



DISTRICT GOVERNOR NOMINATIONS FOR 2028-2029

Qualifications

- Must be a Rotarian for 7 years by 7/1/2028
- Past Club President
- Rotarian in Good Standing
- Collaborative, passionate and committed!

How to Nominate:

- Submit a Governor Nominee form (signed by club secretary and candidate).
- Resume of rotary, work and life experience.
- Headshot
- Club resolution naming the candidate to be nominated

Where to submit:

- Send applications or inquiries to PDG Tom Crowley
- thomasjohncrowley@gmail.com
- 631-332-7390
- The application is on Rotary7255.org under “About District 7255” - Forms and Downloads.
- Interviews are November 15th at 9am in Plainview

Nomination deadline is September 15th, 2025

Nominating Committee Candidates also being sought.

- One Rotarian representative from each area.
- Cannot serve 2 consecutive years.
- Must be able to attend interviews on November 15th.
- Preference to candidates who have not served on nominating committee in the past.

Be part of the team that chooses our next DG!

Governor-nominee Designate Form

District governor candidate:

Please complete and sign this form, have your club secretary sign it, and submit it to the district nominating committee.

Governor year of service _____ District _____ Zone _____ RI membership ID number _____

Family name _____ First name _____ Middle initial _____

Name as it should appear on your badge _____

Member, Rotary Club of _____ Classification _____

Please ensure that your contact information (e-mail, postal address and phone number) is up-to-date in My Rotary!

Language(s) in which you are fluent (listed in order of fluency):

Language(s) you wish to use for communicating with RI (listed in order of fluency):

Read _____ Speak _____

For each of the following categories, please circle only one language per category.

International Assembly:	English	French	Japanese	Korean	Portuguese	Spanish								
Publications available in 6 languages:	English	French	Japanese	Korean	Portuguese	Spanish								
Publications available in 9 languages:	English	French	German	Italian	Japanese	Korean	Portuguese	Spanish	Swedish					
Publications available in 14 languages:	Arabic	Chinese	English	Finnish	French	German	Hindi	Italian	Japanese	Korean	Portuguese	Spanish	Swedish	Thai

Spouse/Partner Information (if applicable)

Family name _____ First name _____ Middle initial _____

Name as it should appear on your badge _____

E-mail _____ Gender ☐ Male ☐ Female

For each of the following categories, please circle only one language per category.

International Assembly:	Chinese	English	French	German	Hindi	Italian	Japanese	Korean	Portuguese	Spanish	Swedish
Publications available in 6 languages:	English	French	Japanese	Korean	Portuguese	Spanish					

For Rotarian Spouses/Partners only:

Member, Rotary Club of _____ RI membership ID number _____



Governor-nominee Designate Data Form

PRIVACY

Your privacy is important to Rotary and the personal data you share with Rotary will only be used for essential activities or for Rotary's legitimate interests taking into account your privacy rights. These uses include financial processing, supporting The Rotary Foundation, facilitating event planning, communicating key organizational messages and responding to your inquiries. In addition, your contact information will be shared with other Rotarians and included in the International Assembly Participant Book. Rotary's privacy policy can be found [here](#).

CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT

I hereby state that I understand clearly the qualifications, duties, and responsibilities of the office of district governor as set forth in the RI Bylaws and that I am fully qualified for said office and willing and able, physically and otherwise, to assume and fulfill the duties and responsibilities of that office and to perform them faithfully. Further, I have read and agreed to abide by the district governor code of ethics, as detailed in the Rotary Code of Policies. I agree in advance to accept the decision of the RI Board concerning my election to office without recourse to any non-Rotary agency or other dispute resolution system and further accept that any court costs and attorney's fees incurred by RI in enforcing this agreement shall be reimbursed by me in their entirety. I understand that if selected, I must attend, for their full duration, the governors-elect training seminar in my zone and the International Assembly to be held the Rotary year before taking office. I have read this form in its entirety and certify that all the information provided on this form is true and correct.

Date

Signature

CLUB'S STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE'S QUALIFICATIONS

The candidate herein mentioned is a member in good standing of the Rotary Club of _____.

The club further attests that this member has been duly suggested for the office of district governor under RI Bylaws 12.030.3. and meets the qualifications as specified in RI Bylaws 16.010. and that the club membership information on this form is accurate.

Date

Club Secretary's Name

Club Secretary's Signature

CERTIFICATE OF NOMINATION

The Rotarian named on this form is a member in good standing of the Rotary club listed and was duly nominated for district governor in accordance with the provisions of the RI Bylaws.

Date

District Governor's Name

District Governor's Signature

District governor: Please e-mail this form to your [CDS representative](#) by 30 June.

Rotary District 7255 District Governor Nominating Policies
Relevant Governance Document Excerpts

Committee Membership

Rotary District 7255 Bylaws v.01-13-2024 (Pages 22-23)

C.06 DISTRICT GOVERNOR NOMINATING

Purpose: To promote, recruit and interview prospective candidates for the office of District Governor. The Committee shall recommend the best candidate in accordance with Rotary International Governance Documents and shall submit one name to the District Governor. 23

Chair: Must be an Active member, preferably a PDG, selected by District Governor Elect to work with Assistant Governors to ensure each District Area is represented. Will be responsible for hosting and leading meetings and be reimbursed for any reasonable expenses.

Foreman: Committee shall select a foreman to lead the interview committee through deliberations. Nominating Chair not to be present for interview and process.

Members: The committee should be comprised of one representative of each of D7255's Areas, with a maximum of three PDGs and minimum of one PDG who has served within the past 5 years, and with a minimum of 11 committee members present, every effort will be made to have an odd number committee. If an even number of committee members, the foreman will not vote. No Rotarian will serve two consecutive years.

In the event that a nominee for DG is a member of the same Club as one of the members of the Committee or if a member of the Committee has strong personal or business ties with a nominee then that Committee member shall declare a potential conflict of interest and step down from the Committee; the Area's Alternate shall replace them.

Scheduling: To be done in accordance with RI Governance Documents with the objective of having a DG nomination completed and confirmed within the first 6 months of the Rotary Year.

Rotary International Manual of Procedure 2022 (Page 35)

12.030. *Nominating Committee Process.*

12.030.1. *Nominating Committee for Governor.*

In districts adopting a nominating committee procedure, the committee shall seek out and propose the best qualified candidate for governor-nominee. The terms of reference of the committee, including the method for selecting members, shall be determined in a resolution adopted by the electors present and voting at a district conference. The terms of reference must not be inconsistent with the bylaws.

12.030.2. *Failure to Select Members of the Nominating Committee.*

Any district that has adopted the nominating committee procedure but fails to select the members of the committee shall select the five most recent past governors who are still members of a club in that district as its nominating committee. The committee shall function in accordance with section 12.030. If five past governors are not available, the RI president shall appoint additional members from that district so that the committee has five members.

12.030.3. *Club Suggestions for Governor.*

The governor shall invite clubs to submit their suggestions for nominations for governor. The invitation is to be made at least two months before suggestions are due to the nominating committee. The suggestions shall be submitted by a resolution naming the suggested candidate adopted at a regular club meeting and certified by the secretary. A club shall only suggest one of its own members.

12.030.4. *Nomination by Committee of Best Qualified Rotarian.*

The committee shall nominate the best qualified Rotarian who is available to serve as governor and not be limited to those names submitted by clubs in the district.

12.030.5. *Notification of Nomination.*

The chair of the nominating committee shall notify the governor of the candidate selected within 24 hours of the adjournment of the nominating committee. Within three days of the receipt of the notice, the governor shall notify the clubs in writing of the name and club of the nominee.

Candidate Qualifications

Rotary International Manual of Procedure 2022 (Page 42)

16.010. *Qualifications of a Governor-nominee.*

Unless excused by the board, the person selected as a governor-nominee shall at the time of selection: (a) be a member in good standing of a functioning club in the district; (b) have served as club president for a full term or as charter president for at least six months; (c) demonstrate willingness, commitment, and ability to fulfill the duties and responsibilities of a governor in section 16.030.; (d) demonstrate knowledge of the qualifications, duties, and responsibilities of governor as prescribed in the bylaws; and (e) submit to RI a statement that the Rotarian understands those qualifications, duties, and responsibilities, is qualified for the office of governor, and is willing and able to assume and faithfully perform those duties and responsibilities.