



LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL
The International Association of Lions Clubs
District 105-SW

To: All Club Presidents
From: District Governor Lion Christine Rowe

DISTRICT CONVENTION CALL

As required by the District Constitution, I hereby issue this official call for the 2010 Convention of District 105SW, Lions Clubs International.

Date and Venue

The 40th Annual Convention of District 105SW is to be held on Saturday 13th March 2010 at The Holiday Inn, Plymouth, Devon.

Nominations and Resolutions

All Clubs are invited to submit:-

- (a) Nominations for District Governor, 2010/2011
- (b) Nominations for 1st Vice District Governor, 2010/2011
- (c) Nominations for 2nd Vice District Governor, 2010/2011
- (d) Resolutions for consideration

Procedure

All Nominations and Resolutions should be sent to:-

PDG Lion David Green,
District Constitution, Nominations and Resolutions Officer,
Kalimera, 29 Byron Way, Exmouth, Devon EX8 5SE
e-mail: davidgreen29@talktalk.net

to be received by him no later than Friday 9th October 2009.

A copy of all nominations and resolutions accepted will be circulated to all Clubs in sufficient time for them to submit any amendments to resolutions.

Qualifications for the offices of District Governor and 1st and 2nd Vice District Governors are as set out overleaf.

August 2009

District Governor 105SW Lion Christine Rowe

Qualifications for the Offices of District Governor, First Vice District Governor & Second Vice District Governor

District Governor

A candidate shall:

- (a) Be an active member in good standing of a chartered Lions Club in good standing in his / her single or sub-district.
- (b) Secure the endorsement of his/her Club, or a majority of the Clubs in his / her single or sub-district.
- (c) Currently be serving as the 1st Vice District Governor within the District from which he / she is to be elected.
- (d) Only in the event that the current 1st Vice District Governor does not stand for election as District Governor, or if a vacancy in the position of 1st Vice District Governor exists at time of the District Convention, any club member who fulfils the qualifications for the office of 2nd Vice District Governor (as set out below) and who is currently serving or who has served one additional year as a member of the District Cabinet, shall fulfil the requirements of sub-section (c) of this section.

(International Constitution By-Laws – Article IX Section 4)

1st Vice District Governor

A candidate shall:

- (a) Be an active member in good standing of a chartered Lions Club in good standing in his / her single or sub-district.
- (b) Secure the endorsement of his / her Club, or a majority of the Clubs in his / her single or sub-district.
- (c) Currently be serving as the 2nd Vice District Governor within the District from which he/she is to be elected.
- (d) Only in the event that the current 2nd Vice District Governor does not stand for election as 1st Vice District Governor, or if a vacancy in the position of 2nd Vice District Governor exists at the time of the District Convention, any club member who fulfils the qualifications for the office of 2nd Vice District Governor as set forth, shall fulfil the requirements of subsection (c) above.

2nd Vice District Governor

A candidate 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 of 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 2nd Vice District Governor :
 - (a) As President of a Lions Club for a full term or a major portion thereof, and a member of the board of directors of a Lions Club for no less than two additional years: and
 - (b) As zone chairman or region chairman, or Cabinet Secretary or Cabinet Treasurer for a full term or major portion thereof.
 - (c) With none of the above being served concurrently.

(International Constitution By-Laws – Article IX Section 6)