



**Christian Pharmacists
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**CPFI Nominations Committee Report
November 6, 2025**

Elections

Several director position transitions took place earlier this year at or just after the Annual Meeting in May. Those positions included President, Vice President, Secretary, Executive Director, and three Director spots. Nominations were sought for five open positions and appointments were made for two positions.

The following individuals were elected to the open positions:

- President: Jeff Bates (term May 2025 - May 2027)
- Vice President: Marjorie Hayes (term May 2025 - May 2027)
- Director: Erin Ballentine (term May 2025 - May 2028)
- Director: Stephen Canady (term May 2025 - May 2028)
- Executive Director: Jeff Copeland

The following individuals were appointed to roles vacated by the position changes mentioned above:

- Susan Smith (BOD member) to serve as Secretary to fill Jeff Bates's term (term May 2025 - May 2026)
- Dan Spadaro (former BOD member) to serve as Director to fill Susan Smith's term (term May 2025 - May 2027)

Director 7 (student) is Logan Grove (term May 2025 - May 2027)

Open positions beginning with the May 2026 term include the following:

- Treasurer
- Secretary
- Director 3
- Director 4

All current Board members are encouraged to prayerfully consider current CPFI members as potential candidates for these open positions. Please reach out to discuss the positions with pharmacists and nominate them as appropriate.

According to the CPFI website (as of the date of this writing), members of the Nominations Committee include: Fred Eckel, Mary Ferrill, Herbert Hames, and Charlotte Wilson. Susan Smith will replace Jeff Bates as chair. Members of this committee will be contacted to garner their commitment to serving on this committee in 2026; additional members will be appointed to this committee as needed.

Once final Nominations Committee membership has been determined, the Nominations Committee will convene and oversee the spring 2026 election process.

Respectfully Submitted,

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