Florida Society of Medical Assistants, Inc.

April 24, 2015

To: Maria Wiegelmann, CMA (AAMA) Speaker of the General Assembly
Joyce Baldwin, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker of the General Assembly

From: Maria Wiegelmann, CMA (AAMA)
Speaker of the General Assembly

Re: Annual Report 2015

This officer has attended all executive council meetings. Even though Joyce Baldwin, CMA (AAMA), our Vice Speaker, will not be attending the General Assembly meeting she and I will work closely together by email to ensure a successful meeting.

Two emails were sent out to remind board members that reports were due March 1, 2015. The emails included details as to the content and format for the reports. Thank you to all who submitted them on time and in the format requested.

The General Assembly packet will be online 30 days prior to the meeting. Be sure to print a copy for yourself – it will not be provided at the meeting. Familiarize yourself with the content of all reports.

We welcome Paula Purdy, CMA (AAMA), Vice-President of AAMA, as our representative this year. If you have any questions or suggestions about what the AAMA is or is not doing, Paula is ready to listen.

Thank you to Major Clarence Wood with the VFW, A.E.M. Post 4287 and his fellow officers who will again present the colors, and lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance and the National Anthem at the General Assembly.

A big thank you to the following members and students who will be filling these important positions at the General Assembly:

Minutes Committee: Kathryn Panagiotacos, CMA (AAMA), Central Gulf Coast Chapter, Chair; Charmain Staley, CMA (AAMA), Central Florida Chapter; Judi Donellan, CMA (AAMA) Central Florida Chapter

Credentials Committee: Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA), Southwest Chapter, Chair. Deniece still needs some volunteers so please contact her if you would like to help: djcma@outlook.com

Reference Committee: Mary Morris, CMA (AAMA) Central Florida Chapter, Chair; Carol Francis, CMA (AAMA) Central Florida Chapter; Olive Devine, CMA (AAMA), Central Florida Chapter

Tellers Chair: Theresa Errante-Parrino, CMA (AAMA), Treasure Coast Chapter, Chair. Theresa will be bringing the following students from Indian River State College to act as tellers and pages. She has been doing this for many years and we appreciate her continued commitment to her students and to FSMA.
Ballot Tellers whose responsibility is to count the votes after voting is closed:
Shawna Knox, Ashlee Duncan, Kathy Potter, Rhonda Ray, Kathleen Cosgrove
Hand Count Tellers will serve to count hands or standing votes if required:
Chrissy Alford, Nicole LaMartina, Chrissy Lincoln, Jasmine Agnew, Elsa Garcia
Pages are here to assist the eligible voting members, by delivering messages during the General Assembly and/or as otherwise directed:
Ebony Dennis, Vickie Esquivel, Lindsey Hampson, Ami Esquivel

Parliamentarian: Marsha Benedict, CMA (AAMA) Treasure Coast Chapter

Timekeeper: Crescent Kleckner, CMA (AAMA) Central Gulf Coast Chapter

Sergeant-at-Arms: Charles Cleary, CMA (AAMA) Central Florida Chapter

It is my pleasure to serve as your Speaker of the General Assembly for 2015.