

# APHNYS Nominating Committee 2010 Recommendations



*There are four (4) Trustee positions open for election this year, and one (1) Officer vacancy to fill.*

*For the Office of Trustee*

**Peter Evans**

Wayne County Historian  
Region 11



Peter is about to begin his sixth year as Wayne County Historian and as an active member of APHNYS. "I believe strongly in APHNYS for three primary reasons: 1) Provides a forum for consistent and quality education and professional training; 2) Allows each of us the opportunity to build networks, connections and friends within the community; and 3) Gives us a unified voice in the state that can be heard...individually we can barely make a peep."

*For the Office of Trustee*

**Madelynn (Maggie) Fredrickson**

Franklinville Village Historian  
(Cattaraugus County)  
Region 12



Maggie has been a member of APHNYS since her appointment in 2004. "I am honored to be considered for the APHNYS Board. My motto is 'strength in numbers' -- a large, dedicated organization, such as APHNYS, serves as an advocate and shield for Local Government Historians across New York State. In these difficult times a unified front is vitally important for the preservation of our history and in protecting our positions as Public Historians."

*For the Office of Trustee*

**Margaret Gibbs**

Essex County Historian  
Region 6



Margaret was appointed and joined APHNYS in 2000. "APHNYS work is critical for supporting the work of the Public Historians in our region. As a sparsely populated area with a rich cultural heritage, the historians in our small communities rely on APHNYS as a network for information, professional development and assistance with meeting our responsibilities. APHNYS is the organization that brings us all together in our goal of preserving the history of New York State."

*For the Office of Trustee*

**Clifton Patrick**

Chester Town Historian  
(Orange County)  
Region 3



Clifton joined APHNYS in 2003 right after being appointed. "APHNYS provides a way to share our respective talents, resources and experiences in addition to cooperating together in better performing our jobs which most of us do in relative isolation. As municipal historians, we also need the support of each of our governing bodies and the State: APHNYS is our collective voice in Albany."

*For the Office of Treasurer*

**Barbara M. Russell**

Brookhaven Town Historian  
(Suffolk County)  
Region 2



Barbara has served as her community's Historian since 2005, and was elected to the APHNYS Board in 2008. "I believe that APHNYS provides a forum for governance, authority, education and standards, and would be honored to serve as our Treasurer." Barbara brings experience to this position having served as Treasurer of a not-for-profit in her community.

**Respectfully submitted by the  
Nominating Committee:**

Richard L. Williams, Co-Chair  
Kirkland Town Historian, Region 7

Kristina Saddlemire, Co-Chair  
Schuylerville Village Historian, Region 5

***Elections will be held at the 2010 APHNYS  
Annual Meeting in Buffalo on April 19, 2010.***