



For those actually attending the general meeting on April 10, 2010, we will allow floor nominations for any position, these nominations will be treated like write-in candidates on the ballot form, however, those choices made on the absentee ballot will still be followed in the order indicated. Also, any member who completes an absentee ballot may rescind that absentee ballot any time before the start of the election part of the general meeting.

If during the first count of the ballots, a 50+% majority does not vote for the top vote-getter in each position, then the lowest vote-getter will be eliminated in that position, the absentee ballots re-tabulated using the preferences as indicated by the absentee ref, along with a new ballot from those refs in attendance at the meeting. This process will be repeated as many times as necessary until there is a declared winner in each of the categories (there will be 5 winners in the at-large category).

For the absentee ballots, please sequence each of your choices by placing a 1 or 2 or 3 etc in the small column following their name. This will allow us to follow your voter preferences should multiple counts be necessary to obtain the 50+% vote count, and your 1st choice was eliminated.

President		Vice President		At Large (5 positions)		Secretary		Treasurer	
1 year term		2 year term		1 year term		2 year term		1 year term	
Nominee 1	3	Nominee 1	1	Nominee 1	2	Nominee 1	4	Nominee 1	1
Nominee 2	1	Nominee 2	4	Nominee 2	3	Nominee 2	3	Nominee 2	2
Nominee 3	2	Nominee 3	3	Nominee 3	15	Nominee 3	1	Nominee 3	3
Nominee 4	4	Nominee 4	2	Nominee 4	12	Nominee 4	2	Nominee 4	4
				Nominee 5	9				
				Nominee 6	7				

Please return your ballot by **first class mail (or hand delivered)** to be received by Bill Higgins (elections coordinator), NO LATER THAN April 8, 2010. (If you drop by or attend the 10:00 am General meeting on April 10th at OV rink, you can present your ballot in person.) When you mail your ballot, you **MUST** put your name on the outside of the envelope in the upper left corner (return address area) and write "2010 CHOA ballot" on the lower left corner of the envelope.

<p>Ref name & address</p> <p style="text-align: center;">William Higgins 2109 156th PL SW Lynnwood, WA 98087-2541</p> <p>2010 CHOA ballot</p>
