

MD19 Loins Foundation Report

(Formerly the MD19 Lions Service and Leadership Development Foundation)

To: MD19 Council of Governors

Date: May 23, 2024

From: PCC J.D. Nellor, President, MD19 Lions Foundation

It is May, which means we are half-way through the 2024 year for the MD19 Lions Foundation (which operates on a regular, old, calendar year).

Let's start with a reminder of who this year's officers and directors are:

I was elected to and assumed the office of president on January 1, 2024. You can reach me at (360) 513-7035, or by email to jdnellor@comcast.net. My tenure as Foundation President will end on December 31, 2024, at which time...

PDG Brien Patton will take command. PDG Brien, who hails from the Central Park Lions Club in Zone 3 of District 19N, can be reached at (360) 581-5220 or by email to brienpatton@aol.com.

CCE Patty Allen White is the Immediate Past President. CCE Patty can be reached at (253) 905-6025 or by email to pattylouallen@gmail.com.

PDG Marilyn Danby is the Foundation's secretary. PDG Marilyn calls the Tacoma Downtown Lions Club in District 19N her Lions home. She can be reached at (253) 208-4556 or by email to mardanby@gmail.com.

PCC Jon Whitman, from the Pullman Lions Club in District 19S, is the Foundation's Treasurer. PCC John is the person to send grant requests to for consideration by the board. PCC Jon can be reached at (509) 595-3503 or by email at jmwhitman@pullman.com.

District representatives are your first point of contact for promoting the MD19 Foundation in your districts, and for helping you, your clubs, and your Lions submit and receive MD19 Lions Foundation grants. They are:

District 19L Representatives:

PDG Syrus Lee from the Vancouver Chinatown Lions Club. PDG Syrus can be reached at (604) 290-2808 or by email to leesyryus@gmail.com.

PDG Lorne Bunyon from the Ladysmith Lions Club. You can reach PDG Lorne by email to pdglorne.bunyan@gmail.com, or by telephone at (250) 920-9059.

District 19I Representatives:

Craig Boothe from the Lake Chelan Lions Club. You can reach Lion Craig at (425) 241-1401 or by email to: craigb47@hotmail.com.

PZC Jennifer Edgar from the Nelson Lions Club stepped down from the board after the start of the year. We all miss PZC Jennifer on the board and could use a 19-I Lion to finish PZC Jennifer’s term on the board.

District O Representatives:

PZC September Stokes from the Coquitlam River Lions Club. You can reach PZC September by email to lionseptember92@gmail.com, or at (604) 308-1899.

Lyro Downie–Cyphers from the Renton Lions Club. You can reach Lion Lyro at (206) 458-1639 or by email to lyrodownie5@gmail.com.

District N Representatives:

PDG Donna Murr from the Lacey Sunrise Lions Club. You can reach PDG Donna at (360) 870-0952 or by email to donnamurr@gmail.com.

PDG Mark Mansell from the Peninsula Lions Club. You can reach PDG Mark at (360) 991-2768 or by email at lionmarkmansell@gmail.com.

District S Representatives:

PDG Harry Lippincott from the Liberty Lake Lions Club. You can reach PDG Harry at (509) 280-5090 or by email to nlippin1@comcast.net.

PZC Nadine Stecklein from the College Place Lions Club. PZC Nadine can be reached at (562) 303-7801 or by email to mpbarragan@gmail.com.

District representatives serve two–year rotating terms. Directors Syrus Lee, Lyro–Downie–Cyphers, Donna Murr and Harry Lippincott expire on December 31, 2024. The terms of Directors Lorne Bunyan, Craig Boothe, September Stokes, Mark Mansell, and Nadine Stecklein expire on December 31, 2025.

Also on the board are:

MD19 Council Chair Steve Nobel, from the Yakima Lions Club. CC Steve can be reached at (509) 949-8864 or by email to lionsteve58@yahoo.com.

Financial Officer, PDG Stephen Staudinger, from the Battle Ground Lions Club. PDG Stephen can be reached at (360) 608-8361, or by email to ssstaudinger@comcast.net.

MD19 Immediate Past Council Chair, Lyndon Harriman, from the River City Club Branch, Post Falls Lions Club. PCC Lyndon can be reached at (208-755-6138, or by email to leharriman1@gmail.com.

MD19 Leadership Chair (GLT), PDG Frank Bega from the Rathdrum Lions Club. PDG Frank can be reached at (208) 659-1446 or by email to frankbega17@gmail.com.

MD19 Service Chair (GST), PDG Peggy Harriman from the Post Falls Lions Club. PZC and GST Peggy can be reached at (208) 755-6137 or by email to pah4610@gmail.com.

Foundation Marketing Chair, PCC John Kirry from the Gig Harbor Lions Club. PCC John can be reached at (253) 225-1824 or by email to lionjk@comcast.net.

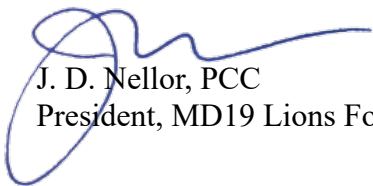
Northwest Lions Leadership Institute Superintendent, PDG Wanda Eddy from the North Kamloops Lions Club. PDG Wanda can be reached at (250) 851-5292 or by email to lionwandac@gmail.com.

Non-voting members and advisers to the Foundation include MD19 Executive Director Peter Anderson and Governance Committee Chairperson PDG Charles Waid. The board's investments adviser is Scott Hurst.

The Foundation has approved 2 grant requests since the start of the calendar year, one to fund leadership training for students in the Chelan School District, the other to fund travel expenses for the Asotin Lions Club sponsored, student underwater robotics team to come to this convention and demonstrate what they do. You can get a view a video produced by Lions International on the robotics team that is posted on the MD19 website at <https://lionsmd19.org/district-s.php>. We have two additional grant requests, one from the Pateros School District and another from the Chelan School District to help defray leadership training for students and staffs that will come before the board on Thursday at the MD19 Convention.

The board wants to see more grant requests! Grant applications can be downloaded from the Foundation's website at <http://md19foundation.eighthstreet.net/grants.php>.

Please help get the word out and let your fellow Lions know about the MD19 Lions Foundation. The Foundation has money to spend on worthy leadership and service development causes.



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