



**MAD RIVER VALLEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**  
**ANNUAL MEETING 2017**  
**BOARD OF DIRECTORS & OFFICERS | NOMINATIONS**

**I | PROPOSED SLATE | BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Your Board of Directors recommends that we stay with nine Directors for the time being, in line with our Bylaws, which allow for between seven and eleven Directors. This gives us room to expand the Board as opportunities present.

**Your Board of Directors nominates the following slate:**

- June Anderson            3<sup>rd</sup> year, 1<sup>st</sup> term
- Ted Fisher                3<sup>rd</sup> year, 1<sup>st</sup> term
- Lori Klein                1<sup>st</sup> year, 2<sup>nd</sup> term
- Brad Long                2<sup>nd</sup> year, 1<sup>st</sup> term
- Peter MacLaren        3<sup>rd</sup> year, 2<sup>nd</sup> term
- Roger Nishi              2<sup>nd</sup> year, 2<sup>nd</sup> term
- Jack Sharry              3<sup>rd</sup> year, 1<sup>st</sup> term
- Jim Tabor                1<sup>st</sup> year, 2<sup>nd</sup> term
- Amy Todisco            1<sup>st</sup> year, 2<sup>nd</sup> term

Additional nominations from the membership must be submitted to the Executive Director at [jasmine@madrivervalley.com](mailto:jasmine@madrivervalley.com) with 5 signatures of members who support the nominee.

*One Director is retiring after serving two terms. Our MANY thanks to **Rosemarie White!** Rosemarie has been a dedicated member of our Board, serving in a variety of capacities, and most recently as Treasurer. Thank you, Rosemarie!*

**II | PROPOSED SLATE | OFFICERS**

**Your Board of Directors nominates the following officers:**

- Amy Todisco: Chair
- Peter MacLaren: Secretary
- Roger Nishi: Treasurer

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- **June Anderson**

A resident of Waitsfield, VT and originally from CT. June and her husband Wendell have been 2nd homeowners in the Mad River Valley since 1999. They moved with their family to the area full time in 2010. June owns and operates Resort Guides, which publishes the Mad River Valley 4-Season Guide plus other tourist guides and mobile apps in Stowe, the Adirondacks and in Middlebury. Together with Wendell she also owns and operates the Bundy Modern Gallery in Waitsfield.

- **Ted Fisher**

Ted is Vice President of Sales and Marketing at Sugarbush. He is a graduate of the University of Vermont where he earned a BA in History and Economics. Fisher's prior experience includes serving as Marketing & Sales Director for Kilowatt Technologies, Marketing and Public Relations Director for Burlington City Arts, Sales Manager for Gardener's Supply, and Vice President/Regional Sales Manager for Vermont Federal Bank.

- **Lori Klein**

Lori has been a full time resident of the Mad River Valley since 1980. She is a graduate of Smith College and the Bloomingdale's Executive Training Program. She is a founding partner of Artisans' Gallery in Waitsfield, the Buyer at the Warren Store and a jewelry designer. Lori has served on many boards including the Warren School Board, Valley Arts, GMCC and the Mad River Riding and Driving Club.

- **Brad Long**

Brad is a long time resident of the Mad River Valley having worked for Mad River Canoe, Controlled Energy Corporation and Freeaire Refrigeration. He spent four years working at Dealer.com, and now works for Efficiency Vermont.

- **Peter MacLaren**

Peter grew up in Scotland and then worked in the Telecoms industry for 35 years. Early in his engineering career he moved to Canada when he met and married his wife Susan. He has worked in England, around Canada, Texas and France. Latterly he ran the North American division of a global supplier of Public Safety wireless systems. Peter and Susan became co-owners of West Hill House B&B in Warren in 2006.

- **Roger Nishi**

Roger is heavily involved with the regulatory and legislative activities of the Waitsfield & Champlain Valley Telecom, as well as in accounting. Prior to coming to Vermont, Roger was a senior manager with the telecommunications consulting group at the accounting firm of Ernst & Young. Roger holds a Bachelor of Science degree in accounting from Central Washington University.

- **Jack Sharry**

A resident of Warren, VT and Westwood, MA, Jack has been an active participant on the Mad River Valley Community Vitality Project. Jack has been a sales and marketing executive at a number of leading financial services firms, and is a principal at LifeYield LLC, a software company that enables investors to reach their retirement goals.

- **Jim Tabor**

Jim is an author who has served as a corporate and ad agency vice president, marketing communications consultant, and horse wrangler. He's lived in Waitsfield for 22 years.

- **Amy Todisco**

Amy moved to the MRV by way of NYC and MA, and lives in Waitsfield with Dave Hartshorn. Amy is leading the MRV Wellness Alliance. She created and leads the Your Turning Point Retreats and Coaching-personal growth and wellness retreats, and is an integral part of Hartshorn Farm. Amy has been a small business owner, a community organizer, and 20+ year nationally recognized leader and educator in the green living movement.