



THE GRAND LODGE OF SASKATCHEWAN

Office of the Grand Secretary

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TO THE SECRETARIES OF ALL CONSTITUENT LODGES:

RE: NOMINATIONS

The following nominations have been submitted for **Grand Lodge Officers** and in accordance with Section 31 of the Constitution (2024), these will be presented at the 2025 Communication of the Grand Lodge to be held June 20 & 21, 2025 in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.

Grand Master	• RW Bro. Troy LeBlanc (25)
Deputy Grand Master	• RW Bro. Mike Keogan (72, 174)
Grand Senior Warden*	• RW Bro. Gord Davey (99)
Grand Junior Warden*	• RW Bro. Erwin Marbella (217)
Grand Treasurer*	• RW Bro. Greg Lowe (11)
Grand Registrar*	• RW Bro. Chris Beebe (72)

Biographies for the above brethren are enclosed.

The terms of two members of the Board of Trustees, RW Bro. Chris Beebe (72) and RW Bro. John Bower (11) will expire in June of 2025. Neither are eligible for re-election as they have served two consecutive 3-year terms. Last year only one nomination was received before the deadline of May 31, 2024, for the two vacant positions. To cover the 2nd position, RW Bro. Jeff Young was appointed for a 1-year term only, which will expire in June 2025. He is eligible to be nominated this year. Nominations for the two 3-year terms and the one 2-year term on the Board are to be submitted on or before May 31, 2025.

***In accordance with Section 31 of the Constitution since fewer than three nominations for the offices of Grand Senior Warden, Grand Junior Warden, Grand Treasurer and Grand Registrar were received, nominations will be re-opened until May 1, 2025.**

Sincerely and fraternally,

Dean Elliott, PGM
Grand Secretary

cc: Board of General Purposes

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RW Bro. Troy LeBlanc

I grew up in the small fishing village of Fox Point, NS and moved to Estevan, Saskatchewan on July 4th, 2005. I am currently on medical leave as Fireman-Caretaker with the Southeast Cornerstone Public School Division at Estevan Comprehensive School.

Since moving to Estevan in 2005, I have been very active in the community, volunteering and helping establish the Veterans Memorial Park and Soldiers Tree Monument. I served the Royal Canadian Legion as Branch President 2012-2017 and Deputy Zone Commander 2016-2018 and have served as Chairman of the Remembrance Day Services for the city of Estevan since 2008. I also served as Canadian Sgt-At-Arms for the annual Memorial Day-Hands across the border ceremonies for 10 years.

Formerly, I was a member of Estevan Elks No. 113 where I served as Exalted Ruler 2011-2012 and District Deputy in 2013-2015. I am currently the Supply Officer of 2901 PPCLI Estevan Elks Princess Patricia's Light Infantry Canadian Cadet Corps, serving as Civilian Member. I am Executive Assistant Director with the Southeast Military Museum in Estevan. My hobbies include historical research, and collecting Sci-fi Memorabilia

I was raised in Estevan Lodge No. 25 in 2009 and served as Worshipful Master in 2014 and Secretary from 2016-present. I served Grand Lodge as DDGM from 2016-2020, Youth Committee Chairman 2019-2022, Grand Junior Warden 2022-2023, Grand Senior Warden 2023-2024 and Deputy Grand Master 2024-2025.

I belong to the Regina Valley of Scottish Rite, Estevan Chapter No. 8 Royal Arch Masons, where I served as First Principal from 2017-2022 and Grand 1st Principal of Grand Chapter in 2023-2024. I have been a member of Wa Wa Shriners since 2009, Secretary SE Shrine Club 2012-Present and Legion of Honour Founding Commander 2018.

I also belong to Saskatchewan Council No. 6, Cryptic Rite Masons (2019), Wascana Preceptory & Priory No. 51 (2019), Wakamow Council No. 21, Allied Masonic Degrees of Canada, Saskatchewan Conclave No. 14, Red Cross of Constantine (2022), Prairie Lily College No. 71, York Rite College (2023) and Lux in Occident College, SRICF (2023).

RW Bro. Michael Keogan

I was born in Biggar, Saskatchewan and resided there until 1977 when I joined the Canadian Navy. I left the Navy in 1980 and pursued several different jobs until 1987 when I took a meat cutting course in Saskatoon and was then hired by Westfair Foods/ Loblaw Companies Ltd. I spent 25 years in several various positions with LCL before retiring in 2013 and my wife and I immediately purchased a franchise grocery store in Regina, Mikes Independent Grocer. We sold that franchise in 2023 and have been enjoying our retirement.

As your Grand Senior Warden my travel and visitation has been limited by an issue with my hip, however, I now have a surgery scheduled which should remedy this situation. I look forward to getting back into the lodges and participating with the brethren.

I was received into St. Andrews Lodge No. 174 in May of 2007 and served as WM in 2013. I affiliated into Corinthian lodge No. 72 in 2012 and served as WM there in 2015,16 and 17. I served as Grand Steward in 2014. I have served two terms on the Board of Trustees, and I also served as DDGM for District No.2 and now have added the honor of serving as your Grand Junior Warden and now Grand Senior Warden over the last two terms.

I joined Wa Wa Shriners in 2017 and have three times served on the Divan. I joined York Rite in Prince of Wales Chapter No. 27 in 2018 and am a member of the Royal Order of Scotland.

My wife Bonnie and I continue to reside in Regina enjoying our recently renovated home and spending time with and supporting our three adult children, David, Dillon, and Fallon.

RW Bro. Gord Davey

I was born in Winnipeg, Manitoba and moved often while growing up. These locations include Saskatoon, Sudbury and Komoka, ON. In my Grade 12 year, we returned to Winnipeg; six months later we ended up in the Calgary area where I finished my high school.

My formal University education included completing my Bachelor of Science in Agriculture at the University of Saskatchewan in 1991. In 2005 I furthered my education, completing my MBA in AG Business from the University of Guelph's distance program in 2008.

The first two years of my career were working for MTC, a pharmaceutical company, selling veterinary pharmaceuticals and supplies. In 1994 I returned to Saskatoon to begin my 25-year career with the Co-op system in the Feed Industry. I fulfilled the roles of Sales Representative, Marketing Co-ordinator, Marketing Director, and Department Director for Federated Co-operatives. In 2013 I moved to Interprovincial Co-operative to lead the Feed Department procuring high value feed ingredients for regional Co-operatives across Canada. In 2018 I retired and began to focus exclusively on our beef cattle operation. In 2020 I started my home based travel agency, Davey Vacations, specializing in cruise vacations and travel insurance.

My wife Dawn and our three adult children, Conner, Morgan, and Jessica, own and operate Rivendale Cattle Company, a purebred Angus and Shorthorn beef herd. We market breeding stock, commercial cattle, and boxed beef. It has been a privilege to watch our children develop the same passion for Agriculture that Dawn and I share.

I was received into Elstow Lodge No. 147 in 2000 and served as Worshipful Master from 2003 to 2005. I later moved to Goose Lake Lodge No. 99. I served Grand Lodge as Grand Steward in 2006-2007. I have a passion for the Craft, and I am a member of both York Rite and Scottish Rite as well as other Concordant bodies associated with those Rites. In 2015, I was Coroneted as an Honourary Inspector General 33^o. I am also a proud member of the Shrine following in the footsteps of my father and grandfather. A special moment in my Masonic career was raising both my sons together on our farm.

RW Bro. Erwin Serrano-Marbella.

I was born in Bayasang Pilar Sorsogon, Philippines. I graduated in International Academy of Management and Economics (IAME)-Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (Major in Management). I worked at Philippine Government - Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR) for 13 years, (a collecting tax agency).

I landed as an immigrant in June 2009 and become a Canadian Citizen on February 11, 2016. I am currently working at the University of Saskatchewan as a Building Service Technician and holding the position of 2nd Vice President of Union CUPE Local 1975 for 3 terms.

I was initiated, Passed and Raised into Saskatoon Central Lodge No. 217 in 2014 and served as a Worshipful Master in 2020. I have affiliated with Twin City Lodge No. 89 and Victory Lodge No. 144. I was elected as District Deputy Grand Master for District No. 5 for 2 years term (2022-2024).

I am a member of different branches of Free Masonry: Scottish Rite Valley Saskatoon, Royal Arch Masonry Chapter No. 4, Cryptic Rite, WAWA Shriners Saskatoon – June 2019 (currently 1st Vice President), Shriners Clown Unit and Royal Order of Scotland.

I have a wonderful family, married for 22 ½ years to my supportive wife, Ladee Dannel and have three beautiful daughters Aina Maree – currently a University of Saskatchewan student, Iana Maree – 8th grade and Aila Maree – 6th grade. We are proud to say that we have raised them with GOD fearing and respectful.

RW Bro. Greg Lowe

I was born in Balcarres, SK in 1957, and grew up on the family farm. After graduating high school, I attended the Saskatchewan Technical Institute (now SIAST) and graduated in 1979 with a Diploma of Applied Arts in Accounting.

After graduation I worked at Frank Flaman Wholesale; Genstar Cement and Consumers Co-operative Refineries Limited in the accounting departments, retiring from CCRL in 2014 after 32 years. In December, 2022 I stepped down as the bookkeeper of the Highland Curling Club after 8 years.

I was received into Nanatah Lodge No.53 in Balcarres in March, 1980, and first served as Worshipful Master in 1986; amalgamated and served as Worshipful Master and finally Secretary of Qu'Appelle Valley Lodge No. 4 until 2015. I affiliated with NWMP Lodge No.11 in January 2016.

I am a member of Royal Arch Masons, Knights Templar, Cryptic Rite Masons and the Red Cross of Constantine. I have been the Grand Treasurer for the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Mason of Saskatchewan since May of 2020. I served the Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan as DDGM for District 4 in 2009, 2012 and 2013; and have been the current Grand Treasurer since June 2023.

RW Bro. Chris Beebe

I was received into King Hiram Lodge No. 104 in 2010 and served as Worshipful Master in 2014, 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2022. I served as Worshipful Master of Corinthian Lodge No. 72 in 2013, 2014 and 2024 and am now the secretary. I am on the Board of the Masonic Temple Trustees in Regina and am an active member of the District No. 2 Masonic Council.

As a Royal Arch Mason, I was First Principal of Prince of Wales Chapter No.27 in 2018, Grand Tyler in 2014-2015, Grand Pursuivant 2016-2017, Grand Superintendent for District No. 1 in 2019-2021 and Grand Registrar from 2021 – 2024. I was elected Grand Principal Sojourner for the 2024-2025 year and am nominated for Grand Joshua for 2025-2026.

Other Masonic bodies include Cryptic Rite, Saskatchewan No. 6 - Thrice Illustrious Master 2022, Allied Masonic Degrees, Wakamow No. 2 - Worshipful Master 2020 and 2021, and Knights Templar, Wascana No. 51

I have served Grand Lodge as Grand Pursuivant in 2013-2014 and as Grand Registrar from 2014 to date. I have been Head Counsellor for the Masonic Youth Leadership Camp since 2016, having been a Counsellor in 2013 and 2014, and am currently chair the Board of Trustees of the Benevolent and Benefit Funds.