

August 23rd, 2014

Dear Fellow Dowites,

The Election and Nomination Committee of DOGANA is calling the general membership to nominate candidates for the post of Officers and Councilors of DOGANA 2015.

The elections will be held for the posts of President-Elect, General-Secretary, Treasurer and Councilors. There are a total of 8 posts of Councilors. 1 councilor each from East, Central, Mountain and Pacific time zones, 1 Councilor from Canada and 3 Councilor-at-Large (Residing in any part of North America).

As per the constitution, nominated candidates should be duly proposed and seconded by members in good standing. If a candidate self nominates himself/herself, he/she will need 3 members in good standing to second his/her nomination. (Please refer to CABL 18.2.3, 18.2.4, 18.2.5). The election fee for the posts of Officers (President-Elect, Gen. Secretary & Treasurer) is \$500 and for Councilors is \$250 payable to DOGANA.

The nominations can be sent via email no later than 12PM(midnight) Eastern Standard Time, on 9/8/14. Please send your nomination to Sajid M Zafar, MD, Chairman Election and Nomination Committee (sajidzafar@yahoo.com) AND to DrTalhaSiddiqui (talsid1963@gmail.com) Executive Director, DOGANA (Election fee is not required in the initial nomination).

Please make note the last date of nomination is <u>9/8/12 till midnight</u> <u>EST.</u> This and further notices will be posted on the organization's web site <u>www.dowalumni.com</u> and at DOGANA face book page. Members are requested to visit our website for updates.

Thank you,

Sajid M Zafar, M.D Chairman Election and Nomination Committee 2014, DOGANA