

2016 FORUM INFO

Dates: SLEDNY Forum: April 29-30, 2016
NYSSA Annual Meeting: May 1, 2016

Location: Conference Center at Lake Placid
2608 Main Street, Lake Placid, NY 12906

Hotels: Art Devlin's, Golden Arrow, Hampton Inn
Reservations: Must be made through Convention & Visitors Bureau – print form at www.nyssaforum.com or

Reserve online: <https://reservations.meetingslakeplacid.com/start.php?i=37>

Room block ends: March 25, 2016

Registration: \$50 until 2/29; \$80 til 3/31; \$100 til 4/10/16.
Annual Meeting Only: \$15.

Registration closes April 10.

Forum Packet 1 contained the registration form & is available online at www.nyssaforum.com.

Forum Registration is online at

<http://www.regonline.com/2016-forum>

Awards info: was sent earlier and is available online at www.nyssaforum.com.

Nominations are due by March 1.

Enclosed are:

- Important dates;
- Proposed Bylaw Changes;
- Director Certification forms & bylaws pertaining to; we urge clubs in those areas who did not have Directors this season, to find someone to represent them! The Director seat can be shared (Director, Alternate Director);
- 2015-16 Director Attendance;
- Officer Nomination Forms & bylaws pertaining to.

Important Dates from the NYSSA By-Laws

Annual Meeting: May 1, 2016

A) AT LEAST 90 DAYS PRIOR TO THE ANNUAL MEETING:

(By: February 1, 2016)

- Standing Committees submit budget requests to the Budget and Finance Committee.
- Proposed By-Law Changes must be submitted to the Parliamentarian for review. The Parliamentarian will forward comments on the proposed changes to the office within two weeks of receipt.

B) AT LEAST 60 DAYS PRIOR TO THE ANNUAL MEETING:

(By: March 2, 2016)

- NYSSA Office mails or electronically mails certification forms to clubs.
- NYSSA Office mails or electronically mails notification of Annual Meeting to clubs.
- NYSSA Office mails or electronically mails By-Law changes to be presented at the Annual Meeting.

C) AT LEAST 30 DAYS PRIOR TO THE ANNUAL MEETING:

(By: April 1, 2016)

- Districts complete Director elections.
- Club delegates count for Annual Meeting determined by club and the NYSSA Office.
- NYSSA Office mails or electronically mails proposed slate of officers (as determined by the Nominating Committee) and the BOD approved Budget.

D) AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE ANNUAL MEETING:

- Newly elected Officers and Directors (that have been certified) assume office.
- Approved By-law amendments take effect.

E) MEETING AFTER THE ANNUAL MEETING: May 21, 2016

to be held at the Rusty Rail, 3231 Seneca Turnpike, Canastota, NY 13032

- BOD elects Directors-at-Large.
- President announces committee appointments.

F) AT LEAST 3 MONTHS AFTER THE ANNUAL MEETING:

- BOD may appoint interim District Directors.

The following information has been excerpted from the NYSSA Bylaws. The complete bylaws document is available online at www.nysnowmobiler.com, on the members-only menu.

The Nomination forms are excerpted from the NYSSA Policy Manual, also available on the website or from your District Director.

ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENTS

Amendments of these By-laws shall be presented to the Association by the By-laws Committee for action and approval of the Board of Directors, after which the club delegates at the Association Annual Meeting shall vote on the amendments. A two-thirds vote is needed to amend these By-laws. All member clubs must be notified in writing of By-laws changes at least sixty (60) days prior to the Annual Meeting at which the changes will be voted on. All changes to the By-laws will take effect following the conclusion of the Annual Meeting at which the changes were approved by the voting delegates of the member clubs of the Association.



BY-LAWS REVISION FORM

#2016-01

This form is for all members to write out concerns and issues associated with the current wording to certain articles of the By-Laws. The form is to be filled out completely and submitted to the By-Laws Committee for their consideration. The By-Laws Committee must respond to each suggestion to any By-Law article revision with its recommendation for approval or rejection by the BOD. All revisions approved by the BOD will be presented to the Annual Meeting Delegates for their disposition. In the justification section, give your reasons and indicate a problem to be solved by the change.

NAME Joel Munson DATE 4/14/2015

By-Laws Article, Section, Part: Article IX – Officers, Section 2

Current Wording (Show only the part to be changed): _____ The term of office for the Officers of this Association ends at the conclusion of the Annual Meeting of the following year. _____

Proposed Wording: _____ The term of office for the Officers of this Association ends at the conclusion of the 2nd Annual Meeting following their election.

Justification: ___ A term increase to 2 years from the present one year would allow for more continuity, and consistency, as well a chance for longer term planning of the direction of NYSSA. It gives the person time to get familiarize with NYSSA and the roll that they have.

BY-LAW COMMITTEE REVIEW

Recommended by: Joel Munson

Article, Section, Part: Article IX – Officers, Section 2

Date Reviewed by ByLaws Committee: January 9, 2016

Recommendation to the Board: **Approve with revisions noted below**

Additional Info: _The Committee recommends to revise the requested ByLaw Change to state: **The term of office for the Officers of this Association shall be 2 years or until their successor is elected. Elections for President/Secretary will occur on alternate years of Vice President and Treasurer, providing an election of 2 officers at each Annual Meeting.**

Proviso: If approved, the 2016 elections will provide a two year term for President and Secretary, and a one year term for Vice President and Treasurer. In 2017, Vice President and Treasurer will be the only elections held, and that will be for two (2) year terms.

With necessary changes of term limits in bylaws in Sections 5 and 6 of this same ByLaw which read: _

Section 5 **Unexpired terms of any vacated office may be filled by appointment by the Board of Directors.**

Section 6 **An individual may serve as President for a maximum of three (3) one-year terms.**

The wording will be changed to read:

Section 5 **Unexpired terms of any vacated office may be filled by appointment by the Board of Directors, except a vacancy in the office of President shall automatically be filled by the Vice President.**

Section 6 **An individual may serve as President for a maximum of two consecutive terms. After one term has passed, a past-President may be a candidate for President of the Association.**

Justification: Annual voting of the President and all officers can result in some difficulty in maintaining continuity, as much of the first year requires a learning curve before an individual can be most effective. The committee also felt that by staggering the offices, it allows for one election each year, and the nominations committee has the responsibility of locating candidates for only 2 positions each year.

In doing this, the committee had to evaluate the current wording of the President's term limit, and it was agreed to simply change the wording to state that the President is limited to 2 consecutive terms. It is understood that both of these changes are grouped together as one vote, and approval or rejection of one constitutes the same result to the other.

Date of Board Action: _____ February 6, 2016 _____

Board Disposition: Approve Disapprove (Circle One)

Additional Information: _____

Annual Meeting Date Presented to the Delegates: _____ May 1, 2016 _____

Delegates Decision: Approved Disapproved (Circle One)

Signature of presiding President

BY-LAWS REVISION FORM #2016-03

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NAME Joel Munson DATE 4/14/2015

By-Laws Article, Section, Part: Article XIII, Section 2, Article F

Current Wording (Show only the part to be changed): _____

Each member club of the Association shall be entitled to one (1) voting delegate according to the following table of increments:

- (1) up to 30 NYSSA members = 1 voting delegate
- (2) 31 to 60 NYSSA members = 2 voting delegates
- (3) 61 to 90 NYSSA members = 3 voting delegates
- (4) 91 to 120 NYSSA members = 4 voting delegates
- (5) 121 to 150 NYSSA members = 5 voting delegates
- (6) 151 to 180 NYSSA members = 6 voting delegates
- (7) The number of voting delegates for each member club shall continue to increase by one delegate for each additional block of 30 NYSSA members. _____

Proposed Wording: __

Each member club of the Association shall be entitled to one (1) voting delegate according to the following table of increments:

- (1) up to 60 NYSSA members = 1 voting delegate
- (2) 61 to 120 NYSSA members = 2 voting delegates
- (3) 121 to 180 NYSSA members = 3 voting delegates
- (4) 181 to 240 NYSSA members = 4 voting delegates
- (5) The number of voting delegates for each member club shall continue to increase by one delegate for each additional block of 60 NYSSA members. _____

Justification: NOTE: I only have rough estimates of the numbers. Anne had the file at the meeting that showed the official numbers. I suggest that the committee do an analysis on that file.

The key point is by changing the delegate ratio, there will be more snowmobilers to be represented at the annual meeting .

Only 10 clubs (11%) that attend the annual meeting, sent their full contingent of delegates to the 2015 annual meeting and all of them had 5 or less delegates total. I think more snowmobilers should be represented per delegate. By changing the delegate ratio, more snowmobilers will be represented at the annual meeting. Clubs with large number of members aren't sending 100% of their delegates due to a variety of reason, one of which is cost. Increasing the ratio will allow the clubs to better represent their members while potentially reducing the cost of attending.

In addition, many clubs don't sent any delegates to the meeting. It may also encourage these clubs to send delegates as their delegate's votes will be more important. _____

BY-LAW COMMITTEE REVIEW

Recommended by: Joel Munson

Article, Section, Part: Article XIII, Section 2, Article F

Date Reviewed by Executive Committee: 1/09/16

Disposition of ByLaw Committee- Recommend to the Board to **Disapprove**

Additional Info: N/A

Justification: **The committee is in unanimous agreement that this has brought up several times to for vote at the annual meeting, and voted down each time. There is little indication that there is reason to assume their opinions have changed.**

Date of Board Action: _____ February 6, 2016 _____

Board Disposition: Approve Disapprove (Circle One)

Additional Information: _____

Annual Meeting Date Presented to the Delegates: _____ May 1, 2016 _____

Delegates Decision: Approved Disapproved (Circle One)

Signature of presiding President

ARTICLE IV. ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

Section 1

The member clubs in each District of the Association shall elect the Director that will represent the District to the Board of Directors. Each member club of the Association in the District shall complete the certification form for the Director-candidate of their choice. The certification form must be signed by the member club and verified in the minutes of that club, and will then be considered an authorized vote for the individual seeking the position of District Director. The District Director candidate named by a majority of authorized votes of the member clubs of the Association in that District will be declared and recognized as the Director for that District.

Section 2

In single-county districts with a County Association that is incorporated and has a set of bylaws, the Association shall receive each member club's authorized vote from the member county association, as prescribed in Section 10 of this Article.

In single-county districts with no County Association, the Association shall receive each member club's authorized vote directly. In multiple-county districts, the authorized votes of each member club shall be received directly by the Association.

Section 3

If several candidates secure the authorized votes of member clubs in a District, no individual will be recognized as the District Director until that individual secures the authorized votes of the majority of the member clubs in the District that have voted.

Section 4

(Reserved for future use)

Section 5

Each member club of the Association is entitled to one vote to elect the District Director in the member club's District. Each member county association is not entitled to a vote for the District Director.

Section 6

Any District may elect, designate, or choose an Alternate Director to represent the District at Association meetings. Alternate Directors would represent the District only in the event the duly elected Director is not able to attend an Association meeting. Alternate Directors shall not be eligible to represent the District Director until the elected Director has been officially seated as a member of the Board of Directors.

Section 7

A Director may serve consecutive terms.

Section 8

In the event a District is not represented, and after a minimum of three (3) months after the Annual Meeting, the Board of Directors may appoint a District Director to represent that District to the Board of Directors until the next Annual Meeting or until appropriate certification is received from the member clubs or member county association in that District.

Section 9

Each District may set its own residency rules for its Director-candidate seeking election to the Association Board of Directors for that District. A Director shall represent only one (1) district. An elected Director must be a resident of New York State and a member of a local club in that District.

Section 10

The Association Board of Directors shall design the certification form for use by member clubs in each District, through which each member club will determine its authorized vote for its District Director. The Association Office shall mail or electronically mail each member club a certification form at least sixty (60) days prior to the Annual Meeting. The Association shall design a county association certification form, through which each member club in the county association may list the authorized vote of each member in lieu of each member club of the member county association completing individual certification forms. When the member county association certification form is used by the member clubs in the member county association, a record of the authorized votes shall be recorded in the minutes of the member county association. The Association Office shall mail to each member county association the county association certification form at least sixty (60) days prior to the Annual Meeting.

Section 11

All elected District Directors, having met the criteria as prescribed in this Article, shall assume their position immediately following the Association Annual Meeting until the conclusion of the Annual Meeting of the following year.

ARTICLE V. DUTIES OF DIRECTOR

Section 1

The duties of the District Director shall be to provide active leadership for the Association and its activities in the District and:

- (a)** Serve on the Association Board of Directors and attend all its meetings.
- (b)** Act as a liaison and prime link for communication between the Association and the member clubs and member county association in the District; between the Association and local clubs in the District; between the Association and state agencies at the District level; between the Association and other organizations at the District level.

- (c) Serve on at least one (1) Association standing committee.
- (d) Be familiar with these By-laws and perform duties in accordance with the By-laws.
- (e) Work under the general direction of the Board of Directors of the Association.
- (f) Attend at least one (1) regular meeting per year of each club in the District for the purpose of addressing the club meeting and seeking all inputs possible from those at the meeting or attend at least 50% of regularly scheduled County Association meetings each year where all clubs are represented.
- (g) In a single-county district, attend as many District (county association) meetings as possible to report information from Association meetings and to solicit input from those at the District meetings for the Association.
- (h) Meet with the Association membership at any reasonable time and help in the formation of new clubs.
- (i) Be present to assist in the conduct of the Annual Meeting, Special meetings and Board of Director meetings.
- (j) Undertake efforts to secure membership in the Association by clubs, associations, and individuals that are not members of the Association.

Section 2

Removal of an elected Director, Director-at-large, or Officer of the Association.

- (a) Any Officer, elected or appointed Director, or Director-at-large that is not in attendance at three (3) consecutive meetings of the Board of Directors may be removed from his/her position by a two-thirds vote of the members of the Board of Directors in attendance at the regular meeting at which the action is taken. Any elected Director that is being represented by an alternate director is exempt from this action.
- (b) Any Officer or Director may be removed from their office or as a Board of Director member for lack of performance of their office or duties as a Director or conduct unbecoming an officer or member of the Board of Directors of NYSSA with a seventy-five percent (75%) vote of all directors that are present at any board of directors meeting that has a voting quorum of Directors and Officers. A member of the Board of Directors or Officer must be allowed to address the Board of Directors before a vote for their removal is put before the Board of Directors for anything other than lack of attendance at three (3) consecutive meetings as stated in Section 2(a) of these By-Laws. If a member has been removed under Section 2(b) of the By-Laws they will not be allowed to serve as a Director or Officer of the Board in the future.

ARTICLE VII. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1

The Board of Directors shall be comprised of one (1) Director from each District of the State, Directors-at-large, the elected Officers of the Association, and the immediate past-president of the Association.

Section 2

The Board of Directors may designate up to three (3) **Directors-at-large**, who will not be assigned a specific District, but will be available to offer assistance wherever possible. **To be elected at Director-at-large, candidates must secure a majority vote of the Board of Directors at the Directors meeting following the Association Annual Meeting.**

*Director Attendance for the current season is on the next pages.
E = excused I = present*

NYSSA DIRECTOR ATTENDANCE – 2015-16 SEASON-TO-DATE

District	First	Last	May	Jul	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb
Albany/Greene										
Allegany	Edward	Zalar	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Broome	Mike	Blance	1	1	e	1	1	1	1	1
<i>Broome (Alternate)</i>	Josh	Braman		1	1		1	1	1	1
Cattaraugus	George	Couell	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	e
<i>Cattaraugus (Alternate)</i>	Cathy	Hill						1		
<i>Cattaraugus (Alternate)</i>	Rick	Bocharski								
<i>Cattaraugus (Alternate)</i>	Bob	Bach	1	1	1		1	1	1	e
Cayuga	Randy	Coleman	1		1	1	1	1	1	1
<i>Cayuga (Alternate)</i>	Mike	Major	1	1	1			1	1	1
Chautauqua	Jeff	Contino			1	1	1	1	1	1
<i>Chautauqua (Alternate 1)</i>	Ray	Head		1					1	1
<i>Chautauqua (Alternate 2)</i>	Lester	Lucas	1							
Chenango	Erin N.	Pittsley	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
<i>Chenango (Alternate)</i>	Aggie	Lunzman				1	1			
Clinton	Tom	Highers			1	1	1	1		1
Columbia	James R.	Vandenburgh		1	e	E	1	1	E	
<i>Columbia (Alternate)</i>	William	Jennings								
Cortland										
Delaware	David	Sprague	1	E		1	1	1	1	1
<i>Erie (Alternate)</i>	Jim	Teator			1	1	1	E	1	1
<i>Erie & Past Pres.2003-2006</i>	Hal	Fleischman	1				1	1	1	E
Essex										
Franklin	David	Knapp	1		e	1	E	e	E	1
<i>Franklin (Alternate)</i>										
Fulton	Dennis	Wickham						1		1
Genesee	Jane	Chaddock	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
<i>Genesee (Alternate)</i>	Gerry	Ivison								
Hamilton	Paul	Allen					1	e		
<i>Hamilton (Alternate)</i>	Michael	Allen		1						1
Herkimer	Ronald	Barnes	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Herkimer (Alternate) & Past Pres	Jeffrey S.	Johnson								
Jefferson										
Lewis	Jason	Kowalczyk			1	1	1		1	1
<i>Lewis (Alternate)</i>										
Madison	John	Winterton III	1	E	1	1	1	1	1	1
<i>Madison (Alternate)</i>										
Monroe/Livingston										
Montgomery/Schenectady	Karl W.	Gustafson	1	E	1	1	1	1	1	1
Nassau/Suffolk										
Niagara & Past Pres 2010-2013	Gary	Broderick	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Oneida	Jaimie	Warner	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
<i>Oneida (Alternate)</i>	Jeff	Pabis					1	1		1
Onondaga	Tim	Taylor		E	1			1		1
<i>Onondaga (Alternate 1)</i>	Gerry	Gould								
<i>Onondaga (Alternate 2)</i>	Gary	Hodge								
<i>Onondaga (Alternate 3)</i>	John	Russell				1	1		1	1
Ontario	Kevin	McMahon	1	1	1		1		1	1
Orange/Sullivan										
Orleans	Randy	Gurnsey		E	1	1	1	1	1	
<i>Orleans (Alternate)</i>										
Oswego	George	Cummins	1				1	1	1	1
<i>Oswego (Alternate)</i>	Gerald	Arzie Jr		1						
Otsego	Jim	Tiffany			1	E	1	e		1
Rensselaer	Raymond	Buchholz	1		1	1	E	1	1	1
Rockland										
Saratoga	William B	Cook	1	E	1	1	1	1	E	1
Schoharie	Glenn	Hayton	1	1	1	1	1	1	E	1
Schuyler/Tompkins										
Seneca	David	Van Derlinde	E	1	E	1		1	1	1
St. Lawrence & VICE PRESIDENT	Craig	LaPlante	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
<i>St. Lawrence (Alternate)</i>	Kelly	Grammo	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	e
Steuben/Yates	Mark	Wolfanger	1	E	1	1		1	1	1
Tioga/Chemung	Robert K.	Jennings	1	E	1	1	1	1	1	1
Ulster										
Warren										
Washington	Laurie	Desourdy						1	1	1
Wayne	Darlene	Lombardo	1	E	1	E	E	1	1	1
Wayne (Alternate)	Randall	Phillips		1		1	1		1	1
West./Putnam/Dut. & Treasurer	John	Occhino	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Wyoming	Roger	McCabe	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
President (no vote unless tie)	Jim	Elmore	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Secretary	Rosanne	Warner		1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Director at Large	Phil	Laplante	1	E	1	1	1	1	1	1
Director at Large	Dave	Gross	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Director at Large	Kate	Rolf resigned 2/6/16	1	E	1	1	1	1	1	1

Director Certification Form

DISTRICT _____ DATE _____

Name of Elected Director: _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Cell _____

Email _____ NYSSA ID _____

Name of Elected Alternate Director: _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Cell _____

Email _____ NYSSA ID _____

Signature of Association or Federation President: _____

Signature of Association or Federation Secretary: _____

This Certification Form must be returned to the NYSSA Office by May 1st each year.

In the absence of a County Association or Federation, each NYSSA member-club in this District is to be listed below along with a club officer's title and dated signature.

Club	Officer Title	Signature	Date
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____	_____
6. _____	_____	_____	_____
7. _____	_____	_____	_____
8. _____	_____	_____	_____
9. _____	_____	_____	_____

Use Additional Copies of this page if number of clubs in the district exceeds available spaces.

NYSSA DIRECTOR-AT-LARGE ELECTION NOTIFICATION FORM

Please complete the following information. It must be returned to the NYSSA Office no later than: **May 6, 2016.**

Date _____ County of Residence: _____

Name _____

Phone: _____ Cell _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Address _____

I wish to be considered a candidate to be elected as Director-at-large. I believe that I am qualified for this position for the following reasons:

(Signature)

ARTICLE IX. OFFICERS

Section 1

The Officers of this Association shall be the President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, and Treasurer. Each Officer shall be a member of the Association, a member of a local club, and a resident of New York State.

Section 2

The Officers of this Association shall be elected by the club delegates at the Association Annual Meeting, with member clubs being notified in writing at least thirty (30) day prior to the Annual Meeting of a proposed slate of officers as presented by the Nominating Committee. Officers of this Association shall hold office beginning at the conclusion of the Annual Meeting at which the Officer was elected. The term of office for the Officers of this Association ends at the conclusion of the Annual Meeting of the following year.

Section 3

Any compensation accorded an officer shall be recommended by the Board of Directors and voted on at the Annual Meeting by the club delegates present.

Section 4

No person shall simultaneously act as an employee of the Association and either an officer or director of the Association.

Section 5

Unexpired terms of any vacated office may be filled by appointment by the Board of Directors.

Section 6

An individual may serve as President for a maximum of three (3) consecutive one-year terms. After one (1) year has passed, a past-President may be a candidate for President of the Association.

ARTICLE X. DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Section 1

The duties of President are to preside at Board of Director meetings, serve as chairman of the Board of Directors, (preside at all meetings of the Board,) but to vote only to break a tie, be an ex-officio member of all committees, except the Nominating Committee, (and) shall not chair any more than one special project committee, and shall not chair any Standing Association committee, to provide active leadership for the Association, to carry out the recommendations and policies set by the Board of Directors, appoint members to standing and temporary committees as are necessary with the advice and consent of the Board of Directors, and to ensure the right of all visitors to speak to the Board of Directors at each meeting of the Board of Directors during the part of such meetings assigned to public comment.

Section 2

The duties of Vice-president are to officiate in the absence of the President and to assist the President in carrying out his/her duties.

Section 3

The duties of the Recording Secretary are to keep a permanent record of the minutes of all Annual, Special, and Regular Meetings of the Board of Directors. The Recording Secretary shall serve on the Events and Promotions Committee.

Section 4

The duties of Treasurer are to maintain or cause to be maintained all accounts of the Association and have charge of its funds. He/she or his/her designate shall deposit all sums received in any bank which shall be designated by the Board of

Directors in the name of the Association. He/she shall disburse the funds of the Association under the direction of the Board of Directors. He/she shall cause a certified audit to be made at least annually and submitted to the membership at their Annual Meeting. The Treasurer shall serve on the Budget and Finance Committee.

Section 5

The duties of Executive Director shall be to perform all duties prescribed to the position by the Association Board of Directors.

Section 6

The duties of Trail Coordinator shall be to perform all duties prescribed to the position by the Association Board of Directors through the Trails Funding and Development Committee. The Trail Coordinator shall serve on the Trails Funding and Development Committee.

Section 7

It is the duty of all officers to carry out assigned and designated tasks at the direction of the Association Board of Directors.



See you in Lake Placid!

For registration:

<https://www.regonline.com/2016-forum>

Book a hotel online:

<https://reservations.meetingslakeplacid.com/start.php?i=37>

The most up to date info is always at:

www.nyssaforum.com



NYSSA OFFICER NOMINATION FORM

Any individual interested in running for a NYSSA Office, as governed by the NYSSA By-Laws, may do so by completing this form and either mail, fax or email it to the NYSSA Office or deliver it to the Nominating Ad Hoc Committee by using this email:

nom-com@nysnowmobiler.com. The 2016 Nominating Committee consists of:

Mike Blance, Broome County Director,
Ray Head, Chautauqua County Director,
Bob Jennings, Tioga/Chemung Director,
Roger McCabe, Wyoming County Director,
John Winterton III, Madison County Director.

All persons completing the Nomination Form must be considered as a candidate for office. The Nominations Ad Hoc Committee may recommend its slate from the candidates, but all candidates must be listed on the ballot for election.

Each nomination form must be completed and signed by the date approved by the BOD.
(March 15, 2016)

At the NYSSA Annual Meeting, all candidates must make an election statement to the voting delegates prior to the actual voting for that office.

NOMINATION FORM

Date Due: **March 15, 2016** Date Filed: _____ Date Received: _____

Office Being Sought: _____

Candidate Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Cell _____

Email _____ Member ID _____

Signature: _____

Nominated by: _____