



WEST VIRGINIA HUMANITIES COUNCIL

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Humanities Council Elects New Board Members and Officers

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The West Virginia Humanities Council elected four new members to its Board of Directors at its spring board meeting held on April 22. The Council's Board of Directors is composed of 23 citizens from across the state. The Board meets three times per year. Members are elected to a three-year term and may be elected to one additional three-year term. The Council also elected officers.

New members are **Rita Hedrick-Helmick** of Glenville; **Paul Papadopoulos** of Charleston, **Karen Rice** of Parkersburg, and **Jane Sargent** of Barboursville. **Laurie Erickson** of Huntington, **Kelli Johnson** of Huntington, **Dan McCarthy** of Fayetteville, **Megan Tarbett** of Hurricane, and **John Unger** of Martinsburg were elected to second terms.

The Humanities Council thanked departing Board Members **Leslie Dillon** of Chapmanville, **Tia McMillan** of Shepherdstown, **D. F. Mock** of Charleston, and **Ray Smock** of Martinsburg for their time and service as dedicated members of the Board.

The Council also elected **Megan Tarbett** of Hurricane as President, **George "Gib" Brown** of as Vice President, **Margaret Mary Layne** of Huntington as Treasurer and **Kelli Johnson** of Huntington as Secretary to two year terms.

For more information, visit the Council's website at www.wvhumanities.org or call (304) 346-8500.

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