



Oklahoma Municipal Assurance Group

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TO: Members of the Oklahoma Municipal Assurance Group

FROM: Patrick Parsons, Chief Executive Officer

DATE: April 10, 2013

SUBJECT: Election of Two Trustees



Herein is the **OFFICIAL BALLOT** for the governing body of your municipality to use in electing two (2) members to the Board of Trustees of the Oklahoma Municipal Assurance Group for three-year terms commencing July 1, 2013.

Trustees whose terms expire on June 30, 2013 are:

Mr. Michael Bailey, Administrative Director/CFO of Bartlesville
Mr. John Sheppard, City Manager/Treasurer of Walters

Trustees whose terms expire on June 30, 2014 are:

Mr. Earl Burson, City Manager of Harrah
Ms. Janice Cain, City Administrator of Marlow
Ms. Pam Polk, City Manager of Collinsville

Trustees whose terms expire on June 30, 2015 are:

Ms. Patti Shelite, Clerk-Treasurer of Fort Cobb
Mr. Craig Stephenson, City Manager of Ponca City

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE FAILURE TO PROPERLY SUBMIT THIS BALLOT WILL INVALIDATE THE BALLOT!

Your Ballot must be:

- (1) Signed by the Mayor;**
- (2) Attested by the City Clerk; and**
- (3) Returned to OMAG no later than May 31, 2013 by: (1) sending a facsimile of the ballot to OMAG at (405) 657-1401; (2) sending the ballot to Karen Jones at kjones@omag.org; or (3) sending OMAG the ballot by certified mail.**

BALLOT

OKLAHOMA MUNICIPAL ASSURANCE GROUP 2013 Election of Two Trustees

The biographical sketch for each nominee was written by the person(s) who made the nomination. Nominees are listed in alphabetical order. YOU MAY VOTE FOR TWO (2) NOMINEES.

MICHAEL BAILEY, Administrative Director/CFO, City of Bartlesville. Michael is a licensed CPA and the Administrative Director/CFO for the City of Bartlesville. Including his time as an auditor, he has served municipalities for over 10 years. He currently serves as the OMAG Chairman and has been on the Board since 2007. Michael serves on many other State boards. **(The City of Bartlesville participates in the Municipal Liability Protection Plan and the Municipal Property Protection Plan.)**

MIKE BROWN, Mayor, City of Weatherford. Mike Brown was elected Mayor of the City of Weatherford beginning January 2004. Prior to becoming Mayor, Mike served as City Commissioner for 3 terms beginning in 1996. Mike was named Mayor of the Year for cities over 5000 in 2010. He is a Certified Municipal Official and Certified Mayor. **(The City of Weatherford participates in the Municipal Liability Protection Plan, the Municipal Property Protection Plan, and the Municipal Workers' Compensation Plan.)**

MARY ANN KARNS, City Attorney, City of Shawnee. Former OMAG Trustee; over 30 years municipal experience representing both current and former OMAG-insured cities (Edmond, Stillwater, Blackwell, and others); Former President OAMA; member, Hall of Fame; presenter, OML seminars; officer, International Municipal Lawyer Association; graduate with distinction OCU Law; Chair, Edmond Economic Development Authority; Don Rider Award recipient. **(The City of Shawnee participates in the Municipal Liability Protection Plan and the Municipal Property Protection Plan.)**

ROCKY D. ROGERS, City Manager, City of Sand Springs. Rocky Rogers, City Manager of Sand Springs, has 22 years combined military service. His career in local government began in 1986 and in city management in 1999. Rocky received his bachelor's degree from NSU at Tahlequah and his MBA from the University of LaVerne in LaVerne, California. **(The City of Sand Springs participates in the Municipal Liability Protection Plan, the Municipal Property Protection Plan, and the Municipal Workers' Compensation Plan.)**

JOHN SHEPPARD, City Manager/Treasurer, City of Walters. City Manager/Treasurer at Walters (10 years), 25 years with RECs, ERCOT, Texoma Peanut Co., Board Member – American Red Cross, active in his church, Rotary Club, Walters Chamber of Commerce, OSU Alumni, and currently serves as Vice Chairman OMAG. **(The City of Walters participates in the Municipal Liability Protection Plan, the Municipal Property Protection Plan, and the Municipal Workers' Compensation Plan.)**

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____ **GAYLORD "Z" THOMAS, City Councilman, City of Guthrie.** "Z" Thomas has served on Guthrie's City Council the last 4 years representing Ward 3. He retired from the USAF as a Lieutenant Colonel and currently serves as the Executive Director for the Oklahoma State Board of Examiners for Long Term Care Administrators with legislative and rule-making process experience. **(The City of Guthrie participates in the Municipal Liability Protection Plan, the Municipal Property Protection Plan, and the Municipal Workers' Compensation Plan.)**

____ **MARK WHINNERY, City Manager, City of Drumright.** Mark Whinnery became the City Manager in Drumright, Oklahoma in October 2012 after serving 25 years in the Air Force where he retired as a Colonel. His last military assignment was the Mission Support Group Commander at Scott Air Force Base, Illinois. Mark has a Master's Degree in Human Resources. **(The City of Drumright participates in the Municipal Liability Protection Plan, the Municipal Property Protection Plan, and the Municipal Workers' Compensation Plan.)**

Ballot cast for the governing body of the municipality of _____

Signed: _____
Mayor

Attested: _____ Date: _____, 2013
Clerk

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