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Executive Board Nominations by Petition for Member-at-Large

These Nominations by Petition have been made in accordance with the LibraryLinkNJ Bylaws.

Corey Fleming, Paterson Free Public Library Public -- Passaic County Member-at-Large, Three-year term: July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022 *received 5/29/19*

Currently, I am the Director of the Paterson Free Public Library. An urban library system with core standards, which truly values public service and recognizes the ever changing needs of Paterson's mosaic community. I received my Bachelors of Arts in Sociology accompanied with a Masters in Library Science from the University at Albany-State University of New York. My diverse background includes a myriad of verticals - legal, government, specialized, academic, and public libraries. With over 16 years of extensive experience, my successes enables me to collaborate within many areas of modern practices as they relate to public library service. I continue to develop modern technologies and creative innovations within library service to meet the diverse informative needs of today's customers.

Allan Kleiman, Montville Township Public LibraryPublic – Morris CountyMember-at-Large, Three-year term:July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022received 5/24/19

For the past 10 years, Allan M. Kleiman has been the Director of the Montville Township Public Library. He has held management and administrative positions over the last two decades at the Old Bridge, Westfield. Irvington and Cranbury Public Libraries as well as working for LSSI in Jersey City on their automation conversion and implementation project. He is the past President of NJLA's Administration & Management Section and well as a past co-chair of NJLA's Diversity and Outreach Section. He also served a term on the NJLA Board as Second Vice-President of the Association. Currently, he serves as the Chair of the NJ State Library's LSTA Advisory Council and recently worked with State Library Staff on their Database Committee. In addition, he serves as a member of the MAIN, Inc. Board, where he serves of the PR and Finance Committees. He brings to the position of LLNJ Member-at-Large a vast knowledge in the area of management, fundraising, finance and organization as well as a clear understanding for the need of LLNJ to be transparent and "open" to the NJ Library community, the customers that it serves.

Ricardo Pino, West Milford Township Library Publi Member-at-Large, Three-year term: July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022

Public -- Passaic County

received 5/28/19

In my library career I have served as a Branch Manager at the Passaic Public Library, and have been the Director of the West Milford Township Library since 2015. I have also served on the PALS Plus Executive Board since 2017, as Treasurer since 2018, and as Chair of the Policy and Practices Committee since 2019. Prior to librarianship, I worked in client relations or staffing/human resource roles in the marketing, corporate events, and arts fields. I firmly believe in the tradition and value of shared services across all types of libraries in our state. The recent crisis over the long-term viability of LibraryLinkNJ has highlighted the need to refocus LLNJ's priorities and strategic decision-making in order to make it a truly effective representative for us as member libraries. I have the drive and support to serve on the Board as an effective team member to return LLNJ to long-term viability as a true voice for us.