominee is not necessary. Obtaining consent is the responsibility of the Nominating Committee. Please use the attached form and send it to your CURRENT District representative.

**This letter should be read at a club meeting so that all members have the privilege of nominating candidates for region offices.**

Email nominations to:	District I:	Bonnie Mertz	<a href="mailto:bonniemertz5844@gmail.com">bonniemertz5844@gmail.com</a>
	District II:	Clara Oakes	<a href="mailto:oakes.clara@gmail.com">oakes.clara@gmail.com</a>
	District III:	Madalienne Peters	<a href="mailto:madaliennepeters@gmail.com">madaliennepeters@gmail.com</a>
	District IV:	Vicki Dillard	<a href="mailto:vldillard@gmail.com">vldillard@gmail.com</a>
	District V:	Angie Haramoto	<a href="mailto:angehara64@gmail.com">angehara64@gmail.com</a>

**For questions, contact Chair Dyann at [dyann@reninet.com](mailto:dyann@reninet.com)**

# CLUB NOMINATING FORM



**DEADLINE DATE: Emailed or Postmarked by December 1, 2023**

Email to: Applicable District Nominating Committee Member  
PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE on BOTH pages and sign at the bottom of page two.

Soroptimist International of \_\_\_\_\_  
submits the following names for consideration by the Founder Region Nominating Committee as candidates for the following offices:

## FOUNDER REGION BOARD

### GOVERNOR-ELECT

Name of Member:	Name of Member:
Member of SI/	Member of SI/
Mailing Address:	Mailing Address:
Phone:	Phone:
Email:	Email:

### SECRETARY

Name of Member:	Name of Member:
Member of SI/	Member of SI/
Mailing Address:	Mailing Address:
Phone:	Phone:
Email:	Email:

### TREASURER

Name of Member:	Name of Member:
Member of SI/	Member of SI/
Mailing Address:	Mailing Address:
Phone:	Phone:
Email:	Email:

### DISTRICT DIRECTOR - Submit candidates for your district only.

Name of Member:	Name of Member:
Member of SI/	Member of SI/
Mailing Address:	Mailing Address:
Phone:	Phone:
Email:	Email:

# FOUNDER REGION FELLOWSHIP BOARD



## FELLOWSHIP PRESIDENT

Name of Member:	Name of Member:
Member of SI/	Member of SI/
Mailing Address:	Mailing Address:
Phone:	Phone:
Email:	Email:

## FELLOWSHIP TREASURER

Name of Member:	Name of Member:
Member of SI/	Member of SI/
Mailing Address:	Mailing Address:
Phone:	Phone:
Email:	Email:

## FELLOWSHIP DIRECTOR - Submit candidates for your district only.

Name of Member:	Name of Member:
Member of SI/	Member of SI/
Mailing Address:	Mailing Address:
Phone:	Phone:
Email:	Email:

**Club Officer** \_\_\_\_\_ **Title** \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNED** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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District III:	Madalienne Peters	<a href="mailto:madaliennepeters@gmail.com">madaliennepeters@gmail.com</a>
District IV:	Vicki Dillard	<a href="mailto:vldillard@gmail.com">vldillard@gmail.com</a>
District V:	Angie Haramoto	<a href="mailto:angehara64@gmail.com">angehara64@gmail.com</a>