

FOSM 2025-26 Election Ballot

We appreciate the contributions of our Officers & Board Members who are stepping down at the end of September. Vice President Cliff Giles is stepping down after serving for five years, and Treasurer Jeff Young is stepping down after one year. Steve Roholt and Joe Meade are stepping down as At-Large board members after serving for four and two years respectively.

The members listed below have been nominated for Officer and Board Member positions by the Nominating Committee in accordance with Section 5.4.3 of the Bylaws. Kerry Jones, Scott Dietrich and Laura Leon are new candidates. All others are incumbents, with the exception of Cliff Giles who is stepping down as Vice President and running for an At-Large position. (Officers are also members of the Board)

Only current members of the Friends of the Sandia Mountains are eligible to vote in this annual election.

Please mark your vote with an 'X' in the space provided or write-in another candidate below.

PRESIDENT VICE PRESIDENT TREASURER SECRETARY 1. Mike Madden____ 1. Kerry Jones____ 1.
Scott Dietrich____ 1. Silke Bletzer____ 2. _____ 2. _____ 2.
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BOARD POSITIONS (Vote for four)

1. Cliff Giles, At-Large ____
2. _____

1. Jenny Blackmore, At-Large ____
2. _____

1. Jamey Browning, At-Large ____
2. _____

1. Laura Leon, At-Large ____
2. _____

If you are in favor of all candidates listed on the ballot, and have no 'write-ins', then do nothing, and your vote will be counted 'FOR' all candidates listed above.

The Annual Meeting of the Membership will be held on October 7, 2025 at 6pm at the Tijeras Ranger Station. If no 'write-ins' are received, a vote by members present at that meeting will be taken to elect those names on the ballot by acclamation. This election is being conducted via email or surface mail only. Complete your ballot and email it to info@friendsofthesandias.org If you wish to mail a hard copy, send it to: Friends of the Sandia Mountains, P.O. Box 1832 Tijeras, New Mexico 87059

All ballots must be received by 5:00 pm. September 19, 2025