BALLOT
ELECTION OF OFFICERS
2020 – 2021

Please vote for one (1) person in each category for officers. The extra lines are for write-in candidates. Write in the name of a member of your choice if you like, other than for Past President. One vote per Active member company by either the company representative or alternate.

PRESIDENT:
☐ Bernard Black, Black’s Pest Services, West Linn, Oregon
☐ Write in ________________________________

1st VICE PRESIDENT:
☐ Larry Treleven, Sprague Pest Control, Tacoma, Washington / Portland, Oregon
☐ Write in ________________________________

2nd VICE PRESIDENT:
☐ Robert De Angelo, Killer’s Pest Elimination, Portland, Oregon
☐ Write in ________________________________

PAST PRESIDENT (no vote needed):
Rob McMaster, Halt Pest Control, Beaverton, Oregon

SECRETARY-TREASURER:
☐ Bill Granstrom, Bill’s Pest Control, North Bend, Oregon
☐ Write in ________________________________

AT LARGE DIRECTORS (Vote for 6):
☐ Tim Banwell, Beaverton Pest Control, Beaverton, Oregon
☐ Jason Caiazza, Pioneer Pest Management, Portland, Oregon
☐ Rennie Kubick, AMVAC Environmental, Vancouver, WA
☐ Dave Mays, Bugs Northwest, Grants Pass, Oregon
☐ Steve Nagel, A2Z Home Inspections, Beaverton, Oregon
☐ Matt White, Killer’s Pest Elimination, Portland, Oregon

Write-in candidate for Director: ________________________________

Name _______________________ Member Company ________________________________

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In alphabetical order

TIM BANWELL

I have been working as a licensed applicator for 34 years now, all of it here in Oregon. My company, Beaverton Pest Control, Inc. has been a member of OPCA continuously since 1993. I began my career working in a small pest control service business, owned by my stepfather's father. In 1986, my brother Colin and I founded Beaverton Pest Control. After a few years spent establishing the business, we incorporated in 1990. Our business primarily serves the residential and residential real estate markets. Beaverton Pest Control, Inc. is licensed with the Oregon Department of Agriculture as Commercial Pesticide Operators as well as with the Construction Contractors Board as General Residential Contractors, specializing in WDO-related pest control services and repairs. I am truly honored to be considered for the position of Member-At-Large. With your support, I look forward to contributing to OPCA in ways which will help make this fine organization stronger and more widely respected into the future.

BERNARD BLACK

Bernard Black is the manager for Black’s Pest Services LLC in West Linn, OR. Bernard is in charge of all management duties and all policy decisions. He has a solid background in sales, management and customer service. He holds a Bachelor’s of Science degree in Integrated Pest Management from the University of California at Berkeley. He also has several years of experience in working in food processing facilities. Other positions include working for Industrial Fumigant Company (IFC), Olathe Kansas, as Territory Manager. He also held a position at Banner Pest Control in Kingsburg, CA as Director of Operations. Commercial Pesticide Operator (with General Pests, Space Fumigation and Structural Pests). Oregon. Recip. License Washington State. He is also a Board Certified Entomologist (B.C.E.). Bernard can speak and read some Spanish. He commonly interviews staff in Spanish during restaurant quality control audits and food plant inspections.

JASON CAIAZZA

Ten years ago if someone asked me if I would be involved in the pest control industry I would have told them no way, but now I could not imagine not being part of this great industry. My background is in business development and business management. I started with Pioneer Pest Management in March of 2011 as a service technician learning the industry. During my first year, I became Pioneer’s first technician supervisor overseeing the company's four technicians. By my second year I was moved into the role of Pest and Wildlife Manager and was responsible for hiring, field and sales training and developing the company's culture. During this time we focused on controlled growth with an emphasis on finding quality employees, customer service and training. Moving forward to 2020, Pioneer has grown to 21
technicians generating 4.8 million in revenue annually. On February 1, 2020 Pioneer was acquired by Certus Pest, Inc and on May 11, 2020 Certus offered me a position as District Manager overseeing Oregon, Idaho and Southern Washington. A few things about me personally, I am married and have two beautiful daughters. I enjoy spending time with my family traveling, fishing, camping, hiking and serving in my church.

**ROBERT DEANGELO**

I welcome the opportunity to serve the Pest Control Industry. Many of you know me from my days in Pest control Supplies distribution. But before that I started as a second Generation PCO for our Family company in Central California. I started out on the Termite reconstruction crews and obtained my Field Representative license at eighteen and then my Operators license in General Pest at twenty years old.

I was lucky enough to visit other companies across the nation to learn from them and my dad was a huge proponent for continuing education for all our employees. This is an industry to be proud of and my goal is always to improve myself and the associates around me. I have been married to my wife Lori for thirty-eight years and have two Children, Bryan and Amber. We have two grandchildren with another grandchild on the way.

**WILLIAM “BILL” GRANSTROM**

I am a native Oregonian, born and raised in Coos Bay on the Oregon Coast. From 1970 until Feb, 1992 I served in the U.S. Air Force and Navy traveling around the world several times. Upon retirement I went to work for International Paper Co. until the Gardner Mill closure. From there I took an interest in the Pest Control Industry and joined Swanson's Pest Management. After downsizing occurred I went into partnership with Grant Williams forming Ultimate Pest Control LLC and as of December, 1 2018 started Bill’s Pest Control, LLC which currently operates from Newport to the California border.

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**RENNIE KUBIC**

Bio and picture not available.

**DAVE MAYS**

Growing up in the Bay Area as the youngest of 5 boys, I had an interest in business at an early age. I started my first business at age 10 with my grandfather’s help. As a young adult, I continued to experiment with different businesses; constantly testing ideas to improve products, marketing and sales. Always one who enjoyed wildlife, I earned a degree in Administration of Justice with a concentration in Wildlife Law Enforcement. Yet my entrepreneurial spirit took me in another direction. I got my start in the pest control industry working for my father-in-law. After relocating to Oregon, I started Bugs Northwest, combining my passion for business with my interest in wildlife & entomology.

Now, with over 30 years in the construction industry and over 20 years in the pest management industry behind me, Bugs Northwest provides pest, wildlife and mold solutions to all of Southern Oregon. Since joining the OPCA, I’ve discovered I really enjoy cooperation and networking with other pest control operators. As a
homeschool Dad, continuing education is also very important to me. I've been married to my wife, Kris (who was raised in the pest management industry), for 27 years and we have seven children. Bugs Northwest is a multi-generational family owned business. We hope to continue to serve this community for future generations.

ROB McMASTER

Rob McMaster is President of Halt Pest Control, Inc. Rob started his pest management career in the early 80’s in California and founded Halt Pest Control, Inc. in 1990 when he and his family moved north to Oregon. Halt Pest Control is based in Beaverton Oregon and focuses on integrated pest management for commercial, multi-family and residential customers. Rob has been a member of OPCA since he started Halt Pest Control and he has always found the OPCA to be a great place of fellowship and encouragement. He contributes the OPCA and it’s support as a key part in helping him grow a successful business. Rob enjoys the outdoors and is an avid fisherman and enjoys traveling and spending time in the garden. He and his wife also spend a lot of time with their two daughters and their horses. Rob holds two Bachelor’s Degrees from the University of the Pacific.

STEVE NAGEL

I am the owner of A2Z Home Inspections, Inc. since 1989. I performed over 8000 inspections with quality, integrity as my guiding mission and just the way of doing business. I only perform home inspections and not any repairs. I have served as Past President of (OAHI), Oregon Association of Home Inspectors, and cofounded ORIEA (Oregon Real Estate Inspectors Association) the largest home inspection association in Oregon currently.

I have also served on the board of NAHI, (National Association of Home Inspectors Association). I have served on the board of OPCA as a director and continue to help facilitate the overlap and information of the “Home Inspector” part of the industry as to where there is an overlap in Pest Control and Home Inspections and the many Home Inspectors that we have as members of OPCA.

I continue to believe that our two industries working together will add good quality business to both industries. This has been a very important part of my business by talking and referring pest control services to pest control service companies, and vice versa in my business practices. I feel that this is an important networking opportunity / benefit for all our membership amongst the many other benefits we have in this great association. I have several years of board experience, procedures, leadership of professional associations thus hope to continue in that role to help continue the growth and professionalism of this association if I am reelected.
LARRY TRELEVEN

I joined Sprague Pest Solutions on a full-time basis on April 1 (Fools Day), 1971 after just receiving my degree from the University of Washington. I had worked many years prior to that as a part time employee while growing up in the Pest Management business as a Third Generation pest professional. During the last 43 years I have been very involved in the State and National Pest Management Associations holding most offices during that time in the states of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, and Utah Pest Control Associations. I also served as President of the National Pest Management Association 1994-1995 and held numerous offices and chair positions at the National level as well. I also chaired the Pacific Northwest Pest Management Conference several times.

In previous years other Sprague personnel have held positions on State Association Boards including Mike Mulloy who served on the Oregon Board until his untimely passing last year. Roger Lauer from our Denver Office serves on the Colorado Pest Control Association and my brother, Alfie Treleven has been Chairman of the Board for Copesan Services in Wisconsin for the last 13 years. We currently have two 4th Generation Treleven Family members in the business who are working in various management positions. AJ Treleven managers our Salt Lake City Office and our son, Ross runs Denver and he is District Manager for Boise, Salt Lake City, and Denver. Our family has been active in the Pest Management Industry for 88 years and we intend to continue to serve our clients in this field. I would be honored to continue to serve on the Oregon Board of Directors in an At Large Position.

MATT WHITE

My name is Matthew White and I'm the owner of Killers Pest Elimination. I started in the industry November of 1994 at our Salem Branch in pest control sales. After a couple years I started managing the Salem branch and then also the Portland Branch. Having worked my way up through the company to eventually owning the company it's the quintessential American dream. It's a story I tell all perspective applicants to instill that hard work does pay off and anyone can do well if they choose to. I hope to bring my experience to the OPCA as a Director and thank you for your vote.