



April 13, 2023

Dear National Directors:

Subject: National Vice President Election - Midwest Area

The following members have been nominated for the position of Area Vice President representing the Midwest Area. In accordance with Article XVI – Area Association, paragraph (4) of FMCA's Bylaws, "The Area Vice President, who also serves as the area association president, shall preside at area association meetings and/or conduct issue forums at FMCA conventions, and serve on FMCA's Executive Board."

John Jacobs, F413028

Enclosed, please find a resume for the above candidates along with a ballot. The final postmarked date for returning this ballot is **May 13, 2023**, and the ballots will be tabulated by FMCA's certified public accountant on May 23, 2023.

Sincerely,

Kathie Balogh

National Secretary

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National President

Enclosures: Resume of Candidates

Ballot with Return Envelope (via postal service)

cc: Chapter Presidents (without ballot)

Alternate National Directors (without ballot)





CANDIDATE FOR FMCA MIDWEST AREA NATIONAL VICE-PRESIDENT

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FMCA INVOLVEMENT & EXPERIENCE

Currently National Vice-President of Midwest Area seeking re-election to term in this role. Active FMCA member since 2010, full-timing since June of 2021. Prior roles as host National VP of 2022 FMCA Lincoln, NE, Convention; Midwest Area Vice-President Region II; National Director of Badger Chapter; Member of FMCA Finance Committee; Governing Board Representative for Badger Chapter at several FMCA International Conventions. Past President of Badger Chapter for 5 years, hosted several rallies over past 13 years; Past Midwest Area Nominating Committee Member; FMCA Mentor; volunteer driver of Activity Carts for several years; Captain of Activity Carts at FMCA International Convention in Minot 2019; Captain of Activity Carts for several Midwest Area Rallies. Currently members of Badger, Full Timers, Lincoln Landers, Roll'N Rebels, Ramblin' Pushers Chapters, and other Motorhome Organizations.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

Founder & Owner, CEO Foodmaster Logistics of Wisconsin – Operated 20 years in Logistics Services primarily of food products throughout the U.S. Sold company in 2019 and retired.

Prior role as CEO of Antigo Cheese Company. Guided new ESOP company into development of Branded Retail presence with National Award-winning products and significant profitability.

Prior roles with Borden Inc. as Director of Operations – Ohio area and Director of Operations of Frozen Desserts manufacturing facilities. Prior to that role was with Beatrice Cheese as Director of Operations – Natural Cheese Facilities.

Started 20-year career in several roles with Kraft, Inc. including Plant Manager, Director of Operations of Frozen Dessert manufacturing facilities, and Director of Administration and Logistics for Kraft Dairy Group. Selected as Training Instructor for Managing By Objectives for Operations management personnel, and Industry Food Science Advisor at Cornell University for Kraft Inc.

PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Past President of Local Rotary Club, UW Alumni local club, Wisconsin Specialty Cheese Institute, Past Consultant for WI Dairy Innovation Center, Selected as Training Instructor for Managing By Objectives, and served on Industry Food Science Advisor Board at Cornell University for Kraft Inc.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

WI dairy farm childhood. BS in Natural Sciences and Grad School at UW – Madison. Further professional training including Wharton Business Management. Active in HS and Collegiate Sports, Band, 4-H, FFA. Married to fantastic supportive wife, Alice, now for 57 years. We have 2 children, 4 grandchildren. Full-timers since June 2021. Alice is also very active in roles with FMCA. Strong commitment to RVing lifestyles and building Friends and increasing Fellowship in FMCA.