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Board of Directors Election History

Terms beginning in January 2010: Frank Cockrell, Larry Shanks, and Steve Rideout were elected to three-year terms.

Terms beginning in January 2011: Jim McKeivitt (three years); Judy Pulliam (replaced by Matt Perry in June 2012); Ed Loth (replaced by Bob Jacobsen in April 2012 who was replaced by Dick Gritman in March 2013).

Terms beginning 2012: Mamie Parker, Donna Stanek, and Bob Stevens were elected to three-year terms. (Election was delayed until April 2012).

Terms beginning January 2013: Larry Shanks (re-elected), Jerry Grover, and Gail Carmody elected to three-year terms.

Terms beginning January 2014: Jim McKeivitt (re-elected), Matt Perry (re-elected), and Nell Baldacchino elected to three-year terms. Bob Streeter was appointed to fill the remaining one year of the seat vacated by the resignation of Bob Stevens.

Terms beginning January 2015: Mamie Parker (re-elected), Bob Streeter (re-elected), and Robin Fields elected to three-year terms.

Terms beginning January 2016: No election was held, since only three candidates were running. Gail Carmody, Jerry Grover, and Larry Shanks all re-appointed to three-year terms. John Cornely appointed to fill the remaining two years of the seat vacated by the resignation of Robin Fields.

Terms beginning January 2017: Jim McKeivitt was re-elected and Rowan Gould and Skip Ladd elected to new terms of three years each.

Terms beginning January 2018: Deborah Holle was elected to a three-year term; Bob Streeter and John Cornely were re-elected to three-year terms. Robin West was selected to fill the remaining two years of a vacated seat.

Terms beginning January 2019: Cindy Barry, Steve Rideout, and Doug Frugé were elected to three-year terms.

Terms beginning January 2020: No election was needed since only three candidates were running. Robin West, Jim McKeivitt, and Nancy Gloman were confirmed to three-year terms.

Terms beginning January 2021: Deborah Holle was re-elected and Denise Baker and Paul Tritaik were elected to new three-year terms each. Lew Gorman was selected to serve out the remainder of Jim McKeivitt's term (two years).

Terms beginning January 2022: Cindy Barry, Steve Rideout and Doug Frugé were re-elected to three-year terms.

Terms beginning January 2023: Helen Clough and Layne Hamilton were elected to three-year terms. Lew Gorman was re-elected to a three-year term. Conrad Fjetland was elected to serve out the two-year remainder of Steve Rideout's term. May 2023: Layne Hamilton resigns, and Patrick Martin was appointed to serve the remainder of her three-year term.

Terms beginning January 2024: Deborah Holle and Paul Tritaik were seeking re-election, and Denise Baker was stepping off the Board, leaving one vacancy. Jessy Jacobs was the only nomination, so she filled the third position, without the need for an election.

Terms beginning January 2025: Cindy Barry and Conrad Fjetland were seeking re-election. Doug Frugé was stepping off the Board, leaving one vacancy. Chris Cline was the only nomination, so she filled the third position, without the need for an election.

Terms beginning January 2026: Helen Clough, Lew Gorman, and Patrick Martin were seeking re-election to their three-year terms. Chris Cline resigned and Peggy Hobbs was the only nomination, therefore Peggy will serve the remaining two years of Chris's term. No election was needed.