**BOD 2016 Election**

The vote on election for Board of Directors will take place from Friday, May 6 through Noon on Friday, May 20, 2016.

**Election Procedures**

Recognizing the accuracy, convenience and efficiency of electronic balloting, the bylaws allow for electronic transmission and members are encouraged to use this method of voting.

**How to Vote For BOD Candidates**

On May 6, members with an email address will receive an email with the subject line, **2016 OLLI Ballot for Board of Directors**. This email will contain a unique link to the 2016 OLLI BOD Ballot. The link is specific to the recipient and cannot be forwarded, transferred or shared with another member. Clicking on the link will take you to the online ballot to cast your vote. If you do not receive this email be sure to first check your spam/trash files, if not found then, contact the OLLI office (703-503-3384 or olli@gmu.edu).

Any OLLI member who does not have an email address or requests a paper ballot will receive one by mail with an addressed envelope marked BALLOT ENCLOSED.  Please notify the OLLI office to request a mailed ballot. Use this ballot to vote for up to six candidates; you can mail the ballot to OLLI or drop it in a ballot box at Tallwood, Reston or Loudoun.  Since you do not sign the ballot or return envelope, your vote remains completely anonymous.  To be counted, all ballots must *be received by noon* on May 20, 2016.

**Do not lose your ballot**: No member having lost, damaged or destroyed his/her mailed ballot may receive a second ballot.  Making more than six choices will invalidate your ballot.   Similarly, more than one ballot per envelope, any ballot not in the furnished BALLOT ENCLOSED envelope, or not received by May 20 will be invalid.  If you have questions about the election process, contact any member of the nominating committee: Michelle Blandburg (chair), Toni Acton, Dave Mason, Ray Beery, Camille Hodges, Beth Lambert, Ted Parker and Martha Powers.

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