Qualifications for Office

Candidates for <u>District Governor</u>, <u>1st Vice Dist. Gov.</u> and/or <u>2nd Vice Dist. Gov.</u> must submit in writing their intent to run for office to the nominating chair, <u>PDG Dick Whitaker</u>, at <u>797 2nd Avenue</u>, <u>Zumbrota</u>, <u>MN 55992 or at <u>rkwhit@charter.net</u> 30 days prior to the District Convention, December 14, 2022. They must also meet the following requirements as stated in LCI bylaws: From the Constitution and By-laws of Lions Clubs International.</u>

A candidate for the office of district governor shall:

- 1. Be an active member in good standing of a chartered Lions club in good standing in his/her single or sub-district.
- 2. Secure the endorsement of his/her club or a majority of the clubs in his/her single or sub-district.
- 3. Currently be serving as the first vice district governor within the district from which he/she is to be elected.

A candidate for the office of first vice district governor shall:

- 1. Be an active member in good standing of a chartered Lions club in good standing in his/her single or sub-district.
- 2. Secure the endorsement of his/her club or a majority of the clubs in his/her single or sub-district.
- 3. Currently be serving as the second vice district governor within the district from which he/she is to be elected.

A candidate for the office of second vice district governor shall:

- 1. Be an active member in good standing of a chartered Lions club in good standing in his/her single or sub-district.
- 2. Secure the endorsement of his/her club or a majority of the clubs in his/her single or Sub-district.
- 3. Have served or will have served at the time he/she takes office as second vice district governor:
 - a. As president of a Lions club for a full term or major portion thereof, and a member of the board of directors of a Lions club for no less than two (2) additional years; and
 - b. As zone chairperson or region chairperson or cabinet secretary and/or treasurer for a full term or major portion thereof,
 - c. With none of the above being accomplished concurrently.