

# 2020 MAFCA BOARD OF DIRECTORS CANDIDATES

**A**LL MAFCA MEMBERS WILL RECEIVE official ballots in the mail. The five candidates receiving the highest number of votes will be elected to the National Board of Directors for a two-year term (2021–2022).

## **HAPPY BEGG IRMO, SOUTH CAROLINA**

**HAPPY BEGG HAS BEEN** a member of MAFCA since 2004. She has been very active at the local and national level since 2009. Happy received the 2010 MAFCA Newsletter of the Year Award and the 2011 MAFCA Website of the Year Award. She chaired the 2012 MAFCA National Awards Banquet. She has served in her local chapter, Palmetto A's of South Carolina, as Newsletter Editor, Treasurer, Vice President, and President. She spearheaded the formation of the Southeastern Touring Group in 2016. At the national level, Happy served on the MAFCA Board as Vice President in 2014, 2015, and 2016, and as President in 2017. Also, she worked with the local chapter hosts for the 2014, 2015, and 2016 National Awards Banquets, the 2014 and 2016 National Conventions, and the 2014, 2015, and 2017 National Tours. Before retiring, Happy worked many years in the West Bloomfield Michigan School District and served five years on the Society of Automotive Engineers, Detroit Section, Annual Meeting Committee. She possesses great organizational, fundraising, web design, and planning skills, along with talent in budget management.



members around the country. I am a strong advocate of driving our A's and believe the strongest visibility we have as a club is getting our cars out and in the public. I have served as a club President, Vice President, Tour Director, Board Member, and as a large tour chairman — and will use these valuable experiences in the role of MAFCA Director. I will also use the skills learned from a very successful 45-year career managing large manufacturing facilities with very challenging requirements in operations, logistics, budget, safety, and human resources to actively serve you on the MAFCA Board.

## **JIM CANNON YOUNG HARRIS, GEORGIA**

**YOU MAY RECOGNIZE** my name and photo, as I served previously on the Board as Technical Director and wrote the Technical Q&A column in *The Restorer* for several years. I continue to write “Jim's Tech Tips” for members. I've owned and driven a Model A since high school. I think it is a great hobby, and MAFCA is a great family-oriented club that offers something for everyone when it comes to enjoying this reliable, fun little car. I'd like to volunteer my time again to support the hobby through MAFCA at the national level. To help build MAFCA's tomorrow, I need your vote today. Please find your ballots, mark them for me, and return them to the MAFCA office today. Please don't put it off; I can't do it without your support. Thanks, and “Have a Model A Day!”



## **ROBERT BULLARD HOCKLEY, TEXAS**

**I'VE BEEN A MEMBER** of the old car community since restoring my first car in the 1970s. I am currently a member of numerous car clubs, Model A Chapters, and Special Interest Touring Groups. My wife, Elaine, and I tour extensively each year, meeting many of our wonderful MAFCA



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**WHEN YOU RECEIVE YOUR BALLOT**, vote for no more than five candidates. To be counted, ballots must be postmarked by October 15, 2020. (Candidates are listed in alphabetic order.)

Results will be announced and new Directors will be installed at the Board of Directors meeting in La Habra, California, on December 4.

## **RUTH JANKE** **CONCORD, CALIFORNIA**

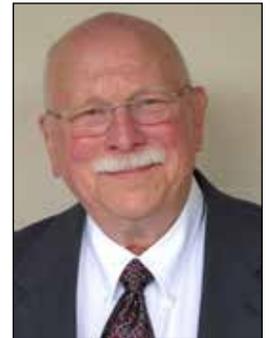
I HAVE BEEN A MEMBER of MAFCA for 20 years and a member of Diablo A's for the same period. With my husband, Alex, I have supported MAFCA in many ways. We spent seven years representing MAFCA at the Hershey swap meet in Pennsylvania. I provided staffing for the tent and sold products and answered technical questions posed by visitors. At each National Convention, I have supported the MAFCA store operations. At the Reno convention, I created and managed the registration for banquet seating. I have been a co-author of two MAFCA books, the *Coupe Book* and the *Tudor Book*. I have helped restore three Model A's from the ground up. I pledge my support for the coming two years if you elect me to the Board of Directors. I know I can be of service to our club. Thank you for your support.



With this perspective in mind, I would like to serve on the MAFCA Board of Directors to support an organization that builds upon the hobby from the local to international level. I can think of no better way to support MAFCA than to do my part to help build the organization as a Director.

## **BILL TRUESDELL** **CONCORD, CALIFORNIA**

2019 AND 2020 HAVE BEEN great fun on MAFCA's Board of Directors. I have enjoyed the privilege of serving you as the PR/Publications Director and as President. In the coming two years, I hope to continue that service on your Board, working toward the objectives of strong financial results and superior member service. For nearly 20 years I have belonged to MAFCA and come from a family of MAFCA members. I have helped prepare the new *Victoria Book* for publication and have been supporting the project to republish the *Upholstery Book*. I'm proud of MAFCA and its contributions to the Model A hobby. And I'm proud to have been a part of that in a small way. With your support I would like to continue making those contributions.



## **DEAN POTTER** **CALGARY, ALBERTA, CANADA**

MODEL A FORD CARS were objects of my interest over 25 years ago when I joined MAFCA and the Stampede City Model A Ford Club in Calgary, Alberta. Long-term friendships forged with Model A enthusiasts became an unforeseen reward to my wife and me from behind the wheel of my Model A. I have served as President of the Stampede City club as well as the Tours and Events Director. As a professional geologist, I have had a successful career in the oil and gas industry, including personally starting and successfully operating several oil companies.

