



Governor-Nominee Designate Data Form

District Governor Candidate:

Please complete and sign this form, have your club secretary sign it, and submit it to the district nominating committee chair, PDG Al DeLucia

Governor year of service 2026-2027 District 7305 Zone 33 RI membership ID number _____

Family name _____ First name _____ Middle initial _____

Name as it should appear on your badge _____

Member, Rotary Club of _____ Classification _____

Please ensure that your contact information (e-mail, postal address, and phone number) is up to date in My Rotary!

Phone (include country/city or area codes)

Residence _____

Business _____

Mobile _____

E-mail address (RI's preferred mode of contact for correspondence and publication in *Official Directory* and *International Assembly Participants* book) _____

Preferred mailing address*

*If this address is a post office box, please provide an alternate address for courier delivery.

Line 1 _____

Line 2 _____

Line 3 _____

Line 4 _____

Country _____

Per RI Bylaws 16.010(b), a qualified Rotarian must have served as club president for a full term, or as charter president for a minimum of at least six months.

Rotary club(s)	Length of membership	Rotary year served as president
_____	_____ Years	_____ - _____
_____	_____ Years	_____ - _____

Spouse/Partner Information (if applicable)

Family name _____ First name _____ Middle initial _____

Name as it should appear on your badge _____

E-mail _____

For Rotarian Spouses/Partners only:

Member, Rotary Club of _____ RI membership ID number _____



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Personal Information

Name _____

Call or Nickname _____

Preferred Address

Home Phone _____

Work Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Professional Experience

Classification _____

Employment/Professional
(last or current) _____

Rotary Experience

Name of Rotary Club _____

Year(s) Served as President _____

Year(s) in Rotary _____



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Club Positions Held:
(List Position and years served)

District Positions/Assignments Held:
(List position and years served)

District Conferences Attended (List Years):

International Conventions Attended (List Years):

Additional Space If Needed:

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL BYLAWS / ARTICLE 13 ACKNOWLEDGMENT FORM

Article 13 Conduct and Review of Elections

13.010. Campaigning, Canvassing, and Electioneering.

13.010. *Campaigning, Canvassing, and Electioneering.*

In order that the best qualified Rotarians are selected for RI's elective offices, any effort to influence the selection process for an elective office in any manner, including campaigning, canvassing, or electioneering, is prohibited. Rotarians shall not campaign, canvass, or electioneer for elective position in RI, or allow such activity, for either themselves or others. Unless expressly authorized by the board, this prohibition includes any distribution or circulation by themselves or others of brochures, literature, letters, materials, electronic media, or other communications to any clubs or members of clubs. If a candidate learns of any prohibited activity, they shall immediately express disapproval and instruct the activity to be stopped.

My signature below signifies that I have read, understand, and agree to act in accordance with the above.

Date

Candidate's Name

Candidate's Signature

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL BYLAWS / ARTICLE 16 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

The District Governor Nominee Designate must read and sign this form

Article 16 Governors

16.010. Qualifications of a Governor-nominee.

16.020. Qualifications of a Governor.

16.030. Duties of a Governor.

16.010. *Qualifications of a Governor-nominee.*

Unless excused by the board, the person selected as a governor-nominee shall at the time of selection:

- (a) be a member in good standing of a functioning club in the district;
- (b) have served as club president for a full term or as charter president for at least six months;
- (c) demonstrate willingness, commitment, and ability to fulfill the duties and responsibilities of a governor as prescribed in section 16.030.;
- (d) demonstrate knowledge of the qualifications, duties, and responsibilities of a governor as prescribed in the bylaws; and
- (e) submit to RI a statement that the Rotarian understands those qualifications, duties, and responsibilities and is qualified for the office of governor, and is willing and able to assume and faithfully perform those responsibilities.

16.020. *Qualifications of a Governor.*

Unless excused by the board, a governor, when taking office, must have attended the international assembly for its full duration, have been a Rotarian for at least seven years, and continue to possess the qualifications in section 16.010.

16.030. *Duties of a Governor.*

The governor is the officer of RI in the district, functioning under the general control and supervision of the board. The governor shall inspire and motivate the clubs in the district. The governor shall ensure continuity within the district by working with past, current, and incoming district leaders. The governor is responsible for:

- (a) organizing new clubs;
- (b) strengthening existing clubs;
- (c) promoting membership growth;
- (d) working with district and club leaders to encourage participation in a district leadership plan as developed by the board;
- (e) furthering the Object of Rotary by providing leadership and supervision of the clubs in the district;
- (f) supporting TRF;
- (g) promoting cordial relations among the clubs and Rotaract clubs and between the clubs, Rotary and RI;
- (h) planning for and presiding at the district conference and assisting the governor-elect in planning and preparing the PETS and the district training assembly;
- (i) conducting an official visit to each club, individually or in multi-club meetings, that maximizes the governor's presence to:
 - 1. focus attention on important Rotary issues;
 - 2. provide special attention to weak and struggling clubs;
 - 3. motivate Rotarians to participate in service activities;
 - 4. ensure that the club constitution and bylaws comply with the constitutional documents, especially following councils on legislation; and
 - 5. personally recognize the outstanding contributions of Rotarians in the district;
- (j) issuing a monthly communication to each club;
- (k) reporting promptly to RI as required by the president or the board;
- (l) providing the governor-elect, before the international assembly, full information about the condition of clubs and recommended action to strengthen them;
- (m) assuring that district nominations and elections comply with the constitutional documents and RI established policies;
- (n) inquiring regularly about the activities of Rotarian organizations in the district;
- (o) transferring district files to the governor-elect; and
- (p) performing any other duties as are inherent of an RI officer.

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Date

Candidate's Name

Candidate's Signature

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CODE OF POLICIES / Article 26 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

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26.060. Election Guidelines and Campaigning 26.060.1. Board Approved Statement of Guidelines A single statement of guidelines for RI elections should apply to the entire Rotary world. All candidates for elective office should be advised in writing of the RI election policies and procedures by the person responsible for administering the election. (November 2001 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 45) Source: November 1990 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 80; Amended by June 2001 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 325; November 2001 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 45

26.060.2. Official Report of Nominating Committee After confidential discussion in committee, the nominating committees for RI director shall state in writing on official reports to the general secretary that the selected nominee, to the best of the committee's knowledge, has not violated any of the rules against campaigning, electioneering or canvassing in the RI Bylaws. The report of all nominating committees shall also contain the names and signatures of all committee members in attendance. Such report should be forwarded to the general secretary along with the name of the nominee of the committee. (April 2016 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 157) Source: November 1990 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 80; Amended by June 2001 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 325; April 2016 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 157

26.060.3. Announcement of Nominations and Elections Members of RI nominating committees shall refrain from issuing independent statements announcing the committee's nomination without the prior authorization of the Board, pursuant to RI Bylaws section 13.010. Editors of Rotary magazine and licensed regional magazines shall ensure that all articles and announcements of Rotary nominations and elections accurately reflect the Rotary election process, including the opportunity to challenge. (January 2019 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 80) Source: May 2003 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 362; Amended by October 2018 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 68; January 2019 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 80

26.060.4. Rules Regarding Campaigning, Canvassing, and Electioneering It is a fundamental principle in Rotary that the best qualified candidate should be selected for service in Rotary's elective offices. Therefore, any effort to influence the selection process in a positive or negative manner by campaigning, canvassing, electioneering or otherwise is prohibited under the RI Bylaws. The following rules shall be followed concerning campaigning, canvassing and electioneering for any Rotarian considering election to the office of president, director, Governor, or Council representative, or the nominating committee for any such office. These rules are designed to ensure that the best qualified candidate is selected for office:

1. Rotarians should at all times conform to the prohibitions of the RI Bylaws concerning campaigning, canvassing or electioneering. All Rotarians should observe both the letter and the spirit of the bylaws and refrain from any activity whose purpose or effect is to influence others by promoting or soliciting support for a candidate's or another Rotarian's candidacy. Such activity is repugnant to the spirit of the bylaws and the principles of Rotary and will be grounds for disqualification of a candidate.

2. Campaigning, canvassing or electioneering is any action seeking to promote, attack, support, or oppose a candidate, either directly or indirectly, in any medium, including, but not limited to, any action seeking votes, requesting support in a forthcoming election, distribution of literature or promotional materials or other overt actions intended to promote one's candidacy for an elected Rotary office.

3. The periods of candidacy for elective office begin when individual Rotarians begin to give serious consideration to submitting their names for a position covered by the RI rules for nominations and elections. Commencing at that time, candidates should be particularly careful to avoid any actions designed to publicize their names or achievements, to call attention to the applicable nominations or elections, or to give candidates an unfair advantage over other candidates for the same position.

4. The normal performance of duly-assigned Rotary activities would not be considered to be a violation of the policies related to campaigning, canvassing or electioneering.

5. Contacting clubs to inform them to request their concurrence for a proposed challenge or election complaint is not prohibited provided that such contact is limited to the exchange of factual information. (September 2016 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 28)

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Date

Candidate's Name

Candidate's Signature

Authorization of a Background Check

With my information and signature below, I authorize Rotary District 7305 to submit a background check to be performed, this background check will include, but is not limited to, an inquiry into the information in the criminal justice system. This background check is to try to help ensure that I meet all qualifications to serve as District Governor and to verify that there is not anything that will preclude me from serving in this capacity.

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name

Other names such as maiden names or aliases

Current Address:

Street Address

City

State

Zip Code

Please list, to the best of your ability, any other addresses you have had in the past 35 years.

Street Address

City

State

Zip Code

Street Address

City

State

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My signature below signifies that I have read, understand, and agree to act in accordance with the above and all information was provided to the best of my ability.

Date

Candidate's Signature

Social Security Number