



NATIONAL PURCHASING INSTITUTE CALL FOR NOMINATIONS LIFETIME AND HONORARY MEMBERSHIPS

Nominations for Lifetime and Honorary members will be accepted until Wednesday, April 2, 2008, in accordance with NPI Constitution, By-Laws and Policies.

LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP

Qualifications

1. A person who has been a Regular Member for a period of ten (10) years or more.
2. The person has retired from all regular employment.
3. The person has been approved for Lifetime Membership by a majority vote of the Regular Members of NPI at the 2008 Annual Conference Business Meeting held this year in Las Vegas, Nevada (September 21 through 24, 2008).

Benefits

A person who meets this category shall have a voice and a vote on NPI matters, and shall be exempt from paying dues to NPI.

HONORARY MEMBERSHIP

Qualifications

1. An Honorary Membership may be granted to living non-members upon determination by the Board of Directors.
2. An Honorary Membership is to be awarded only to non-members who have rendered distinguished service to the purchasing and materials management profession.
3. The person has been approved for Honorary Membership by a majority vote of the Regular Members of NPI at the 2008 Annual Conference Business Meeting held this year in Las Vegas, Nevada (September 21 through 24, 2008).

Benefits

A person who meets this category shall have a voice, but no vote, on NPI matters, and shall be exempt from paying dues to NPI.

NOMINATION PROCESS

Lifetime Membership and Honorary Membership nominations may be made by either an NPI member or by the Board of Directors. The nominations presented should include a statement of the individual's eligibility and a brief history of the individual's contributions to NPI, the Public Purchasing and/or Supply Management Profession.

All nominations for Lifetime Membership must be submitted to the Nominating Team. The Team shall receive and evaluate recommendations from the membership regarding individuals suggested for candidacy.

The Nominating Team shall present the nominations to NPI's Board of Directors. Nominees approved by the Board of Directors will be presented on the recommended slate of nominees at the Annual Business Meeting this September in Las Vegas, Nevada.

All nominations must be directed to Mark Neihart, C.P.M, CPPB, NPI Second Vice President (fax 520-791-4735 or email Mark.Neihart@tucsonaz.gov .