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Project Management Institute
Portland Chapter

Official Ballot

Annual Election of Officers

2007-08 Board of Directors

PMI Membership #: _____

Your PMI membership # must be included for your ballot to be counted. Only PMI Portland Chapter members in good standing may vote.

See the PMI Portland website for detailed Voter's Pamphlet and information about positions, candidates, and electronic voting: <http://www.pmi-portland.org/>.

All write-ins must be local chapter member in good standing.

OFFICE	NOMINEE - Select one for each position		OFFICE	NOMINEE - Select one for each position	
President-Elect	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dianne Johnson, PMP	VP Membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gary Coates, PMP
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Write In _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	Write In _____
Secretary	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rodger Clawson, PMP	VP Professional Development	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pamela Banning, PMP
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Write In _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	Write In _____
VP Finance	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mark Molau, PMP	VP Programs	<input type="checkbox"/>	Tim O'Connor, PMP
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Write In _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	Write In _____
VP At Large	<input type="checkbox"/>	Alan John, PMP	VP Operations	<input type="checkbox"/>	Jeff Turner, PMP
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Joseph Marietta, PMP		<input type="checkbox"/>	Write In _____
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VP Marketing & Outreach	<input type="checkbox"/>	Greg Spehar, PMP	Incoming President		George Walker, PMP
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Write In _____	Incoming Past President		Cynthia Miller, PMP

Ballots are due by 5:00 pm. Friday, May 18, 2007.
Election results will be announced on the Chapter website.
Mail your ballot to PMI-Portland Chapter, P.O. Box 5966, Portland, Oregon 97228; drop off at the May chapter dinner meeting; or fax to (503) 222-3544.

Candidate Profiles

DIANNE JOHNSON, PMP **President-Elect Candidate**

I am married, no children, three dogs and two cats. I am involved with local aviation community and taking flying lessons. On a professional note, I have been a project manager for many years and earned my PMP in 2003. I have served four terms on the board and would like to continue my association with a quality group of people. I hope I have contributed as much to the board and the chapter as the board has contributed to my personal and professional growth.

MARK MOLAU, PMP **VP Finance Candidate**

Mark founded a consulting firm working with technology businesses to accelerate their growth and operations improvement needs. Previously, he was a director at Hewlett Packard with roles in finance, IT and R&D including program and project management. Prior to HP, he was a consultant with Price Waterhouse. Mark is interested in becoming more involved with PMI Portland activities to provide greater support for local project managers and to leverage his past business, management and project management experience to advance the efforts and impact of the Portland PMI chapter. He is involved in many Oregon associations (Portland Business Alliance, Software Association of Oregon, Oregon Entrepreneur's Forum, Open Source Development Lab, OSU Corvallis Open Source Labs) and others. He would like to better link his involvement with the Portland PMI chapter and these organizations to increase the impact of effective project management and develop new opportunities for PMPs in the Portland metro area.

RODGER CLAWSON, PMP Secretary Candidate

Rodger is a past president of the Portland Chapter and is currently the "CEO" of the Salem Chapter and the two branches at Eugene and Bend.

ALAN JOHN, PMP VP At-Large Candidate

Alan is certified PMP and is a Senior Project Manager with over 25 years' experience in managing large programs, individual projects and technical / engineering teams at various high tech companies, including fiber optic data communications, silicon and systems at Intel Corporation, and most recently as a consultant a small silicon start-up and currently the State of Oregon. Alan is a U.S Navy submarine service veteran with a BSEE from the University of Idaho in 1982, and an MS in Engineering Management from OGI, Beaverton in 1997. He has served as the industry chair to the University of Idaho, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering for Curriculum the past 6 years. He wants to promote and support the PMI-Portland chapter however possible. He has many years of leadership and hands on experience in project management, program and engineering management to provide to the chapter.

JOSEPH MARIETTA, PMP VP At Large Candidate

As VP of Marketing & Outreach in 2004 and 2005, I provided leadership to establish the chapter's Outreach program. I enjoyed fostering relationships with chapter businesses, facilitating chapter sponsorship, advertising, involvement, and support. As a chapter board member, I participated in the development of the new board structure and helped to develop growth and support strategies. I'm familiar with the structure, processes, and the demands of each position. My time as both a Chapter member and as a board member has been extremely rewarding. On a daily basis, I apply the concepts I've learned here as I lead large and small projects as a senior PM at PacifiCorp. It's again time to give something back to a chapter that has provided career guidance and momentum, and fostered many professional and private friendships. PMI-Portland chapter membership has propelled me on my Project Management career path. I've fostered many long-term friendships while a member. Monthly meetings and events have taught me the art and science of Project Management, and the nuances of the Project Management industry. I apply these concepts daily as I lead large and small projects as a senior PM at PacifiCorp.

GREG SPEHAR, PMP VP Marketing and Outreach Candidate

I have performed Project Management services for a number of great companies including IBM, McDonnell Douglas, Boeing, NASA, FedEx, Nike, State of Oregon, Intel and Point B. I passed my PMP Exam the fall of 2005 and am excited to continue to make a positive contribution to the PMI Portland Chapter. I have brought new ideas and energy to the PMI Portland Chapter in the area of Marketing and Outreach and would like to continue with that effort. We have made many improvements and changes such as creating the following positions: Sponsorship & Marketing, Content Management, Public Relations, Jobs Request Management, Corporate Outreach and Academic and Community Outreach. It has been fun meeting and working with people in my own field. I have found few people in the Portland working environment that understand the value of Project Management and I am confident that this group can help change that perception. This position has allowed me to grow, make new friends and develop lasting business connections.

GARY COATES, PMP VP Membership Candidate

Gary is a Project Manager for Unitus Community Credit Union in Portland, and is responsible for managing cross-departmental project teams and coaching/mentoring senior management and functional managers on project management methodologies. Prior to Unitus, Gary held various management positions as a co-founder of Corillian Corporation. Gary is a certified PMP. Gary has served as the VP of Membership for the past year and really enjoyed it. He has implemented some ideas over the past year and looks forward to implementing additional member benefits along with advocating the PMI message next year.

PAMELA BANNING, PMP VP Professional Development Candidate

Continually seeking knowledge; an avid puzzle player, I've migrated from technical work in medical laboratories to project management in healthcare information systems throughout US and Canada. Raised as an Air Force brat, Boise State grad, married 26 years, raised 2 kids. I love reading, motorcycle riding, and RV trips. I think I can contribute to the Board in a positive manner, with ideas on improving certification and professional development.

TIM O'CONNOR, PMP VP Programs Candidate

Tim is currently volunteering as the Director of Public Relations for the Portland Chapter of PMI and often volunteers to assist at the monthly dinner meetings. For the past eight years, he has managed new product development projects for a local sports optics manufacturer where he is also working on initiating global project management. Tim holds a BA in Secondary Education, Certificate of Lean Manufacturing, Certificate of Advanced PM, and is a PMP. Tim's colorful employment history includes the cruise industry, high school English teacher and Forest Service Firefighter Hotshot. Currently, he and his wife manage a small hobby farm. Along with his dedication to the field of project management and to the great work PMI Portland has done for local project managers, he hopes to add to his list of experiences all that this position has to offer.

JEFF TURNER, PMP VP Operations Candidate

Jeff is an accomplished IT Professional with over 13 years of Consulting and Project Management experience in the forest products, retail, and manufacturing industries. He has guided Portland area companies through software selection, development, and installation projects as an independent consultant since 1999. He is the incumbent VP Operations, and wants to continue in order to complete the new direction we are taking in supplying new technology to the organization.