

2015-16 REGIONAL TRUSTEE CANDIDATE FORM

- Send completed form to Barb O'Donnell, 11902 Jake Circle, Bellevue, NE 68133-2745 or email: NIKiwanisDistrict@gmail.com by **January 06, 2016**. In addition, please attach a 200 word bio. Please print clearly or type all information.

DISTRICT: _____	DIVISION: _____
CLUB NAME: _____	
CLUB KEY NUMBER: K _____ (5 digits)	

MEMBER ID NUMBER (If known): _____	
NAME: _____	LT. GOV DIV/ YEAR(S): _____
Birthdate (mo/day/yr): _____	

PRIMARY ADDRESS:
Address _____
City _____ State/Province _____
Postal Code _____ Country _____
If your primary mailing address above is a PO Box, then please list below a street address and corresponding zip or postal code for packages:
Street Address _____
City _____ State/Province _____
Postal Code _____ Country _____

PRIMARY PHONE/FAX:
Include area code.
Phone: _____ Fax: _____

PRIMARY E-MAIL ADDRESS: Please list only one.

E-mail: _____

BUSINESS OR PROFESSION:

Profession or field of work: _____

Position/Title: _____ Company: _____

SPOUSE'S NAME: _____ Is

your spouse a Kiwanis Member? Yes No

CLUB, if a Kiwanis member: _____

PLEASE NOTE: Some of the information you provide will appear in International and District directories. This information also may be listed in an electronic format on Kiwanis Web sites.

_____ **Check initial here to indicate you have read this note.**

I have read the Regional Trustee Job Description and am willing and able to perform said duties.

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

My Primary Kiwanis Club is: _____

My Club President is: _____

CLUB ENDORSEMENT:

I, _____, as President of the Kiwanis Club of

_____, hereby certify that the candidacy of our member,

_____ has been endorsed by his/her club for the office of Regional

Trustee. _____

Club President Signature

(Dated)

Region I (Divisions 21, 22, 23, 24) Term 2015-2018
Region II (Divisions 17,18, 19, 20) Term **will be** 2016-2019
Region III (Divisions 3,4,5,6) Term **will be** 2016-2019
Region IV (Divisions 1,2,7,8) Term 2015-2018
Region V (Divisions 11, 12, 13, 16) Term 2014-2017
Region VI (Divisions 9,10, 14, 15) Term 2014-2017

1. Candidates interested in serving as a Regional Trustee, shall be members in good standing of a club in his/her respective region, served as Lt. Governor within the Nebraska-Iowa District, been endorsed by the candidate's primary club, and willing to fulfill the duties and responsibilities of a Regional Trustee.
2. Candidates should complete the "Regional Trustee Candidate form" (available on the website) and submit it to Barb O'Donnell, District Secretary-Treasurer, between October 1, 2015 and February 1, 2016. The District Secretary-Treasurer will notify the Nebraska-Iowa District Executive Committee and Lt. Governors located within the candidate's Region.
3. At the February 4, 2012, Mid-year Conference, Regional meetings will be held for the purpose of electing a Regional Trustee. Modified Roberts Rules of Order will be employed.
4. Each club within the Region is entitled to two votes: The President and the President-Elect, or their designates. The representatives (those eligible to vote) present, representing not less than one-third (1/3) of the clubs of the region, shall constitute a quorum. The Regional Trustee (after 2012), current and past Lt. Governors, and Current and Past Governors in attendance shall have the privilege of the floor without the right to vote except in the event of a tie vote, in which case the Regional Trustee (after 2012) shall be entitled to vote.
5. The meetings will be presided over by a chair, selected by and from among the Region's four Lt. Governors, providing that the chair is not also a candidate. One of the four Lt. Governors shall act as Secretary and appoint such tellers as necessary. The remaining Lt. Governor's may fill the roles of, or appoint Parliamentarian, Sergeant of Arms, and/or Vote Tallier (teller).
6. Candidates will be nominated by a member of the same Region (two minutes).
7. Nothing shall preclude nomination of candidates from the floor, except that no person shall be presented to the Regional Meeting as a candidate without the consent of said person first being obtained. Again, each candidate shall give assurances of a willingness and ability to carry out the duties and responsibilities of the office of Regional Trustee. Each candidate should also complete and sign the Regional Trustee Candidate form prior to the election.
8. Candidates will have up to five minutes to make a presentation to the members of the Region.
9. Ballots will be given to the president and immediate past president of each club in the region, or their duly elected alternates.
10. A majority of all valid votes cast shall be necessary for elections. In the event that no candidate receives a majority of valid votes cast, a new election shall take place immediately, and the person receiving the fewest number of votes shall be eliminated. This procedure shall be followed until one person receives a majority vote.
11. The chair of the regional meeting shall certify the results of the election to the District Secretary-Treasurer and Kiwanis International immediately following the conference.
12. If there is no quorum, the vote in the Region(s) cannot be certified. In that event, the Governor shall appoint an Interim to serve until such time that the Region can hold a meeting for the purpose of election their Trustee, and achieve a quorum.
13. A Regional Trustee-designate is not a District officer. The terms **will** begin October 1, 2016.