

THE MOUNTAINEERS BOARD ELECTIONS BALLOT 2023



This paper ballot is for the convenience of those Mountaineers members who did not receive an email notice to vote electronically. This year members will vote to elect five at-large positions on The Mountaineers Board of Directors. Five candidates – **Dave Foong, Maya Magarati, Mark Walters, Vanessa Wheeler, and Robert White** – are nominated by The Mountaineers Governance Committee and endorsed unanimously by our Board of Directors.

This year's candidates were selected by the Governance Committee from members who submitted a detailed self-nomination form. This rigorous, open nominations process, new in 2021, was designed to deepen the diversity of perspectives and lived experiences represented on our Board. We are confident this excellent slate of candidates will help inform better policies and to strengthen relationships between board members, Mountaineers members, and the wider outdoor community.

To cast a valid vote, place a check mark in each box beside the candidate name you wish to vote for (up to five candidates). For your vote to count you must include your name, signature, date, and email address below (for the purpose of membership verification).

VOTE:

You may cast up to five votes for the five open positions. You may vote for any candidate by checking the box next to their name.

Candidates nominated by The Governance Committee and endorsed unanimously by our Board of Directors:

- ☐ Dave Foong
- ☐ Maya Magarati
- ☐ Mark Walters
- ☐ Vanessa Wheeler
- ☐ Robert White



PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Print Name _____ Signature _____

Date _____ Email Address _____

By signing I certify that I am current in my membership dues, have not yet voted in this election, and am 14 years of age or older.

MAIL TO: The Mountaineers – BOARD ELECTION
7700 Sand Point Way NE
Seattle, WA 98115

ALL BALLOTS MUST BE POSTMARKED OR BE HANDED IN-PERSON BY CLOSE OF BUSINESS FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22 IN ORDER TO BE VALID. All active Mountaineers members of age 14 and older are eligible to vote. Each eligible member may vote only once - duplicate votes will not be counted. Results will be announced on October 1, 2023 via a blog post.