



## **REPORT OF ASMAC NOMINATING COMMITTEE**

**From:** Deborah J. Winegard, Immediate Past President, Chair, Nominating Committee

**To:** ASMAC Members

**Re:** Nominations for 2026 Board of Directors

**Date:** May 7, 2025

Pursuant to §9.1 of ASMAC's Bylaws, the Chair of the Nominating Committee is the Immediate Past President, if that individual is available and willing to serve. By tradition, which was followed in 2025, the Nominating Committee is comprised of all Past Presidents who are available and interested in serving. For the most part, these individuals remain active in ASMAC as members and, in many cases, as sponsors, and they continue to attend ASMAC events.

Pursuant to §9.2(A) of the Bylaws, officers, if available and willing to serve, are to be automatically nominated for the next officer position. The amendments to the Bylaws, which were approved in June of 2024, consolidated the positions of Secretary and Treasurer and added up to three At-Large Board of Director positions.

This year, for the first time, we sent out a call for nominations, asking members to nominate themselves or other ASMAC members for open Board of Director positions. All of the nominated members were highly qualified and would have served ASMAC well.

The Nominating Committee met on March 20, 2025. In evaluating the potential candidates for nomination, the Committee considered their involvement in ASMAC committees and their attendance at ASMAC events. In addition, the Committee aimed to maintain a balance of medical society counsel and attorneys in private practice on the Board.

As a result, the Nominating Committee presents to the membership the following slate of candidates for ASMAC's 2026 Officers and Board of Directors to be elected at the June 9, 2025, Business Meeting:

Immediate Past President:	Kai Sternstein
President:	Mark Bonanno
President-Elect:	Tom Hoffman
Secretary/Treasurer:	Lauren Bailey
At Large Director:	Jeff Howell (one year on term remaining)
At Large Director:	Richard Levenstein (two-year term)
At Large Director:	Bob Best (two-year term)

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