

Capital News

NATIONAL CAPITAL CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN PLANNING ASSOCIATION

President's Message

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The Chapter Board is pleased to advance a slate of candidates for the 2008 – 2010 NCAC Board. It's been gratifying to have so much interest and enthusiasm from our members about getting involved with chapter activities. There are three new officer positions on the ballot this year – President-elect, Professional Development Officer-elect, and Vice-President for Diversity and Community Outreach. I'd encourage all our chapter members to vote, and this year we are offering the option to vote electronically or by mail. Your ballot also has a few questions that give you the opportunity to let us know what activities you'd find most beneficial as a chapter member. And, please make sure you exercise your right to vote in the upcoming national, state and local elections!

The last month has been a roller-coaster ride, and now, more than ever, our skills as planners will be needed to work with our communities to come up with creative, effective solutions to meet pressing housing, transportation, energy and environmental issues. I had the opportunity to attend a number of different events on sustainability last month, and was inspired by how many great ideas and examples are out there internationally, nationally and locally that we can learn from. We also held a joint film event with the local AIA and ASLA chapters, and it was a great opportunity to get better acquainted with our colleagues here in the region.

Regards,

Julia Koster

List of Candidates for the 2008 Board

President	Julia Koster, AICP
President-elect	Renee Miller, AICP
PDO	Shannon Yadsko, AICP
PDO-elect	Robyn Eason, AICP
Secretary	Arlova Jackson
Treasurer	Carol Truppi
Vice-President, Communications	Alan Hachey, AICP
Vice President, Diversity and Community Outreach	Bill Washburn

Director At-Large Candidates

Malaika Abernathy	Harold Foster
Erwin Andres	Daniel Goodman
Anna Bentley	Robert Mandle
Laine Cidlowski	

Instructions for Voting

This year we are offering two ways to vote: by mail, or electronically. As always, we rely on you to abide by the Planning Code of Ethics in your voting practices.

By mail: A paper ballot is included with this election newsletter. Please fill out the ballot and mail to NCAC APA, P.O. Box 508, Washington, DC 20044-0508.

Electronically: You should receive an e-mail with a link to a SurveyMonkey site with balloting information. If you have received the newsletter but not an email, you may want to check to make sure that APA National (www.planning.org) has your up-to-date contact information, as our chapter relies on their address lists.

More information about the three new Board positions is available on the Chapter website at <http://www.ncac-apa.org/index.php>. All ballots should be mailed by December 1, 2008. If you have any questions about voting, please contact Katie Mencarini, at Katherine.Mencarini@gmail.com.

Julia Koster, AICP

Candidate for Chapter President

My name is Julia Koster, and I am running for the position of President of the National Capital Area chapter. As president, my initial focus will be ensuring that our members can strengthen their planning skills and credentials through more AICP training events, providing lectures and presentations eligible for continuing education credits, and keeping the chapter better informed about events. Across our region, planners are doing creative, cutting-edge work. I want to develop more opportunities to bring together our chapter members to meet, learn from each other, and have fun! We have terrific opportunities to partner with many other groups – other professional organizations, academics, non-profits and communities. And, I want to build our chapter's commitment to diversity, particularly through outreach to schools and universities.

The national news is our local news, and the next two years look to be exciting and challenging. I want to see our planning community be leaders in shaping conversations about transportation and housing choices, in creating sustainable, livable and inclusive communities, and finding innovative ways to address climate change, infrastructure, and regional cooperation.

I have previously served as the chapter's professional development officer and became acting President last spring. I currently work for the National Capital Planning Commission, and before that worked in Maryland for the Governor's Office of Smart Growth. I live and work in Washington, DC, and my husband and I are avid cyclists, kayakers, and movie aficionados.

Renée M. Miller, AICP

Candidate for Chapter President-elect

Ms. Miller is currently a senior planner at the Maryland-National Capital Planning Commission, in Montgomery County. She joined MNCPPC in 2007, from Florida where she was employed as a consultant with Miller



Legg and Associates, Inc. While in Florida, Ms. Miller was involved with the Florida American Planning Association, between 2001 and 2007. Her last elected office was Secretary of Florida/APA in 2007. Her Executive Board member experience included membership and outreach programs, student advisor and editor of the monthly newsletter. As representative of her local section, she voiced concerns to FAPA and was involved with policy statements regarding Florida growth management, hometown democ-

racy and professional development. She also was keynote speaker at Florida Atlantic University Department of Urban and Regional Planning's career day, where she spoke about the benefits of professional organizations and student programs.

She is choosing to run for President partly because to enhance and provide collaboration between the adjacent Chapters, government agencies, to provide additional professional development to all planners, regardless of AICP status and AICP training for those desiring to become certified, but also to provide mentoring opportunities for graduate and undergraduate students entering into their careers.

Shannon Yadsko

Vice President for Professional Development

Hi, my name is Shannon Yadsko and I'd like to be NCAC's next Vice President for Professional Development. I am currently a planner at PB Placemaking in Washington DC, and I have previously held planning positions at HNTB and Virginia Railway Express. I am also a recently-inducted AICP member, and I am beginning to navigate the world of Certificate Maintenance. I am running for the Vice President of Professional Development position because I would like to help other NCAC members reach their professional development goals.

As a chapter, we should encourage all eligible members to apply for AICP certification and help them to prepare for the exam. Having recently gone through the AICP process, I know there is much to be done to improve how we help prepare chapter members for AICP membership. As Vice President for Professional Development, I will organize study groups through the chapter, make study guides more readily available to applicants, and team with Maryland and Virginia APA chapters to plan an AICP preparation course for our members. I will also update the chapter's study materials to align with the new AICP exam criteria and include information on current events and their relevance to the planning profession.

As Vice President for Professional Development, I will also improve the opportunities for current AICP members to meet Certificate Maintenance requirements. I will consolidate resources to create a monthly calendar for CM events in the DC region, and work with the organizers of these events to make sure that NCAC members know about them.

In addition to improving AICP and CM information and offerings, I will make Professional Development a focus of NCAC's events. I will organize professional development workshops that encourage networking and AICP symposiums to discuss current issues in the field of planning. I will bring energy and enthusiasm to the position of Vice President for Professional Development, and I look forward to working with you.

**Robyn L. Eason, AICP, Vice President for
Professional Development Officer-elect**

Please accept this letter as my formal expression of interest in the Professional Development Officer-elect position for the National Capital Area Chapter of the American Planning Association. Throughout my time as an urban planning professional, I have been very active in numerous extracurricular professional events within the American Planning Association, the Urban Land Institute, and at the National Building Museum. These various programs have provided me with ample knowledge of current issues, innovative strategies, and traditional planning principles. In addition to continuing education, such venues provide a great way to network with other industry professionals from a variety of backgrounds.

Working for a private urban economics and development advisory services firm for the past four years, I have developed a solid foundation in topics of market research, economic development planning, transit-oriented development, housing, and implementation at several scales (individual sites, neighborhoods, corridors, and cities). Given the multifaceted nature of my projects, I have participated in several integrated planning efforts through a team of professionals (transportation and parking planners, civil and environmental engineers, architects and landscape designers) to holistically assess the potential to transform emerging geographic areas into thriving communities. In many ways, my role in such projects translated into helping both communities and the public sector understand the dynamics of real estate, how the private sector could contribute to achieving their vision for a better tomorrow, and, most importantly, what public and social investments needed to occur first before the private sector could work in tandem for the greater good. My participation in various professional development events has fostered strong knowledge base in such a diverse field.

I am interested in the Professional Development Officer-elect position for several reasons. In an industry that is ever-changing, professional development is key to keeping abreast the latest trends and cutting-edge solutions that make our communities better. My consistent participation in various professional events has allowed me to become very familiar with industry insiders in the public and private realm. I would like to use these connections to bring about quality programming that encourages good discussion from the confluence of experienced professionals. With only four years in the industry, I would hope to use my youth as an asset and bring untraditional methods of outreach and participation to NCAC. Having just taken and passing the AICP exam, I am conscious to the types of materials and methods helpful to achieving this milestone and want to make sure NCAC members have the similar resources to ensure their success. Lastly, in my personal and professional life, I like to be very aware of the needs of my

environment. As Professional Development Officer-elect, I would want to make certain I understand some of the pressing issues, resources, tools, and events that members would find useful to their continuing education and development needs.

Arlova Y. Jackson

Candidate for Chapter Secretary

Arlova Y. Jackson is a Development Review Specialist in the District of Columbia Office of Planning - Development Review Division. Ms. Jackson, a native of Chicago, IL, moved to the District in March 2008. Prior to joining the Office of Planning, Arlova worked as a Zoning Planner and Zoning Administrator for the City of Evanston, Illinois. Arlova has been a member of the American Institute of Certified Planners since 2002 and a member of the American Planning Association since 1994. Arlova received her undergraduate degree from the University of Virginia and completed her Master of Urban and Regional Planning at the University of Michigan.

Greetings National Capital Area Chapter Members!
My name is Arlova Y. Jackson and I would like to be considered for the Secretary position of the National Capital Area Chapter of the American Planning Association (APA). I've been a member of APA for nearly 15 years and have been working in the field for 10 years. I'm interested in getting involved with the local chapter, meeting other local professionals, and learning as much as I can about Washington, DC and the local planning landscape. I've served in a similar capacity as Secretary of my investment club for 5 years and familiar with the responsibilities of the position. As a practicing land use and zoning planner, my work requires attention to detail and good verbal and written communication skills, all elements needed to excel as Secretary of the Chapter. I look forward to working with and for you.

Carol Truppi

Candidate for Treasurer

Carol Truppi has served on the National Capital Area Chapter Board since 2002. In the past two years, I have served as the Board's Treasurer. I am running for the Treasurer's position to continue an effort, which began in 2007 to compile and document the Chapter's financial statement in accordance with the request of the American Planning Association (APA). APA engaged new auditors for the year ending September 30, 2007 that requires that the association's financial statements must be consolidated with all component groups—AICP, divisions and chapters.

Ms. Truppi, AICP, LEED AP brings over 25 years of professional experience in urban and regional planning, urban design and landscape architecture. Working with The PlaceMaking Group of Parsons Brinckerhoff, Ms. Truppi is engaged in urban design and planning projects for private and public sector clients.

Alan S. Hachey, AICP

Candidate for

Vice President, Communications

Greetings chapter members, my name is Alan Hachey and I am running for the position of Vice President for Communications. I am a transportation planner with approximately ten years experience in the planning field. I have worked in both the public and private sector, starting with my career at a regional transit district and Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) in New England. I currently work for a architectural-engineering consulting firm in Alexandria. I reside in Bethesda where I live with my wife and two boys.

In this position I would work to facilitate the most effective communication between chapter members and the Chapter Board. In the past six months, I have been developing and editing the chapter's newsletters, and elements of the Chapter website. I enjoy this type of work, and I would like to continue to contribute to the Chapter by identifying and communicating chapter activities that will benefit your career and the planning field generally.

William Washburn, AICP

Candidate for

Vice President, Diversity and Community Outreach

My name is William Washburn. I am a charter member of APA and a member of AICP. I possess 36 years of professional experience in urban planning and community/economic development, including teaching in professional

planning programs at Howard University and the University of the District of Columbia, working with community-based nonprofit development organizations, and work as a senior-level planner in local government (D.C. Office of Planning and Prince George's County Planning Department).

I share outgoing At-Large Director Harold Foster's strong commitment to ensuring that APA's National Capital Area Chapter, APA itself, and AICP reflect the demographic and professional diversity of the Washington/Maryland region and the nation at-large. I am therefore committed to building on the strong foundation for organizational change and development that he has helped to build within the Chapter during his tenure on the Board.

In line with that commitment, I will work to help the Chapter:

- Collaborate with at least one Historically Black College or University (HBCU) in the Washington/Baltimore region to help establish or reestablish a professional planning program.
- Build on-going networks with community-based planning organizations that can help us bring together the mix of disciplines – architecture, urban design, community economic development, engineering, transportation/ infrastructure planning, and public administration – needed to help resolve this region's multiple and interconnected planning and development problems.
- Develop a Common Program of Planning Principles and Practice that can bring organizations as well as individuals into our Chapter.
- Engage local and regional policymakers in a continual planning policy debate that creates value in – rather than just reaching out to – our communities, especially communities of color in the Washington region's overlooked eastern portion (primarily District of Columbia and Prince George's County).

I look forward to helping the Board and membership of the National Capital Area Chapter retrofit it to effectively serve an urban region that is already largely multicultural and destined to become more so during this century.

Malaika Abernathy

Candidate for Director At-Large

Since 2000, I have worked in the Washington region's most innovative planning organizations, including the District of Columbia's Office of Planning, where I currently serve as the Ward 4 Neighborhood Planner Coordinator. In my day-to-day work activities, I work closely with various community stakeholders on land use planning for emerging neighborhoods in Ward 4.

I've worked on the development of the Upper Georgia Avenue Great Streets Plan, Kennedy Street Revitalization Plan,

and the on-going development of a small area plan for the South Dakota/Riggs Road community. In addition to my work responsibilities, I am also the presiding secretary of the National Capital Area Chapter of APA. I've enjoyed my term with NCAC and have been actively involved in the Chapter's biennial Award's Gala, in which over 100 members celebrated ten of the region's most exciting planning projects.

Prior to working for OP, I worked for the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission in Montgomery County, Maryland for five years as a senior planner for the Community-based planning division. My work at the Commission involved land use planning for areas covering the Agricultural Preserve and parts of Silver Spring and Takoma Park, MD. My educational background includes an undergraduate degree from the Xavier University in Cincinnati, Ohio and a master's degree from the University of Cincinnati in community planning with a specialization in physical and land use planning. In my spare time, I enjoy traveling and spending time with friends and family.

In my role as Secretary, for the NCAC-APA Executive Board, I am quite familiar with the responsibilities of the Director-at-Large position and enthusiastically look forward to serving another term with the Board in this capacity. My personal and professional interests stem from APA's policy directive for creating sustainable communities. There is a valid concern for balancing the earth's resources with the demands of a growing population. I hope to bring information on state-of-the-art planning practices and networking opportunities to the membership that will encourage further dialogue and action in these areas of interest. Additionally, I look to support the Executive Board's newly established position, VP for Diversity and Community Outreach, which was intended to truly embrace and address planning issues that are of concern to communities that have historically not been involved in the planning process.

Erwin N. Andres

Candidate for Director At-Large

Please accept my nomination for an At-Large Member for the Chapter. As an active member of the metropolitan Washington, D.C. transportation planning community, I am interested in serving on the Board to help promote APA and the planning industry as it relates to local and regional planning issues. I am committed to providing the energy, initiative, and dedication to support the Chapter's mission and objectives in the metropolitan D.C. region, as well as nationally. The opportunity to serve on this Board will allow me to give back to the industry that has provided me many professional opportunities for years.

The highlights of my background include the following:

- B.S. in Civil & Environmental Engineering from Rutgers University (May 1994)
- Principal & Vice President of Gorove/Slade Associates, Inc. responsible for managing the Washington, D.C. office of the firm
- Former Principal of Atlantic Traffic & Design Engineers, Inc. responsible for managing the Long Island office of the firm
- Qualified as an expert witness in transportation planning and traffic engineering in Washington, D.C., Maryland, New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania
- Registered as a Professional Engineer in Maryland and New Jersey
- Practiced transportation planning and traffic engineering for over 14 years working on University Master Plans, Federal Agency Master Plans, D.C. Small Area Plans, and other planning projects for private sector, institutional, and municipal clients

Given my background in the transportation planning and traffic engineering industry in both suburban and urban settings, I hope to provide my input to the Board from a unique perspective.

Anna Bentley

Candidate for Director At-Large

I am an Urban Planner currently working for HNTB, an engineering, architecture and planning firm. I have worked in the public sector, for a smart growth advocacy organization, and an association for community development corporations. I hold a Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology and Art History from Washington and Lee University and a Master in City Planning from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

I would like to be considered for a position as an At-Large Board Member with the National Capital Area Chapter of the APA. Involvement on the Board would be an opportunity for me to become more familiar with and directly contribute to the APA's work. I feel my enthusiasm and curiosity may be an asset to the Board.

I am excited to be able to practice where my interests are – my choice to be an urban planner was a deliberate one and I continue to be energized by the challenges of our profession. I have been a resident of the Metropolitan area for most of my life and also have a deep and abiding interest in the District and its neighbors. I have been a member of the APA since enrolling in planning school, but have little experience with how the organization functions within. I would like the opportunity to learn how the APA functions, how our local chapter relates to the national chapter, and how the APA is involved in the Capital region. As an At-Large Board Member, I would have the opportunity to work within the organization to address this curiosity.

Laine Cidlowski

Candidate for Director At-Large

I received my undergraduate degree in Environmental Studies from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill with a Minor in Planning and a focus on Sustainable Infrastructure. I completed my Masters of City Planning from the University of Pennsylvania with a concentration in Urban Design and a Certificate in Urban Design. While in Philadelphia I worked for several small Urban Design and Planning firms and community development corporations. Since coming to the National Capitol region, I have worked as a Planner-Urban Designer for the Prince George's County Planning Department branch of the Maryland National-Capitol Parks and Planning Commission.

My current position is at the Washington DC Office of Planning, working to create a sustainable and user-friendly update to the Zoning Code. I've worked on regional plans from the large scale of most of Southern Europe to small-scale Commercial Façade guidelines. I am certified as a LEED AP and have a personal and professional interest in issues of climate change, regional-scale planning and urban morphology. I am a resident of the Columbia Heights neighborhood of Washington DC and enjoy riding my bike to work near Union Station, though going back up the hill afterwards is less fun. For fun, besides going to community meetings, I like to quilt, garden, and do streetscape drawings.

I aspire to bring a fresh enthusiasm for sustainable urban design to the NCAC-APA Board in the position of Director at Large. As sustainability rises as an issue of national prominence, I hope to incorporate more extensive outreach and educational opportunities for NCAC-APA members. I anticipate working to make NCAC-APA a resource for local members both on issues of legislative and policy planning as well as professional development. NCAC-APA should be an up to date and comprehensive clearinghouse of local and national policy best practices. With a complete listing of relevant policy and legislature from the region, NCAC-APA may be able to better inform their professional body of work. I intend to work to provide the sort of outreach and programming that can inspire our busy professionals to participate in local forums and events. I also hope I can work with the other Board members to raise the profile of the chapter in the collective conscience of its members to improve participation.

Daniel Goodman

Candidate for Director At-Large

As a member of the NCAC-APA Board of Directors, I helped to plan and organize the 2007 Awards Gala and the update of our chapter website at <http://www.ncac-apa.org>. I would like to continue to serve on the Board in 2008-2009.

If given the opportunity, I would like to organize several events in the coming year, including sponsoring a speaker to focus on parking issues in the District of Columbia, organizing a forum on pedestrian safety in Prince George's County, Maryland, and facilitating an educational event focused on the transportation bill that is likely to be passed by the U.S. Congress in 2009.

I would also like to continue to improve the website so that it provides more value to our members, for example by providing more information on the AICP Certificate Maintenance (CM) program. Our website should compile and publicize announcements for local events that are offering CM credits in order to help our members meet their requirements for continuing education.

Harold E. Foster, AAG, AICP

Candidate for Director At-Large

I propose that this Chapter – and APA and AICP generally - should commit long-term to:

1. First and foremost, make this Chapter, APA and, especially AICP, look more like the region that we live and work in.
2. Build on-going networks with community-based planning organizations. We also should fashion permanent professional alliances that can help us bring the mix of disciplines - architecture, urban design, engineering, transportation and public administration – to solve this region's planning problems.
3. Develop a Common Program of Planning Principles and Practice, that can attract and recruit organizations as well as individuals into our Chapter.
4. Engage local and regional policymakers in a continual planning policy debate that creates value in – rather than just reaching out to – our communities. This is particularly urgent "in The East" – that is, eastern DC and Prince George's County – where the purely market-driven redevelopment that has made this region THE country's hottest development market has been almost non-existent.

There is a lot more Work to do, in many other areas. I propose that all Chapter members make their own concerns and interests known to the incoming Executive Board. But, as a beginning, I ask for and would appreciate your support to help us work together on the areas I have touched on here.

Robert H. Mandle

Candidate for Director At-Large

As the Operations Director for the Crystal City Business Improvement District, Rob is responsible for creating and managing physical enhancement and programming projects that create a better sense of place, improve way-finding, and enhance the Crystal City experience. Overseeing a budget of approximately \$800,000, Rob works to develop partnerships with businesses, sponsors, consultants, and vendors in order to achieve the primary mission of the Crystal City BID: to change how people see and perceive Crystal City. Rob earned a graduate degree in Urban and Regional Planning at Virginia Tech University's regional campus in Old Town Alexandria, where he specialized in Physical Planning and Community Design by studying the intricate relationship between the built environment – both public and private – in defining the public realm that includes sidewalks, streets, and public parks.



Rob is also a graduate of Bowdoin College of Brunswick, Maine having earned a degree in Economics and Environmental Studies. Rob strives to be an active citizen by being involved in local civic groups and organizations. Rob sits on the Board of Directors of Arlington-based Synetic Theater and represents the Crystal City Business Improvement District on Arlington's Task Force to End Homelessness and on the committee of Businesses for a Safer Arlington. While residing in Norfolk, Rob helped found and presided on the board of the Downtown Norfolk Civic League, regularly tutored homeless children, and initiated a downtown beautification project that targets neglected downtown areas. Rob is also an active member of the Urban Land Institute and the American Planning Association. Rob is interested in joining the Board of the National Capital Area Chapter of the APA as either an At-Large Member or as the Treasurer.

As a relatively new member of the NCAC, Rob lent assistance to the planning efforts for the 2008 Awards Gala. Although he holds a graduate degree in urban planning, he does not work specifically as a professional planner, but rather applies the principles of planning theory regularly. In this regard, Rob can add an interesting dynamic to the NCAC board as a professional working to promote sound planning principles in a different capacity.

Upcoming Events and Opportunities

Attend a great lecture!

The Urban Studies and Planning Program at the University of Maryland is proud to host Prof. John A. Powell for an Oct. 27 lecture and Oct. 28 seminar. Dr. Powell is Executive Director of the Kirwan Institute for the Study of Race and Ethnicity at Ohio State University. On Monday, Oct. 27 at 8:00 p.m., he'll speak in the Architecture Building auditorium on the topic of "Planning for Opportunity, Equity and Change". Following up on the issues discussed in Monday night's lecture, Professor Powell will host a seminar on Tuesday, October 28th at 10:30 am in the Architecture Building, Conference Room # 1213. A light lunch will follow the seminar.

Spend time with our neighboring chapters!

The NCAC Chapter members are invited to the Maryland-Delaware Regional Conference to be held November 19-21, 2008, in Annapolis, Maryland. The conference theme is Growing Greener – Planning Healthy Communities for a Healthy Planet, and will include great tours and presentations...plus an opportunity to get some CM credits. For more information and registration: <http://www.delawareapa.org/>

A cool volunteer opportunity!

The Prince George's County Planning Department is committed to introducing our youth to the principles and practices of planning. Through various activities and events we hope to engage young people in the study of community, make them more aware of their environment, demonstrate how they can have an active role in decisions, which affect daily living, and introduce them to various disciplines of planning as career fields. To this end, volunteers from the Planning Department, in collaboration with the University of Maryland's Urban Studies and Planning Program, are working with the Prince George's County School System to develop curriculum materials which could be used in the 10th grade social studies classroom. The focus of these materials will be on zoning, environmental and land use planning, smart growth and historic preservation. On November 6, 2008, volunteers from the County's Planning Department, along with Alex Chen from the University of Maryland, will conduct an in-service training session for the county's 10th grade teachers. During this half day session, high school teachers will have a chance to simulate the development review process and to see how decisions are made. We are currently looking to the professional planning community to help in this endeavor. If you would like to help in the development of materials and/or participate in the training, or if you have any additional questions, feel free to contact Yvonne Magee at yvonne.magee@ppd.mncppc.org (301-952-3570) or Alex Chen at achen@umd.edu (301-405-5211).

Candidates for the 2008 NCAC-APA Board

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Malaika Abernathy

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Daniel Goodman

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Other: _____

Feedback Questions

1. What would you like to tell your next Board?

2. Are you interested in volunteering to help with future events? If so, what would you like to work on? Please provide your interests and contact information in the box below.

3. What chapter –sponsored activities would be most valuable to you? (Check top three)

- Training and lectures meeting CM requirements
- Networking events
- Conference
- Pro-bono community work
- Awards gala
- Other

4. I prefer getting my chapter information from:

- A printed newsletter
- An electronic newsletter
- The website
- List-serve messages
- Other: _____

5. How often would you like to receive electronic information about events?

- Monthly
- Every two weeks
- As events occur

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