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DATE 8.3.2020
Internal Memo

July 27, 2020

TO: Mark C. Meyers, City Administrator
FROM: Shelly Stibitz, City Clerk *Shelly Stibitz*
SUBJECT: Michigan Municipal League Workers' Compensation Fund Trustee Election

The City Council is requested by the Michigan Municipal League (MML) Workers' Compensation Fund, of which the City is a member, to vote for not more than two trustees to serve four-year terms on the Board of Trustees. City Council members may write in candidates or select the following candidates recommended by the MML Nominating Committee:

Marion Brown, Mayor Pro Tem, City of Mason
Penny Hill, Assistant City Manager, Traverse City

Following their consent at the August 3, 2020 meeting, I will submit a ballot online on behalf of the Norton Shores City Council.

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Attachments



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Workers' Compensation Fund

To: Members of the MML Workers' Compensation Fund
From: Michael J. Forster, Fund Administrator
Date: June 29, 2020
Subject: Fund Trustee Election

Dear Fund Member:

Two (2) Trustees have agreed to seek election to the MML Workers' Compensation Fund Board of Trustees. You may also write in one or more candidates if you wish.

A brief biographical sketch of each candidate is provided for your review.

I hope you will affirm the work of the Nominating Committee by returning your completed ballot in the enclosed return envelope, no later than August 13. You may also submit your ballot online by going to www.mml.org. Click on *Insurance*, then *Workers' Compensation Fund*; the link to the ballot form is in the yellow banner.

Thank you for your membership in the Worker's Compensation Fund, and for participating in the election of your governing board.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Forster

Fund Administrator

THE CANDIDATES
Four-year terms beginning October 1, 2020



Marlon Brown, Mayor Pro Tem, City of Mason

Marlon Brown was first elected to the Mason City Council in 2012 and presently serves as mayor pro tem. He serves on the Elected Officials Academy Advisory Board and previously served on the MML Board of Trustees. In addition to his role on the city council, Brown has served as chairperson of the Mason Sesquicentennial Steering Committee, vice chair of the Mason Planning Commission, vice chair of the Mason Historic District Commission, and secretary of the Ingham County Economic Development Corporation board of directors. He is involved with several community organizations including the Mason Orchestral Society and the Mason Area Chamber of Commerce. Brown works for the State of Michigan as the Director of Policy and Legislative Affairs for the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA). He earned a BS in political science from American University, a master of public administration from the University of Delaware, and is currently pursuing a doctorate in public administration at Valdosta State University. Moreover, he is an alumnus of the Michigan Political Leadership Program at Michigan State University. Marlon is seeking election to his first term.



Penny Hill, Assistant City Manager, Traverse City

Penny has been a municipal government official since 1988, serving at various times as Clerk, Treasurer, and Manager. She currently serves as Traverse City's Assistant Manager. Penny is an active member of the Michigan Municipal League, having served on its Board of Directors, and as Vice-Chairperson of Region 6. Penny is also an active member of the Michigan Municipal Executives (formerly Michigan Local Government Manager's Association), serving as its President in 2013. She is a member of the Board of Directors for the Grand Traverse Regional Community Foundation. Penny is seeking election to her first term.