

# PODC Chair-Elect Selection Procedure

Approved by PODC on January 18, 2001

1. The Past Chair, Current Chair and Chair Elect will serve as the selection committee.
2. Nominees must come from those in the first year of their four-year term in order to complete the officer rotation (Chair Elect/Secretary in second year, Chair in third year, and Past Chair in fourth year).
3. The selection process should attempt to rotate the new officer among the regions and associations as well as consider a gender and race balance.
4. The new officer should not come from the sub-committee representatives (currently SED and NELD), USDA representatives or Administrative Advisors.
5. The selection committee will visit with potential candidates about their interest and provide them with this selection procedure and the job descriptions.
6. The Current Chair will visit with any interested member's Director/Administrator for support of their candidacy.
7. The selection committee will present the nominee(s) at the summer PODC meeting for consensus and/or suggestions.
8. The Current Chair notifies NASULGC's Johnsrud and the ECOP Chair of PODC's Chair Elect selection and reports this decision at the ECOP fall meeting.
9. ECOP approves PODC's suggestion or makes another selection.