Canadian Baptists of Ontario and Quebec
5 International Blvd
Etobicoke, ON M9W 6H3
Phone: 416-622-8600
Fax: 416-622-2308
E-mail: cboq@baptist.ca
Website: www.baptist.ca

Nominations Committee Report

Presented to Assembly, June 8, 2017

Throughout the 2016-2017 ministry year, much time and prayer has been spent seeking candidates for nomination to our various boards and committees. Last fall we asked our churches to submit the names of qualified people as possible candidates for nomination. In December the Nominations Committee held a conference call to review the vacancies and the list of candidates for nomination. In the months that followed, those the Committee recommended were contacted. The report that follows includes a list of current committee/board members and the nominees for consideration at Assembly.

Delegates at Assembly have the opportunity to submit nominees, other than those listed in this report, either to me, Chair of the Nominations Committee, or to Tim McCoy, Executive Minister, no later than 1 pm Thursday, June 8. All nominees submitted at Assembly must be in writing and include the names of two supporting Delegates, the consent of the nominee and a brief resume of the nominee's background, including indication that they are a member in good standing of a CBOQ church. If nominees beyond the ones indicated in this report are submitted at Assembly, a ballot sheet with instructions for voting will be distributed at Assembly. If no further nominees beyond the ones indicated in this report are submitted at Assembly, then one motion will be made to elect all the nominees named in this report to the positions so indicated.

Respectfully Submitted,
Donna Chapman
Chair

Nominee Information

CBOQ Board of Directors

Appointment of Officer-Directors

President: Heather Rumball, Member, Kingsway Baptist Church, Toronto, Ontario
First Vice-President: Robert McCarty, Pastor, First Baptist Church, New Liskeard, Ontario
Past President: Murray Kohler, Member, Glen Acres Baptist Church, Kitchener, Ontario

Election of Officer-Second Vice-President

Nominee (one position):

Steve Barker, Pastor, Hope Community Church, Cumberland Beach, Ontario
Steve has been a pastor in CBOQ for 15 years. He has served at First Baptist Church, Orillia and Hope Community Church, Cumberland Beach. He is an ordained and passionate preacher facilitating community transformation through Bible teaching and practical ministry discipleship. Steve and a group of leaders planted Hope Church in 2006. Their ministry focus is community ministry and prayer.

Directors:

Current Members:

Retiring in 2018	**Retiring in 2019**
Frank Fedyk, Ottawa	Janet McKenzie, Stoney Creek
Erika Abele, Etobicoke	Janice Charko, Etobicoke
Evelin Wharram, Kingsville	Christopher Lu, Montreal
Roger Schmid, Niagara	Rob Van Middelkoop, Bothwell

Nominees (four positions):

Rob Denhoed, Pastor, Harmony Baptist Church, Oshawa, Ontario
Rob is eligible for re-election. He has been the Lead Pastor at Harmony Road Baptist, Oshawa since 2004. He has the privilege and blessing of serving as a CBOQ Pastor for 29 years. He is active in Association leadership. He loves the transforming power of God's Word and is humbled every day to be used as a shepherd to love, disciple and encourage His sheep.

Eva Mak (nee Lau), Member, Logos Baptist Church, Mississauga, Ontario
Eva received her legal education in Hong Kong and London U.K. She has been practicing law in Ontario since 1995. A member of Logos Baptist Church (Mississauga) since 1997, she has served in various roles - cell group leader, worship leader and pianist, Sunday school teacher and fellowship counselor. Eva has provided pro bono legal services to a number of non-profit and charitable organizations, as well as sitting on the board of some; among these, at Toronto Chinese Business Association for 18 years. She has been a board member of Association of Canadian Chinese Theological Education (ACCTE) for three years.

Koon Wah Leung, Member, Spring Garden Baptist Church, Toronto, Ontario
Koon is the Senior Director of Health and Pharmacy programs at Shoppers Drug Mart and Loblaw Companies Limited. She is a pharmacist by training and is passionate about improving the health and wellness of Canadians. Her past work experience includes Brand Management, Marketing and Sales at Procter & Gamble. Koon is a member of Spring Garden Church and served on their board from 2013-2016. Her husband Clement works with Toronto Youth for Christ, and her boys (aged 14 and 11) love attending the CBOQ youth retreats.

Fourth Nominee (TBD)

Nominations Committee

Current Members:

Retiring in 2018	**Retiring in 2019**
Randy McCooeye, Orleans	Nancy Webb, Toronto

Nominee (one position):

Alex Moir, Pastor, Banwell Community Church, Windsor Ontario

Alex is eligible for re-election. He has served Banwell Community Church as its pastor since July of 2002, as well in various capacities across our Baptist family, including as president of CBOQ Board in 1996-1997. Alex and Linda have two sons (one married) and two grandsons. He considers it a huge privilege to serve three congregations across his 39 years of ministry.

Credentials Committee

Current Members:

Retiring in 2018	**Retiring in 2019**
David Williams, Guelph	Verona Huff, Elliot Lake
Ken Park, Toronto	Susan Bickle, Coburg
Peter Bongers, Kitchener	Kevin Babbey, Delhi
Rod Gauthier, Goderich	Vacant

Nominees (five positions):

Chris Stefanidis, Pastor, Renforth Baptist Church, Etobicoke, Ontario

Chris began in pastoral ministry in 2003. His first pastorate was at First Baptist Church, Thorold where he served almost 10 years. Presently he serves at Renforth Baptist Church where he was a part of a successful church replant in partnership with CBOQ, TBM and Mississauga City Baptist Church. Chris lives in Burlington with his beautiful wife Kari and his three lovely children Stephen, Matthew and Elisha.

Edward Carruthers, Pastor, Lakeside Heights Baptist Church, Montreal, Quebec

Ed has been Pastor of First Baptist Church, Montreal for the past three years. Prior to that, he served as Pastor of Lakeside Heights Baptist Church, also in Montreal for seven years. He is also serving as Moderator of the Quebec Association. He rejoices that this year marks the 50th anniversary of his being called to follow Jesus. Ed will also be celebrating 40 years of marriage to Darlene this year. Together, they have two daughters, and two wonderful grandsons.

Della Bost, Pastor, First Baptist Church, Puce, Essex, Ontario

Della is the pastor of First Baptist Church, Puce and has been in ministry there for seven years. She has been the Moderator of the Amherstburg Regular Missionary Baptist Association and currently sits on the Nomination Committee of Amherstburg Association. She has been on five mission trips, namely; Haiti, Dominican Republic, Bolivia, and Winnipeg. She is married and blessed with three grown children and five grandchildren. She loves the Lord and loves serving His people.

Susan Boddaert, Pastor, Hillsburgh Baptist Church, Ontario

Susan was ordained as a CBOQ pastor in 2012, serving since as pastor of Hillsburgh Baptist Church. She also serves on the South Central Association's Ministerial Committee. Susan and her husband Phil enjoy spending time with her family, especially their first grandchild, Oliver.

Kathleen McIntosh, Pastor, Uxbridge Baptist Church, Ontario

Kathy is completing the remaining year of a vacant position. She joined the Ministry Team at Uxbridge Baptist Church in December, 2010. Previous to that, she served for ten years at Omemee Baptist Church. She is accredited with CBOQ and is working towards a Certificate in Christian Ministry from Acadia Divinity College in Nova Scotia. Kathy has been in ministry for 24 years and has a love for God and His people. She and husband David were married in October 1983 and are blessed to have two sons.

Strategic Planning Committee

Current Members:

Retiring in 2018	**Retiring in 2019**
Keith Vincent, London	Peter Doyle, Kanata

Nominees:

Gene Tempelmeyer, Pastor, Spring Garden Baptist Church, Toronto, Ontario

Gene is eligible for re-election. During his 36 years as a pastor in CBOQ, Gene has led churches in Port Elgin, Windsor, Tillsonburg and for the past ten years, Spring Garden. He has served CBOQ in several roles including Council, Department of Ministry, Credentials Committee and CBM Pension Committee.

Canadian Baptist Ministries Board

Current Members:

Retiring in 2018	**Retiring in 2019**
Elden Faulkner, Hamilton	Heather Rumble Peterson, Kingsville

Nominee (one position):

Mike Wills, Member, Yorkminster Park Baptist Church, Toronto, Ontario

Mike Wills is a Chartered Accountant and Certified Management Consultant with many years' experience in international development, mainly in microfinance and banking, working with the World Bank, World Vision, Opportunity International and currently with Canada Gives. He worships at Yorkminster Park where he leads their refugee sponsorship program. His wife, Anna, is a water and sanitation engineer and his daughters Laura and Terri live in Toronto and London, England respectively.

McMaster Divinity College Board of Trustees

Current Members:

Retiring in 2018	**Retiring in 2019**
Benjamin Denhoed, Peterborough	Ted Hunt, Ingersoll
Verna Hutchinson, Guelph	Lionel Pye, Campbellford
Retiring in 2020	**Retiring in 2021**
David Huctwith, Toronto	David Thomas, Toronto
Marg Derrah, North Bay	Wayne Sollows, Pembroke

Nominees (two positions):

Norm Hubley, Member, Yorkminster Park Baptist Church, Toronto, Ontario

Norm is eligible for re-election. He is a retired certified accountant with 20 years in practice. Norm has been at Master Divinity College Board since 2002. He has three daughters and loves spending time with his six grandchildren.

Leslie Makins, Pastor, Mount Hamilton Baptist Church, Ontario

After feeling called by God to leave her career as the Executive Director of a provincial sport organization, Leslie returned to school to do a Master of Divinity at McMaster Divinity College. Since graduating, she has continued to support the school and currently holds the alumni seat on the Senate and Board of Trustees. She is thankful to be the Associate Pastor of Discipleship and Missions at Mount Hamilton Baptist Church. She feels honoured to serve the people of MHBC and blessed to be working with gifted leaders. Leslie and her husband Gary recently celebrated their 34th wedding anniversary. They have two married children and two granddaughters who bring great joy to their lives.