

Due to the fact that the 2010 LSB election did not attain “quorum,” all 24 WPFW LSB seats were up for election in 2012.

In order to return to a correct schedule where half the LSB seats are elected to three-year terms in a given election cycle, it was determined that in the 2012 election half (9) of the Listener seats and half (3) of the Staff seats would be allotted to the “top vote-getters” (according to the STV tally,) with the remaining seats allotted to the “bottom” Listener and Staff “vote-getters” in the same manner.

The STV method revealed one Listener candidate and one Staff candidate had each won three-year terms although fully serving those terms would mean that they would exceed their Pacifica Bylaws-mandated six-year limit on continuous LSB service. In each case, the member has essentially one more year of service before mandatory term end.

A policy written by National Election Supervisor **Terry Bouricius** to address WPFW’s special circumstances, which was approved by former Pacifica Executive Director **Arlene Engelhardt**, establishes that candidates who win three-year terms, but would thereby exceed their mandatory term limit, automatically win one-year terms instead. In consultation with Pacifica Interim Executive Director **Summer Reese** and NES Bouricius, I Implement that policy in these two cases. Accordingly:

- Listener LSB Delegate **Campbell Johnson**, whose STV tally won him a three-year seat, but whose mandatory term end is March, 2014, will assume a one-year seat. Listener LSB Delegate **Bruce Wolf**, whose mandatory term end is December, 2015, will assume a three-year seat.
- Similarly, Staff LSB Delegate **Jean Yves Point-du-Jour**, whose mandatory term end is October, 2013 (in the absence of *any reliable records* to contradict Mr. Point-du-Jour’s assertion of this date,) will assume a one-year seat, and current LSB Staff Delegate **Keanna C. Faircloth**, whose mandatory term end date is December, 2015, and LSB Staff Delegate-Elect **Lona K. Alias** will assume three-year seats.

The certified 2012 WPFW LSB Election Results follow below.

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CERTIFIED 2012 WPFW LSB ELECTION RESULTS		
LISTENER ELECTION		
CANDIDATE	STATUS	TERM OF OFFICE
<b>Tony B. Norman*</b>	ELECTED -- 1st round	Three Years
<b>Gloria C. Turner*</b>	ELECTED -- 1st round	Three Years
<b>Acie Byrd</b>	ELECTED -- 1st round	Three Years
<b>Kea Taylor</b>	ELECTED -- 1st round	Three Years
<b>Pete Tucker*</b>	ELECTED -- 1st round	Three Years
<b>Jane Zara</b>	ELECTED -- 1st round	Three Years
<b>Mekonnen A. Seyoum</b>	ELECTED -- 1st round	Three Years
<b>Benito Diaz*</b>	ELECTED -- 4th round	Three Years
<b>Bruce Wolf*</b>	ELECTED -- 7th round	Three Years
<b>Campbell C. Johnson*</b>	ELECTED -- 5th round	One Year

<b>Vanessa Dixon-Briggs</b>	ELECTED -- 17th round	One Year
<b>Kwame O. Abayomi</b>	ELECTED -- 17th round	One Year
<b>Luzette King*</b>	ELECTED -- 20th round	One Year
<b>Eric Ramey</b>	ELECTED -- 20th round	One Year
<b>Jane Gatewood*</b>	ELECTED -- 23rd round	One Year
<b>Abby Charles</b>	ELECTED -- 23rd round	One Year
<b>Michael Byfield*</b>	ELECTED -- 24th round	One Year
<b>William S. Martin</b>	ELECTED -- 26th round	One Year
<b>STAFF ELECTION</b>		
<b>CANDIDATE</b>	<b>STATUS</b>	<b>TERM OF OFFICE</b>
<b>Robyn Holden</b>	ELECTED -- 1st round	Three Years
<b>Keanna C. Faircloth*</b>	ELECTED -- 2nd round	Three Years
<b>Lona K. Alias</b>	ELECTED -- 2nd round	Three Years
<b>Jean Yves Point-du-Jour*</b>	ELECTED -- 2nd round	One Year
<b>Oscar M. Fernandez</b>	ELECTED -- 4th round	One Year
<b>Katea Stitt</b>	ELECTED -- 6th round	One Year

(\* = Incumbent)