



NATIONAL ACW PRESIDENTS'
CALL FOR NOMINATIONS 2026

For Position of
NATIONAL TREASURER

Nominations are now open – Please forward Nominations to the following members of the Nomination committee:

National Past President, Rosemarie Kingston
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Diocese of New Westminster President: Kelly Bowman
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Diocese of Huron President: Susan Winlaw
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NOTICE:

The position of Treasurer has traditionally been a five-year term, however with the introduction of alternate Virtual Conferences, it was determined that the term would, if necessary, be extended one year to accommodate an in-person transition.

The National ACW Constitution & Bylaws defines the responsibilities of the Treasurer as:

- i. shall be responsible to keep the financial records of the organization
- ii. shall receive, record, and disburse by cheque all income as authorized
- iii. shall provide an audited financial statement at the annual meeting
- iv. shall serve a five (5) year term
- v. shall prepare, in conjunction with the Executive Officers, a Budget to be presented at the Annual Conference (***Amended 2021***)

With respect to Eligibility and Term of Office – the CURRENT wording of *The National ACW Constitution and Bylaws* states:

VI ELIGIBILITY

1. Each nominee for an officer shall:
 - a. be in attendance at the conference or be in virtual attendance for the duration of the Elections. (***amended 2021***)
 - b. shall have previously attended at least One National Conference as a voting member. In the case of Vice President or President, they shall have previously attended at least Two National Conferences. (***amended 2015***)
 - c. the recommendation of one of: her Bishop, Diocesan President/Coordinator, or the Ecclesiastical Provincial Representative.
 - d. have a reporting relationship into the Diocesan ACW structure.
 - e. be an example of Christian life and a worshipping member of her parish.

VII TERM OF OFFICE

The President, Vice President and Past President shall each serve for a term of three (3) years; the Secretary for two (2) years and the Treasurer for five (5) years. No person may serve more than one term in any office and no more than two consecutive terms. The term of officers shall begin immediately after their election and shall continue until their successor is elected. **(amended 2021)**.

The Term of Office of National Treasurer may be extended by an additional year from the current term of 5 years if needed to ensure that the transfer of authority of the Treasurer takes place during an in-person Annual Conference. **(amended 2024)**.

IMPORTANT: Please ensure you have the permission of the person you are nominating and that you indicate the names of two members of the conference who are prepared to Move and Second the Nomination. **Individuals who are interested in a position can self-nominate,**

Please Note that traditionally, and **whenever possible**, the Registration Expenses of the newly elected officer should be paid for by her Diocese for at least her 1st year in office.

Nominations will close, August 24th, 2026.

Nominations may be submitted to the Nominations Committee up to one month prior to the Conference which is on September 24th.

Please be aware that NO nominations will be received from the floor.

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NATIONAL ACW PRESIDENTS' CONFERENCE 2026 NOMINATION FORM

National Treasurer

I, _____, OF THE DIOCESE OF _____
(NAME IN FULL) (NAME)

HEREBY MOVE TO NOMINATE _____

(Diocese) _____

FOR THE POSITION OF _____

The Nomination is Seconded by _____

OF THE DIOCESE OF _____

WE HAVE CONFIRMED THAT _____ IS PREPARED TO ACCEPT THE
NOMINATION.

THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN MET AS FOLLOWS:

1. will be in attendance at the conference. OR
 will be in virtual attendance for the duration of the Elections.
2. shall have previously attended at least TWO National Conferences in the case of Vice President
 shall have previously attended at least One National Conference in the case of Secretary
3. has the recommendation of **one** of: (please attach documents)
 - ❖ her Bishop, ____
 - ❖ Diocesan President/Coordinator, ____
 - ❖ the Ecclesiastical Provincial Representative. ____
4. have a reporting relationship into the Diocesan ACW structure. _____
5. be an example of Christian life and a worshipping member of her parish. _____

SIGNED: _____ and _____

DATE: _____

NOMINATION ACCEPTED BY:

_____ DATE: _____