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ELECTION OF OFFICERS

It is once again time for the selection of Officers to the Executive of the White Water Meadows Citizens' Association.

The rules according to the Constitution in **ARTICLE VII** dealing with the **Election of Officers** state that

Section 1. All nominations for officers of the Association provided for in Article V shall be made at the last regular meeting preceding the next Annual General Meeting.

Section 2. All officers provided for in Article V shall be elected for a term of two years at the annual general meeting which shall be held no sooner than eleven (11) months or later than thirteen (13) months of the last Annual General Meeting. The officers so elected shall hold their respective offices until their successors are duly elected

Section 3. Election of all officers shall be by a show of hands or by poll. A majority vote of those qualified members present and voting is required for election.

Section 4. In case of a vacancy caused by death or resignation of an officer the vacancy shall be filled by an election at a special meeting or at a regular meeting.

Section 5. No person shall occupy the same office for more than two consecutive terms.

Nominations already received

<u>Position</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Lot #</u>
President	Winston Chin	502
	Andrew Baker	584
	Michael Mills	699
	Patrick Anglin	709
1 st VP	Delrose Holgate	11
	Alex Cameron	62
2 nd VP	Judith R Brown	593
	Winston Charles	15
	Carlos Hunter	446
Treasurer	Horace Jones	377
	Malcon Brown	252
	C McIntosh	745
Asst Treasurer	Judith R Brown	593
	D McGregor	580
	Karol Hurgos	766
Public Relations Officer	Deniese Sealey	92
	Janet Plummer	76
	Terrence Simpson	14
Asst PRO	Karol Hurgos	766
	Andrea Golding	40
Secretary	Ann-Marie Reid	450
	Andrea Cameron	545
	A Anderson	145
Asst Secretary	T Robinson	61
	Fiona Ferron	550

All nominees will be given an opportunity to make short presentations to the meeting. This will be followed by the election of officers, to be handled by a presiding officer who will be so appointed by the Executive at the meeting.

The democratic process can only be a worthwhile option if people participate. The election of officers for the leadership of the Association is an important part of that process - it is up to the citizens to do the right thing.

To inform of your nominees you may contact Judith Brown at Lot 593, Tel. 699-6222 or come to the AGM prepared to participate in the nomination process.

Editor's Note

It is important that everyone become familiar with the voting process.

The quality of leaders we elect will be determined by the full participation of the citizens, both during the nomination and voting processes.

Everyone is therefore encouraged to ensure that the widest range of nominations are received for each post, and that Citizens exercise their franchise in the voting process.

This is to ensure that the elected provides the kind of representation the community deserves.

Very often people leave everything to the elected leaders once the voting exercise is over.

However, we in White Water Meadows know that such an approach does not advance anything and so we ought to stand ready to give our full support to those we choose to lead.

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The outgoing Executive

A candid moment during the handing over of gifts to the DARE TO CARE Center, Spanish Town

From left to right: Fiona Ferron (Secretary), Deniese Sealey (PRO), Winston Chin (President), Delrose Holgate (2nd Vice-President), Ernest Campbell (Treasurer)

Missing are: Andrew Holmes (1st Vice-President), Karlene Simpson (Asst Secretary) and Colette McIntosh (Asst Treasurer)

*The Park is ours to share,
so please, do take care!!!*

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THE DARE TO CARE CENTER

NOTICES

- 1 . ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2004, IN THE PARK. PLEASE COME OUT IN YOUR NUMBERS AND TAKE PART IN THE ELECTION OF NEW OFFICERS.
 2. PERSONS WITH OUTSTANDING DUES FOR LAST YEAR (AUGUST 03—JULY 04) ARE ASKED TO COME PREPARED TO SETTLE THEIR D E B T .
 3. NOMINATION FOR VACANT POSTS ARE STILL BEING ACCEPTED
 4. Copies of the constitution are being distributed, but you may only receive a copy if you are a paid up member of the Association.
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