



District 86 Toastmasters

Located in Southwestern and Central Ontario, Canada

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District Leadership Committee Chair

The District Leadership Committee (DLC) evaluates all candidates for District elected roles and nominates the best candidate(s). To ensure successful District elections, the District Director appoints the DLC Chair, who is a past District leader, no later than November 1.

The DLC Chair appoints the members of the DLC subject to the approval of the District Director. The remaining committee members shall be appointed no later than December 1. Each Division must be equally represented on the DLC. The District Director, Program Quality Director, and Club Growth Director cannot serve as a committee member. The DLC chair is a non-voting member of the committee and cannot represent a Division.

The work of the DLC is critical in ensuring long-term District success. They must (1) abide by the timeline provided in Article XI, (2) identify and seek qualified candidates, (3) commit to meet on a regular basis to conduct candidate assessments and to complete the selection process, (4) confirm that each candidate meets the qualifications, and (5) ensure the minimum number of candidates have been nominated for each of the required elective District offices. No DLC member may be nominated or run from the floor for any District role for the program year following the election in which the committee's report is presented.

District Leadership Committee Timeline

Reports	Timeline
District Leadership Committee (DLC) Members Confirmed	31 October 2023
Call for nomination	1 November 2023
November District Executive Council Meeting (DEC) Meeting	4 November 2023
Candidate declaration of intent to run. Due to DLC	6 January 2024
Candidates virtual interview	January 14, 15, 16 of 2024
January DEC Meeting	13 January 2024
Decision on nominated candidates – Reply to all candidates; nominated and non-nominated.	January 23, 24, 25 of 2024
District Leadership Committee notifies District Director of Nominated candidates.	27 January 2024
February DEC Meeting	24 February 2024
DEC & Elections	Date to be determined by DEC in September