### Western Pennsylvania Linux Users Group October 2008 OFFICIAL BALLOT - Board of Directors Election

### How to Vote

WPLUG uses a variant of the range voting method for Board elections. Though only five (5) Directors are to be elected, you may cast votes for as many candidates as you like. Simply fill in each set of brackets below with the digit representing your attitude toward the candidate: [0] - Unfavorable

- [1] Weakly Favorable
- [2] Moderately Favorable
- [3] Strongly Favorable

You may write in candidates not listed using the spaces provided. The winners will be decided by total points received. A blank value means the same as a 0: both express disapproval of a candidate. A more detailed explanation of the voting system and examples can be seen at <<u>http://www.wplug.org/w/index.php/Election\_Instructions</u>>. Brief statements provided by the candidates are available at <<u>http://www.wplug.org/w/index.php/Election\_20081004</u>>.

Print out the ballot and score the candidates as directed above.

### Candidates

	] Mathieu Dubé	[	] (write-in)
0	] Vance Kochenderfer	[	] (write-in)
0	] Dave Kraus	[	] (write-in)
0	] Bill Moran	[	] (write-in)
0	] Michael Semcheski	[	] (write-in)

# To Seal the Ballot

Fold the ballot, then seal it inside an envelope. Print your name on and sign the outside of the envelope. If the name on the envelope does not match the list of registered members, your vote will not be opened - so print clearly.

# To Vote at the Meeting

Bring your signed envelope to the meeting or have another person bring it for you and cast it before the polls close.

# To Vote by Mail

Place the signed envelope into another envelope and mail it to the WPLUG mailbox. When your letter is received, an e-mail confirmation will be sent to you from the Secretary or one of her designees. Your ballot must be received before the Meeting to be counted.

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# If you have any Questions

You may contact the WPLUG Secretary with any questions by e-mail at <bethlynneicher@gmail.com>.