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## Michigan Reading Association

A Michigan Non-Profit Corporation

Dear Michigan Reading Association Members,

You can help shape the future of Michigan Reading Association (MRA) through the nomination process. You are invited to submit names of qualified members (See nomination petition for qualifications), including yourself, to actively participate in the Michigan Reading Association Board of Directors. We are seeking enthusiastic nominations for the following positions:

- Vice President (Four Year Term: 2016-2020)
  - First Year (2016-2017) - Vice President
  - Second Year (2017-2018) - President Elect
  - Third Year (2018-2019) - President
  - Fourth Year (2019-2020) - Immediate Past President (non-voting)
- Member-at-Large (Three Year Term: 2016-2019)
- Region 1 Representative (Completion of Three Year Term: 2016-2017)
- Region 3 Representative (Three Year Term: 2016-2019)
- Region 6 Representative (Three Year Term: 2016-2019)
- Region 8 Representative (Three Year Term: 2016-2019)
- Region 9 Representative (Completion of Three Year Term: 2016-2018)
- Region 10 Representative (Three Year Term: 2016-2019)

To nominate, complete and return the nomination petition and consent form to:

Michigan Reading Association  
Dee Halstead, Elections Committee Chair  
jhughey@michiganreading.org  
668 Three Mile Road NW  
Grand Rapids, MI 49544-8219  
Telephone: (616) 647-9310 \* Fax (616) 647-9378

*To view more information on positions and responsibilities, please visit [michiganreading.org](http://michiganreading.org)*

# Official MRA Nomination Petition – 2016

I hereby nominate: (please print or type)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Nominee

\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City

\_\_\_\_\_  
State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_  
Home or Cell Telephone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Work Telephone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address

For the office of: \_\_\_\_\_ (Indicate one)

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_ MRA membership # \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

## Nominee Consent

I hereby agree to be a candidate for the MRA position of \_\_\_\_\_ for the term of the office specified and state that the information on this form is accurate. I will represent MRA in a positive and professional manner. I am and will continue to be a current member of a local council, MRA, and IRA. I will supply a bio and photo if chosen for the election slate.

As of this date, I am a member of:

International Reading Association (IRA) Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Michigan Reading Association (MRA) Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The \_\_\_\_\_ Reading Council (Local or Special Interest)

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## This form MUST be received by December 11, 2015

*The Michigan Reading Association shall comply with all federal laws and regulations prohibiting discrimination and with requirements and regulations of the State of Michigan. It is the policy of the Michigan Reading Association that no candidate or applicant for a position or office in this organization shall, on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, creed, ancestry, age, sex, marital status, or disability, be discriminated against, excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of or otherwise be subjected to discrimination in any program or activity for which the Michigan Reading Association is responsible. The President of the Michigan Reading Association shall ensure that*

### Position Overview

The Vice President position is a four year board commitment that progresses from Vice President, to President Elect, to President, to Immediate Past President.

*Federal and State regulations are complied with and that any complaints are dealt with promptly in accordance with law.*