



**MVCAC**  
Mosquito and Vector Control Association of California

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September 25, 2017

To: All MVCAC Corporate Members

From: Bob Achermann, Executive Director

Subject: Election of MVCAC Honorary Members, Service with Distinction and 2018 Officer Slate

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### **Honorary Membership**

Enclosed you will find an honorary membership ballots for **Jack Cavier**, retired District Manager of the Glenn County Mosquito and Vector Control District and **Branka B. Lothrop, Ph.D.**, retired District Manager for the Coachella Valley Mosquito and Vector Control District.

Both have received the required five nominations from member districts.

MVCAC honorary membership is reserved for individuals who have provided exceptional and distinguished service in the field of mosquito or vector control in California. To receive this special recognition, nominees must receive a two-thirds vote of the corporate membership.

### **Service with Distinction**

This newly added award has received one nominee, **Bob Azzaro**, former Board president of Fresno Mosquito and Vector Control District.

**Ballots are due back to the MVCAC office no later than Monday, October 16, 2017.**

**Copies of all letters of recommendation are linked on the MVCAC website at [www.mvcac.org](http://www.mvcac.org).**

### **2018 Officer Slate**

You will find the officer slate listed on page 3. Please fill in your choices and return to the MVCAC office also by Monday, October 16, 2017.



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## OFFICIAL BALLOT – MVCAC AWARDS

Please mark each candidate you support below and return completed ballot by October 16, 2017.

### Honorary Membership (multiple choices allowed)

- Jack Cavier
- Branka Lothrop, Ph.D.

### Service with Distinction

- Bob Azzaro

Please sign and date the written ballots and return to the executive office by fax to **916-444-7462**, or by email to [mvcac@mvcac.org](mailto:mvcac@mvcac.org). You may also mail back at **MVCAC, Attn: Ballots, One Capitol Mall, Suite 800, Sacramento, CA, 95814**.

**Your ballot must be received no later than Monday, October 16, 2017 so it may be tabulated.**

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_



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## OFFICIAL BALLOT – MVCAC 2018 OFFICER SLATE

### 2017-2018 OFFICERS

Office	Name	Agency	Vote
<b>President:</b>	David Heft	Turlock MAD	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>President-Elect:</b>	Jeremy Wittie	Coachella Valley MVCD	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Vice-President:</b>	Peter Bonkrude	Shasta MVCD	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Write-in: _____		<input type="checkbox"/>

Ballots and Vice-President Candidate information can be found on the MVCAC website in the member login area:

Direct link to the Ballot: <http://www.mvcac.org/election-of-mvcac-honorary-members-and-2017-2018-officer-slate/>

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Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

**Vice President Candidate Biography:**

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Peter Bonkrude has been serving as the District Manager for the Shasta Mosquito and Vector Control since 2009. He has been in mosquito and vector control industry for over 15 years; working in research, operations, and surveillance. Peter received a degree in Environmental Biology from the University of Colorado-Boulder and a Master's degree in entomology from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.