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Notice of Nominee for Stated Clerk, Presbytery of San Diego

Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

With gratitude to God, after prayerfully conducting a search for our next Stated Clerk nationally through the PCUSA's Church Leadership Connection and advertising in the Presbyterian Outlook, regionally through the Synod, and locally through the San Diego Presbytery website and letter to all San Diego Presbytery churches, your elected Stated Clerk Nominating Committee (Rev. Dr. Jack Baca, Elder Delores McNeely, Elder Frances Lin, Elder Tom Wickstrom and I) are pleased to put before you our very own Elder Michael Williams.

In preparation for voting to formally receive Michael during our 13 November Presbytery meeting, here is his bio:

Michael Williams is a Ruling Elder and a member of Village Community Presbyterian Church of Rancho Santa Fe, California. Michael ("Mike") has served in many roles in his local congregations, middle governing councils and at the General Assembly level, including, serving on his local session three (3) different times and teaching Sunday School to 4<sup>th</sup> graders for 16 years; moderator of both the San Diego Presbytery (1999) and the Synod of Southern California and Hawaii (2004); member and moderator of both his presbytery's and synod's permanent judicial commissions; member and moderator (multiple times) of San Diego Presbytery's Committee on Ministry; and, currently a member of both the Advisory Committee on the Constitution (currently its vice-moderator) and the Advisory Committee on Litigation at the General Assembly.

Mike's formal education consists of a B.A. degree (history) from the University of California, Riverside and a J.D. degree from the University of San Diego School of Law. Mike has been practicing law in San Diego North County for nearly 38 years and resides in Encinitas. Mike is a member of the Fee Arbitration Committee of the State Bar of California; has been a court appointed arbitrator and a judge pro tem.

Mike is currently married to Charlotte ("Charlie") and has two adult children: Meg and Jim. Meg lives in Pomona with her husband, Jeff, and she teaches in the Ontario/Montclair school district. Jim lives in Tucson, Arizona, with his wife, Cassie, where he works for a private civil engineering firm. Mike has 4 grandchildren ranging in ages from 7 to 2.

Grace and Peace,



Rev. Dr. Gary J. Ziccardi Chair, Stated Clerk Nominating Committee