

ACA Nominating Committee Report, June 12, 2025

Pursuant to the Association's By-Laws, President-Elect Denise Kraft automatically becomes President and President Andrew Schpak, automatically becomes Immediate Past President. Also pursuant to the By-Laws, Andrew Schpak as Immediate Past President and Joy Lambert Phillips as Past President are designated Ex Officio Board members.

The officers nominated for 2025-26 include:

President – Denise Kraft
President-Elect / Secretary – Steve Younger
Treasurer / Vice President – Richard Raleigh
Vice-President (of Membership) – Aurora Austriaco
Immediate Past President – Andrew Schpak

The slate of nominees for the **Director Class with term ending 2028:**

- Sam Edmunds – Minnesota
- Benjamin Strauss – Delaware
- James “Jamie” Low – Michigan
- Anthony Ciolli – Connecticut
- Ashley Belleau – Louisiana

We have one vacancy in the Director Class with term ending 2026 and one vacancy in the Director Class with term ending in 2027.

The nominee for the **Director Class with term ending 2026:**

- Deb Scudiere – West Virginia

The nominee for the **Director Class with term ending 2027:**

- Nicole Arrindell – New York

The members of the Nominating Committee: Chair – Joy Lambert Phillips, Vice Chair – Ashley Belleau, Denise Kraft, Andrew Schpak, and Steve Younger.