

## **BOARD CHOICE NOMINEES**

2000-2001

President Iverson asked me to compile statistics showing the number of nominees, etc. I have done this for those nominees presented for 2000 and 2001.

During that time period there were by my count 21 nominations submitted by Board members out of a possible 50 awards to be given. Of those 21 individuals, only 5 have renewed their membership for 2002 and of those 5, 4 are either officers in the association (State Representative, etc.) or on a Committee (Professional Development Grants).

I am sorry to report to you that of the initial 21, 6 of them were never entered into MPLA's database so that they have not received their membership card, Newsletter, etc. So, we are really only talking about 15 awardees who really were entered as members. I don't know how that happened, but it was my responsibility to make sure that it got done. I will be contacting each of them electronically before the end of the week, explaining my mistake and extending their membership through the end of 2002. I also plan to send them back issues of the Newsletter at the same time.

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