

THE BATTLE OF HOMESTEAD

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OFFICIAL NOMINEES for ELECTION to BOARD OF DIRECTORS

From: John Haer, Board President, Jan. 12, 2022

**BHF members to elect 6 members to the Board Directors,
each for a 3-year term beginning Jan. 24, 2022**

THE 2022 Board of Directors has 5 vacancies, as these incumbents will no longer be serving — Dan Beeton, Karen Bryant, Patty DeMarco, Bob Mason, Dennis Robinson. We thank them for their service.

There are 5 nominees to replace these departing members and serve a 3-year term as new Board Members beginning January 24, 2022. They are Maura Bainbridge, Pauline Greenlick, Lawrence McCullough, Perry Recker, Howard Scott. Current board member Mark Fallon has been nominated for a new term.

Maura Bainbridge

Maura Bainbridge holds a PhD in anthropology with a focus on historical archaeology. Her academic work considered the memorialization, and more often the erasure, of labor history at sites of labor conflict in the United States — Homestead, Pennsylvania; Ludlow, Colorado; Chicago, Illinois. She believes this history is important to preserve and celebrate because it allows contemporary workers to challenge seemingly immovable power structures while offering us models for how to build a more just world.

Mark Fallon

Mark Fallon is a life-long resident of the Steel Valley and an avid archivist of labor history. He graduated from University of Pittsburgh, is a U.S. Army veteran and worked at U.S. Steel's Clairton plant for 14 years. He retired in 2018 from the Steel Valley School District where he taught middle school history for 14 years. Mark currently serves on boards of the Homestead Cemetery Committee, The Dragons Den and the Munhall Parks and Recreation Board. He is a member of the Council for Munhall Borough.

Pauline Greenlick

An active member of the Battle of Homestead Foundation, Pauline Greenlick has worked in education for over 30 years teaching students with special needs. She is an award-winning filmmaker and educator focusing on documentaries involving social justice issues for businesses and nonprofits in western Pennsylvania and Africa. Her documentaries include recording and preserving events sponsored by the Battle of Homestead Foundation and focusing on social issues involving marginalized people in Africa.

Lawrence McCullough

Lawrence McCullough is the BHF Communications Committee chair and a BHF Program Committee member. An organizer of educational and non-profit community ventures since 1973, he has an extensive background in journalism, public relations, arts coordination and municipal government administration. He earned a PhD in ethnomusicology from the Univ. of Pittsburgh in 1978 and was a founding board member of Calliope House the same year.

Perry Recker

Perry Recker is a retired college librarian, a long-time worldview educator with a strong interest in the environment, a lay philosopher of religion, science and ordinary experience, and an advocate for social justice and healthy local communities. Besides being a member of the Battle of Homestead Foundation since 2016, he has served on the boards of a several other small, non-profit, charitable organizations. He currently serves as recording secretary for the Board of Haiti-H2O, the County chapter of the IWLA, and as treasurer for the Pittsburgh Chapter of the Citizens' Climate Lobby. He recently retired from the Board of the Pleasant Hills Arboretum on which he served for 5 years.

Howard Scott

Howard Scott is a longtime, proud member of the Battle of Homestead who has worked on a number of the group's initiatives and programs through the years highlighting local history, unions and the importance of our working class legacy. Currently retired and living with his wife Cathy and family in the South Hills, Howard has worked a number of jobs ranging from steel mills, dock yards and delivery truck routes. He spent years working for the United Steelworkers and AFL-CIO Industrial Union Department on organizing efforts and assisted on numerous strikes, lockouts and contract campaigns. A University of Pittsburgh graduate, he has for the past 12 years been writer and editor of the Pennsylvania Labor History Journal and serves as an officer for its sister organization, Pennsylvania Labor History Society.
