



**Far West Division  
Winter Board Meeting – March 11, 2016  
Dodge Ridge Ski Area, California**

**DATE:** March 7, 2016  
**TO:** Far West Division Board  
**FROM:** Janice Waits, Far West Division, Election Chairperson  
**SUBJECT: 2016 Election Report:**

Elections for the office of Assistant Division Director were opened with only one nominee being received as of December 7, 2015. After an additional two weeks, notification was to sent Bill Gibson DD, per Bylaws 5.4.2.1a.

- WM 14-2 PASSED At Aug. 2, 2014 Second Reading: Bylaws change/addition to 5.4.2.1a:  
*If, after nominations are closed there is only one (1) nomination for an office, the single nominee shall be declared elected to the office, and no balloting or other action shall be required.  
The Division Director and/or Elections Chair shall notify the eligible voters in writing, as soon thereafter as possible.*

**ELECTION RESULTS FOR 2016**

• **ASSISTANT DIVISION DIRECTOR**

2016-2018 Nancy Stromswold

Assistant Division Director, replacing Lance Vaughn

This will be Ms. Stromswold's first term beginning June 1, 2016.

• **REGION DIRECTOR RESULTS FOR 2016.**

For **Mother Lode, Southern California, Arizona** regions.

Positions are for 2 years — June 1, 2016 – May 31, 2018.

Region directors may serve no more than 3 consecutive 2 year terms

The following nominations were received February 2016:

Mother Lode Region — Tony Atkins (incumbent) this will be his second term

Southern California — Diana St. Clair (incumbent) this will be her second term

As of February 26, 2015, no additional nominations had been received, therefore per Bylaws 5.24.2.1a, the above nominees become the Region Directors for their respective regions for a two year term: June 1, 2016 – May 31, 2018.

NOTE: Arizona Region – No nominees were received and Glenn Minuth, current Region Director chose not to run, citing unresponsive patrols and patrollers.