



## Nominees to Fill Vacant Board Seats

In 2019, two seats on the Board of Directors will be vacant and up for election.

The Board of Directors has appointed a Nominating Committee to nominate qualified credit union members to fill the vacancies. The Nominating Committee is responsible for ensuring that nominees are qualified and meet all federal requirements. The Nominating Committee has nominated Royden Russell and Alex Castro to fill the two open seats. A brief biography of each nominee is below.

Eligible members who would like to be included on the 2019 ballot, but who were not nominated by the Nominating Committee, may petition to be a candidate. To petition, the petitioner must obtain the signature of 1% of the members of ACFCU. Completed petitions must be filed with the Secretary of the credit union no later than January 31, 2019. To obtain a petition form, please contact Angela Vaughn at (800) 378-3778 ext. 4002.

If, at the time of the election, the number of nominees equals the number of positions to be filled, the election will not be conducted by ballot. There will be no nominations from the floor. Rather, each nominee will be declared elected by acclamation.

If an election is conducted by ballot, the balloting will be by mail and email. Ballots will be sent out to members around the end of February.

Results of the election will be announced at the **2019 Annual Meeting, which will be held April 4, 2019, at The Inn at Wise, 110 E. Main St., Wise, VA, 24293 at 5:30 p.m.**



**Royden Russell, Current Chair Board of Directors, Chair Appalachian Community Insurance Agency, Chair Appalachian Community Title Agency**/12 years ACFCU Board; Former President Scott County Civitan Club; Former Chair Scott County Redevelopment & Housing Authority/US Dept of Housing & Urban Dev; Grassroots Legislative Initiatives-NTCA, Instructed Money Management Workshops, Pre-retirement Planning Seminars and Trust Fund Management. Retired National Telecommunications Cooperative Assoc/Services Management Corporation.



**Alex Castro, Board Treasurer**/12 years of service – Building Committee. Supervisor of Hematology and Coagulation at Norton Community Hospital since 1991. Served at State of Vermont Microbiology Research Department and at Fletcher Allen Medical Center in Burlington, VT. Volunteer for Wise County Fall Fling 5k run. Little League Coach. Previously on Board of Directors for Godly Film Studios, Burbank, California.

