



Presbytery of Hudson River - Nominating Form

I nominate:

Name _____

Email _____

Preferred phone _____

Address _____

Congregation _____

Please check if RE _____ or TE _____ or non-ordained lay person _____
(laypeople who are not Ruling Elders are eligible to serve on any
committee that does not have commissioning power.)

to this

Presbytery committee/ *position* _____.

(Unless otherwise indicated, each term is three years in length with the
possibility of two consecutive terms.)

Committee Descriptions are attached.

***starred committees have commissioning powers, TEs and REs only.**

*Committee on Ministry

*Committee on Preparation for Ministry

Committee on Representation

*Council at-large Member

Faith and Order Committee

Finance Committee

Grants Committee

Nominations Committee

*Permanent Judicial Commission – 6 year term

Personnel Committee

Property Committee

Presbytery Moderator

General Assembly Commissioner

Synod Commissioner

Submitted by: _____

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or mail to: Presbytery of Hudson River, 655 Scarborough Road, Scarborough NY 10510

Presbytery of Hudson River – Brief Committee Descriptions

The purpose of the **Committee on Ministry** is to oversee all the appropriate requirements of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) as related to the pastoral relationships with the presbytery's congregations and the status of all its members, in such a way that will create and sustain healthy, vital communities of faith and provide strong, transformative leadership for the Presbytery of Hudson River.

The purpose of the **Committee on Preparation for Ministry** is to nurture, guide, and support women and men as they discern/confirm God's call to ordination as ministers of Word and Sacrament or commissioning as ruling elder, assessing call and skills for ministry and overseeing all the appropriate requirements of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

The purpose of the **Committee on Representation** is to be an advocate for diversity and a resource for the just representation of all members and congregations of the Presbytery within the life of the Presbytery.

The purpose of the **Council** is to oversee the mission and ministry of the Presbytery of Hudson River in order to focus, align and coordinate its resources toward the Presbytery's approved ministry goals.

The purpose of the **Faith and Order Committee** is to advise the Presbytery of Hudson River on matters concerning theology and polity.

The purpose of the **Finance Committee** is to manage and oversee the financial resources of the Presbytery of Hudson River and provide financial resources for the presbytery's mission and ministry.

The purpose of the **Grants Committee** is to support the mission and ministry of the Presbytery of Hudson River by faithfully ensuring that the grants under its purview support resurrection living, following the guidelines provided by the Presbytery and partnering with those who are seeking effective ways to be the church in a changing world.

The purpose of the **Nominations Committee** is to provide qualified and committed individuals for all Presbytery committees. Its members are chosen by the Council.

The **Permanent Judicial Commission** shall adjudicate disciplinary and remedial cases for the Presbytery of Hudson River which may come before it, using the Rules of Discipline found in the Book of Order of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

The purpose of the **Personnel Committee** is to develop and provide, in collaboration with the General Presbyter, oversight of personnel policies and procedures that will enable the Presbytery of Hudson River to recruit, retain and motivate its paid staff in a supportive work environment.

The purpose of the **Property Committee** is to work on a range of issues, including those connected with sales or leases of church property, manses, and cemeteries.