

Elections of At-Large Trustees

Policy Statement

It is the policy of the Mountaineers to seek qualified and skilled candidates for the at large board of trustee positions.

Application

1. At Large trustees shall be nominated and elected as described in Article VI of the bylaws, "Nomination and Election of Board of Trustees."
2. Elections shall be conducted as described in Article V, Section 6 of the bylaws, "Voting."
 - Members shall receive ballots or notice of electronic balloting within 15 days after the annual meeting.
 - Ballots and electronic transmissions must be received before the close of business on the Wednesday following the third Tuesday in October. Ballots and electronic transmissions received after that time will not be counted.
 - Ballots and electronic transmissions shall be counted within two days after the close of voting.
 - Voting procedures shall assure that voter identity is secret when the ballots are counted.
3. When more than three positions are open during an annual election, the candidate finishing fourth will serve the longest unexpired two-year or one-year vacant term. If there are additional vacancies, the candidate finishing fifth will serve the next-longest unexpired vacant term, and so forth, until all vacancies are filled.

Responsibility

The secretary, with the support of club staff, is responsible for establishing procedures for accurately counting the ballots and assuring that these procedures are followed. The secretary is also responsible for preparing a written report to the president that tabulates the election results and for communicating the results to the membership.