

MAFCA 2017 Board of Director Candidates



Bill Skaggs

Kansas City, Missouri

Serving in the Missouri Legislature for 20 years as a City Councilman and Mayor Pro Tem of Kansas City, Missouri for eight years, I discovered the art of not just listening, but also hearing what people had to say about affairs of the City and State.

I believe these experiences in leadership equip me for the position of

MAFCA Board Member. To me, collaboration is the core of a healthy organization. I served as Tour Director and currently hold the position of Vice President in our local chapter. Model A owners agree when it is said that these cars are “part of the family.” Our 1931 Model A has been in our family for almost 40 years. I have found that Model A enthusiasts have a fierce loyalty to these automobiles. Our members go to great extremes to help each other. I would appreciate your vote.



David S. White

Kennebunk, Maine

Starting with a Model T at the age of 11 I’ve been enjoying the old car hobby. Model A’s came years later. I’ve restored several and still tour regularly with two. Maine did not have a MAFCA chapter, so with five other enthusiasts we started the Pine Tree A’s in 2005 and I was president for the first three years building the

club membership from 13 to over 100. I served as co-chair of the 2012 New England meet and was chair of the 2015 MAFCA National Tour which was a wonderful tour of coastal Maine. The enthusiasm of the participants from all over the US was amazing to me. The challenge for MAFCA going forward is to encourage continued interest in the cars and the organization. Bringing the younger generations into the club is paramount. With focused effort I believe we can be successful with this opportunity.



Jim Cannon

Houston, Texas

I’ve owned and driven a Model A since high school. I think it is a great hobby, and MAFCA is a great family-oriented club that offers something for everyone when it comes to enjoying this reliable, fun little car. I’d like to volunteer my time again to support the hobby through MAFCA

at the national level. I’m a retired engineer. I’m organized, I have the time, and I possess the business and leadership skills to be an effective Director. You may remember, in 2014-15 I served on the Board as Technical Director and wrote the Technical Q&A column in *The Restorer*. To help build MAFCA’s Tomorrow, I need your vote Today. Please find your ballots, mark them for me, and return them to the MAFCA office today. Please don’t put it off; I can’t do it without your support. Thanks, and “Have a Model A Day!



John LaVoy

Rocklin, California

I am John LaVoy and have had a love for Model A Fords since my first car, a 1929 Coupe. I am running for the Board of Directors to help MAFCA grow and flourish. I have been a MAFCA member since 1964 and have been President of a number of chapters throughout California. I have been chairman of a number of regional

meets and was on the Board of Directors for MAFFI, accomplishing the construction of the new building at Hickory Corners. I am a Senior Judge and have worked in that capacity at a number of National meets. I’ve greatly enjoyed the camaraderie of fellow members as we have toured to various parts of the country to attend MAFCA functions. This hobby has given a lot to me and I want to give back by serving the members as a MAFCA board member.



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Garth Shreading

Sour Lake, Texas

I am honored to have served MAFCA as Chapter Coordinator, Treasurer, President and co-chair of MAFCA's 2014 National Tour. Locally, I have served my chapters as President, Treasurer, newsletter editor, and webmaster. Additionally, in 2004 I was chair of the CCRG Jamboree

and on the 2008 and 2014 Gulf Coast Tour steering committees. Outside of MAFCA, I served as a MAFFI trustee. But the highlight of my Model A life has been Model A's and meeting the greatest people on earth, Model A people. Being involved at the national and local levels has taught me the importance of our chapters. Believing MAFCA's foundation resides in the local chapters, my focus will be on strengthening them. Having owned a small business, I learned sound organizational skills and the value of commitment to hard work and strong personal relationships. Along with Janet, my wife of 40 years, I reside in southeast Texas.



Kay Lee

Washington, Illinois

I have been a member of MAFCA for 38 years. I own five 1931 Model A's, the first one purchased in 1980. With my late husband, John Lee, I helped to restore them. I drive them and have led many trips for Central Illinois A's, a club I helped

found in 2009. I retired after 32 years from Caterpillar Inc. as Senior Support Group Manager supervising 250 engineers and a Mechanical Lab producing disassembly and assembly (D&A) for engines/machines in both Peoria, IL, and the UK. Moving up from shop apprentice to my last assignment included living in the UK for 1-1/2 years and in Japan for 4 years. I have a Bachelors Degree from the University of Illinois, a Masters' Degree from Bradley University in Industrial Operations/Engineering and my private pilot's license (since 1978). I volunteer at my local library, church and other community organizations.



Jay E. McCord

Santa Maria, California

I live in Santa Maria, California and have been a member of MAFCA for 37 years. I have most recently served on the MAFCA Board of Directors as the Membership Director. During these two years, I have made an effort to be available as a resource to the membership. I have worked well

with the board and have been able to bring fresh ideas to bring new members to MAFCA. We will continue to encourage all Chapter Members to join MAFCA to increase their Smiles Per Mile.

I have been married to my wife Kay for 38 years. Our grandchildren love riding in our "Ahooga" car. I retired after 37 years with ExxonMobil Corporation where I worked in many phases of oil production. I am running for the MAFCA Board to provide service to our hobby and hope to be re-elected.



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