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To: New York State West Youth Soccer Association (NYSWYSA) Membership

From: Roger J. Best – NYSWYSA Nominating Committee Chairman

Subject: October 17, 2009 NYSWYSA Nominating Committee Report

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Three (3) positions on the NYSWYSA BOD, President, 2nd Vice President and Secretary, are open for election at the November 14, 2009 NYSWYSA Annual General Meeting (AGM) to be held at 4:15 P.M. at the Rochester Marriott Airport Hotel in Rochester, NY.

An announcement that these positions were open for election was posted on the NYSWYSA Website (www.nyswysa.org). Nominations of persons interested in serving the membership of the NYSWYSA in these capacities were to be sent to Rochester District Commissioner/NYSWYSA Nominating Committee Chairman Roger J. Best. The nomination was to include a resume and cover letter stating the candidate's qualifications and reasons for interest in the position. To date, no nominations for any of the positions have been received.

Incumbent NYSWYSA President Michael Radecke has announced his candidacy for reelection to the position of President. Michael has served on the NYSWYSA BOD for the past 5 years. He was elected the NYSWYSA Vice President at the November 21, 2004 AGM. He served in that position until August 13, 2006 at which time he was appointed NYSWYSA President at the NYSWYSA BOD Meeting. He was elected NYSWYSA President at the November 17, 2007 AGM.

Incumbent NYSWYSA 2nd Vice President Matthew (Matt) Dimas has announced his candidacy for reelection to the position of 2nd Vice President. Matt has served on the NYSWYSA BOD for the past 8 years. He was elected Southern Tier District Commissioner in November 2001 and held that position until November 2006. He was appointed 2nd Vice President at the November 19, 2004 BOD Meeting. He was elected 2nd Vice President at the November 13, 2005 AGM & reelected to the position at the November 17, 2007 AGM. In his position as 2nd Vice President, Matt serves as the Adjudication Chairman, Audit Committee Chairman and Parliamentarian.

Incumbent NYSWYSA Secretary Curt Regruit has announced his candidacy for reelection to the position of Secretary. Curt has served on the NYSWYSA BOD for the past 4 years. was elected to the position at the November 13, 2005 AGM and reelected at the November 17, 2007 AGM.





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Although the incumbents are the only candidates for each of the positions open for election on the NYSWYSA BOD, the NYSWYSA Nominating Committee considers all three candidates to be very well suited and highly qualified. This has been clearly demonstrated by all of them during the time that they have held their respective positions. They have performed the various functions and responsibilities of their positions with integrity and in a timely and professional manner. Therefore, the NYSWYSA Nominating Committee highly recommends Michael Radecke for the position of NYSWYSA President, Matthew Dimas for the position of NYSWYSA 2nd Vice President, and Curt Regruit for the position of NYSWYSA Secretary.

Respectfully Submitted,

Roger J. Best (handwritten signature)

Roger J. Best - NYSWYSA Nominating Committee Chairman

cc: NYSWYSA BOD, NYSWYSA Nominating Committee, NYSWYSA Executive Director, State Director of Coaching & State TOPSoccer Administrator

