



CALL FOR NOMINATIONS - DISTRICT C-2 Convention

District C-2 will be holding its Annual convention on October 20 -21 2017 at the Medicine Hat Lodge. On October 21st elections will be held for the following positions:

- District Governor for 2018-2019
- First Vice District Governor for 2018-2019
- Second Vice District Governor for 2018-2019
- District C-2 candidate Vice Council Chair for 2018-2019 who will assume the position of Council Chair for 2019-2020.
- Inductees for the MDC Hall of Fame for 2017-2018 - Two

The elections will be held in accordance with the District C-2 Bylaws Article 2 District Nominations, Elections and Appointments. The 2017-2018 First District Governor and Second District Governor will file their intention to run with the Presiding District Governor and Cabinet Secretary. Their submission must include their qualifications and must be filed a minimum of 45 days prior to the election.

Those Lions who are interested in submitting their names for the position of Second Vice District Governor must submit their written intent to run along with their qualifications. In addition there will be an election held for the position of candidate for the election of Vice Council Chair Multiple District C.

This year the MDC Council voted to increase the number of representatives from the Districts from one to two. This means that we will be voting on two outstanding Lions to induct into the Hall of Fame.

The District Secretary will forward the package to the Nomination Committee for review. The nomination package must include a signed letter of intent from the candidate to run for the position, a letter of endorsement from the club signed by

the Club President, and a recent photo. The nominations Committee will review all submissions and the information will be part of the convention package.

All nominations must be received on or before 6 September 2017. As per the Constitution and Bylaws of District C-2 the qualifications for the positions to be voted on are as follows:

1. In order for a Lion to be eligible and qualified to be elected to the Office of District Governor, he/she must:

- a. Be an active member in good standing of a chartered Lions Club in good standing in his/her District.
- b. Secure the endorsement of his/her club or the majority of clubs in his/her District
- c. Have served or will have served at the time he/she takes office as District Governor
 - (i) As second then first Vice District Governor in the District
 - (ii) As president of a Lions Club for a full term or major portion thereof; and
 - (iii) As a member of the district cabinet for two full terms or major portion thereof.
 - (iii) As a zone chair for a full term or major portion thereof.
 - (iv) With none of the above being accomplished concurrently.

2. In order for a Lion to be eligible and qualified to be elected to the Office of First or Second Vice District Governor, he/she must:

- a. Be an active member in good standing of a chartered Lions Club in good standing in his/her District.
- b. Secure the endorsement of his/her club or the majority of clubs in his/her District
- c. Have served or will have served at the time he/she takes office as Second Vice District Governor
 - i. As president of a Lions Club for a full term or major portion thereof;
 - ii. As a member of the district cabinet for two full terms or major portion thereof;
 - iii. As a Zone Chair for a full term or major portion thereof;
 - iv. With none of the above being accomplished concurrently.

3. In order for a Lion to be eligible and qualified to be elected to the office of Vice Council Chair of MDC, he/she must:

- a. Be an active member in good standing of a chartered Lions Club in good standing in his/her District.
- b. Have served as District Governor.

3. In order for a Lion to be nominated as a candidate for the Multiple District C Hall of Fame, he/she must:

- a. Be an active member in good standing of a chartered Lions Club in good standing in his/her District.
- b. A letter from the club nominating the member along with an one page biography along with a photo that will be circulated at the Annual District Convention.
- c. One nomination per club is allowed.
- d. The candidate must have been a Lion for a minimum of 15 years of service and not be a member of the current Council of Governors. Each candidate should have qualifications above and beyond the call of duty including social and human endeavours. He/She should be of good moral character and have a good reputation in his/her community. The award can be posthumously awarded.