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WIPLA Nominations 2010-2011

WIPLA's Nominating Committee is pleased to announce the following candidates for Officers and Directors for next year, 2010-2011:

OFFICERS (3 positions):

President: Jonathan M. Fritz
President-Elect: Joseph T. Harcarik
Secretary/Treasurer: Garet K. Galster

DIRECTORS (8 positions):

- (1) Jonathan M. Fritz (Officer)
- (2) Joseph T. Harcarik (Officer)
- (3) Garet K. Galster (Officer)
- (4) Melissa S. Hockersmith (Past President)
- (5) Ted J. Barthel
- (6) Kristin Chapman
- (7) Nicholas A. Kees (new to the Board)
- (8) Aaron T. Olejniczak (new to the Board)

We anticipate finalizing these appointments at our Annual Meeting on June 29, 2010, following our Golf Outing at the Broadlands Golf Club in North Prairie.

According to WIPLA's by-laws:

- Other candidates may also be nominated by any two members at the Annual Meeting.
- If two or more candidates are nominated for a position, a vote can be taken by a secret written ballot, and the candidate receiving a plurality of the votes cast shall be declared elected. Otherwise, the vote may be by acclamation.

Congratulations, and thanks, to our nominees, and **thanks to all for a great WIPLA Year!**