

DATE: August 18, 2016
TO: All South Tahoe Association of REALTORS® Members
FROM: ELECTION COMMITTEE; Carl Fair, Larry Finkel & Dan Spano
RE: Nomination recommendations requested for election of 2017 Board of Directors

The Election Committee has set **Monday, October 31, 2016** as the date for the **2017 Election**. In an effort to foster South Tahoe Association of REALTORS® member involvement in the decision making process, the Election Committee requests your input concerning the selection of nominees. In accordance with our Bylaws: *"The Election Committee shall circulate a notice to all members that they may request nomination at least two weeks prior to the committee's selection of nominees."*

"The Nominating Committee shall select at least one candidate for each office, except President, and at least one candidate for each place to be filled on the Board of Directors."

The Board of Directors is comprised *"of four (4) officers and nine (9) directors. The ninth (9th) director shall be the most immediate past President. ... No more than three officers and/or directors may be elected from one firm. ... In the event that an elected director or officer changes firms after an election and in so doing, increases that firm's director/officer count to more than three (3), it is hereby established that each officer/director will be allowed to complete his/her term."*

The Nominating Committee will prepare the following slate of officers and directors:

2017 OFFICERS & DIRECTORS

President: MICHELLE BLUE-BENEDICT, PINNACLE REAL ESTATE GROUP OF LAKE TAHOE

President Elect: _____

Vice President: _____

Secretary/Treasurer: _____

Immediate Past-President, Director, 1 Year: ELLEN CAMACHO, DEB HOWARD & CO

Director, 1 Year: JILL MOFFETT, SIERRA SOTHEBY'S INTERNATIONAL REALTY

Director, 2 Years: JANA NELSON, SIERRA SOTHEBY'S INTERNATIONAL REALTY

Director, 1 Year: JESSI SEIFERT, C21 AT TAHOE PARADISE

Director, 1 Year: DAN SPANO, PARADISE REAL ESTATE

Director, 1 Year: RON "FLIP" WALKER, PINNACLE REAL ESTATE GROUP OF LAKE TAHOE

Director, 2 Years: CRAIG WOODWARD, DEB HOWARD & CO

Director, 1 Years: JESSE YOHNKA, RE/MAX REALTY TODAY

Director, 3 Years: _____

Please note that you do not need to obtain permission from the individual that you would recommend in order to place them on this list. It will be the task of the Nominating Committee to determine if the individuals meet the requirements for office, as determined by our bylaws, and to obtain permission from potential candidates before placing them on the ballot.

All recommendations received in writing will be submitted to the Nominating Committee for review. The ***deadline to submit recommendations to the STAR Office is 5:00 pm, Friday, September 2nd***. You may scan & email recommendations to staor@staor.org, fax them to 530.541.7011, mail them to 2307 James Ave., South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150, or drop them off at our office. Please feel free to contact the Association Office at 530.541.7007 if you have any questions.

We appreciate your input and your assistance as we set about the task of nominating individuals that will form the slate for the 2017 Election.