

VEA-Retired Council & Delegates/Alternates to the VEA/NEA Conventions
Virginia Education Association, 116 South Third Street, Richmond, VA 23219
1-800-552-9554 || www.veanea.org

The election for the VEA Retired Council and Delegates/Alternates to the VEA and NEA conventions will be held electronically. Details will be mailed to all VEA-Retired members in December 2012. Any questions or concerns may be sent to patkennedy@mindspring.com

Nominations and Elections Timelines

September 1, 2012 – Petitions available upon request from the VEA for VEA-Retired Council Secretary/Treasurer and Odd Numbered Congressional District seats. Nominations are also open for Congressional District 2, a one-year unexpired term. Petitions may be obtained by writing the VEA (at the address above) or by e-mail brackley@veanea.org

November 1, 2012 – January 10, 2013 – Nominations open (by **petition**) for:

- VEA-R Council Secretary/Treasurer (2-year term – 8/1/13 – 7/31/15)
- VEA-R Council Congressional Seats – Odd-numbered (2-year term – 8/1/13 – 7/31/15)
- VEA-R Council Congressional Seat – District 2 (unexpired term – ending July 31, 2014)

November 1, 2012 – January 10, 2013 – Nominations open (self-nominated) for delegates and alternates to:
(Note: VEA-R Council President/1st VEA Board Director and 2nd VEA Board Director are automatic delegates.)

- VEA Delegate Assembly (April 11-13, 2013) in Hampton, VA
 - NEA Representative Assembly (July 1-July 6, 2013) in Atlanta, GA
- A completed **self-nomination form**, along with a **typed, half-page biographical statement** must be returned to the VEA postmarked, hand-delivered, or e-mailed no later than January 10, 2013.

December 2012 – Information with regard to the election will be sent in the VEA-R newsletter to all VEA/NEA Retired members and will include a self-nomination form and timeline, along with details on when and how to vote.

January 10, 2013 – Deadline for submission of petitions and the self-nomination form. Petitions and self-nomination forms must include a typed, half-page biographical statement. The petitions, forms, and biographical information must be returned to the VEA office – post-marked, hand-delivered, or e-mailed (brackley@veanea.org) – **on or before** January 10, 2013.

Any nominations postmarked, or e-mailed, after January 10 will not be accepted.

January 17 – January 24, 2013 – Electronic voting by members. Voters may use **any** personal computer or phone that has Internet accessibility. Voters who do not have either may go to a library or other locations that have public computers.

January 25, 2013 – VEA-Retired Elections Committee certifies election results.

January 31, 2013 – Candidates will be notified by telephone and in writing and/or e-mail of the election results. The election results will also be posted on the VEA-R web site. A housing form for the VEA Delegate Assembly will be sent to the successful candidates. Note: Delegates to the NEA Representative Assembly will be sent a housing form closer to the NEA convention deadline.

February 25, 2013 – Housing Forms to be returned to the VEA at the address above.