



# **NOMINATION PROCEDURES FOR MODERATOR OR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST ASSOCIATION**

## **DEADLINE FOR NOMINATION**

This nomination form must be filed on or before 5 p.m. February 1 of the election year, to be valid. (Whenever February 1 falls on a weekend, the deadline is extended to the next business day.)

## **BYLAW PROVISIONS FOR NOMINATION BY PETITION**

### ***Section 9.6. Nomination by Petition.***

(a) For Moderator and President. A nomination for the office of Moderator or President, for a regular or special election, may be by petition signed by no fewer than fifty certified member congregations. A certified member congregation may authorize the signing of a petition only by vote of its governing board or by vote at a duly called meeting of its members. Such a petition shall be filed with the Secretary of the Association, only in such form as the Secretary may prescribe, not later than February 1 of the year of the election and not earlier than the preceding March 1.

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

1. A petition consists of the Petition Page, Certification of Membership, and Congregation Nomination Forms from no fewer than 50 certified member congregations.
2. All parts of the petition must be submitted together. If Congregation Nomination forms are received separately, they will not be collated with the petition.
3. Petitions received after February 1 of the election year will be accepted if and only if they are postmarked on or before January 25. (See UUA Bylaws, Rule G-13.4.1 and G-13.4.2 for specifics.) The Secretary cannot grant any extensions.

**The candidate should send completed forms to:**

***UUA Board Secretary  
c/o Stephanie Carey Maron  
Unitarian Universalist Association  
24 Farnsworth St.  
Boston, MA 02210.***