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The George Wright Forum was the journal of the George Wright Society from 1981 through 2018, published in 35 volumes with a total of 125 issues. Its mission was to “examine critical issues and present new research related to parks, protected areas, and cultural sites around the world.” The hallmark of the journal was its interdisciplinary approach, covering all fields relevant to natural and cultural heritage stewardship.

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TRIENNIAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS

An election of Officers and Board members will take place in the fall of 1982. The by-laws of the Society instruct that all terms of officers and board members will expire on 31 December 1982, with the exception "the last two named directors [of the originally named Board in the By-Laws of the Society] shall continue to serve for an additional three years." Therefore, Pamela Wright Lloyd and Durward L. Allen will continue to serve as Board members through 31 December 1985.

The following nominating committee has been appointed to produce a slate for the fall election:

Lemuel A. (Lon) Garrison, College Station, Texas
Diane E. Gelburd, Falls Church, Virginia
Nathaniel P. Reed, Hobe Sound, Florida
David R. Stevens, Estes Park, Colorado
Melody Webb, Santa Fe, New Mexico
Theodore W. Sudia, Washington, D. C. (Chairman)

While the nominating committee is receptive to suggestions from any and all Society members, the by-laws state [Article X, Section 2(c)]: "Any thirty members may by written petition nominate a candidate for any office. If such a petition is received by the Secretary at least ten weeks prior to the election, the names of such nominated candidates shall appear on the written ballot."

The nominating committee is required to have at least two names for each office to be filled. These nominees will be selected by ten weeks prior to the fall election, and ballots will be sent to all members of the Society by 1 September 1982.