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New York District, Kiwanis International

Mancuso Elected International Trustee

More than 200 New York Kiwanians made the short trip to the Kiwanis International Convention in Toronto to, in part, help elect Distinguished Past Gov. Peter Mancuso to the International Board of Trustees.

More than a year in the planning, a team working with the candidate with his brother, Jim Mancuso at their head, were successful.

Numbers are not released from the voting, but Mancuso was one of three who won three-year terms on the International Board. He will take office Oct. 1.

Mancuso, past distinguished New York governor, was elected along with M.A. "Fred" Dietze of the Wisconsin-Upper Michigan District and Bert West of the Rocky Mountain District.

In other elections, Florencio C. "Poly" Lat of the Philippine Luzon District defeated three other candidates to be elected Kiwanis International vice president for the coming year. He will be Kiwanis International president in 2018-19.

Jane Erickson of the Nebraska-Iowa District was elected president for 2016-17 in an uncontested election. James M. Rochford of the Illinois-Eastern Iowa District was elected president-elect, also uncontested. He will serve as president in 2017-18.

Many more pictures and a report on the House of Delegates action are on pages 6, 7 and 8.



Mancuso receiving congratulations at the end of the delegate session. His wife, Karen, has her back to the camera.

Mancuso Thanks Supporters

Thank you all from the bottom of my heart for your support of our campaign. I am deeply grateful to you for the many ways in which you have contributed to our success, whether by serving as part of our inner campaign circle (you know who you are), voting as a delegate, attending the convention, serving as a divisional coordinator, encouraging others to vote for me, or by making a campaign donation.

I will honor the confidence you have placed in me by serving you to the very best of my ability the next three years as your Kiwanis International Trustee.

- Peter Mancuso
International Trustee-Designate



The candidate's booth in the convention Exhibit Hall was staffed by volunteers.

District Convention Aug. 17-21 in Buffalo

The 99th annual New York District Convention will take place Aug. 17-21 at the Adam's Mark Hotel and Event Center in Buffalo.

Governor and governor-elect for 2016-17 will be elected. There will be many informational sessions and opportunities to meet Kiwanians from around the district.

More information is on pages 4-5.