

# 2024 MCJA Election Form

PLEASE fill out this form by Friday, April 5, 2024.

**First and Last Name \***

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**Position Running for:**

Representative

President-Elect

Have you been a member of MCJA for three consecutive years?

Yes

No

#### JUDGING EXPERIENCE \*

- MHSAA Safety Official since 1994 (with a break 2006-2015)
- District, Regional, and State Finals Official
- National level safety judging experience

#### OTHER EXPERIENCE RELATED TO SERVING AS A BOARD MEMBER \*

(Coaching, Training, etc.)

- Over 25 years Varsity coaching experience at Rochester Adams, Lake Orion, and Bloomfield Hills High Schools (Competitive and Sideline Cheer)
- Cheer! Michigan Director and Stunt Coordinator for 25 years
- Guest speaker/presenter for MCJA, CCCAM, MCCA, and Cheer! Michigan
- Attended numerous national conferences including National Federation Spirit Rules conferences
- Previously served on several MHSAA Competitive Cheer committees

What will you bring to the MCJA Board? \*

Enthusiasm, passion, and a love of cheer! I am hardworking, love to multi-task, and am a great team player. I bring years of multi-faceted experience entrenched in the sport of cheer as an athlete, coach, and official. I will offer my expertise to help educate and train current and future members.

Why are you interested in being on the MCJA Board? \*

I am truly passionate about Competitive Cheer, especially safety. It is important that officials, as well as coaches, have a true understanding of competitive cheer rules. Through trainings, Cheer Chats, and open communication, I would love to help MCJA ensure consistency at all competitions. Coaches should feel the Board is doing everything it can to educate and advocate for our sport.

What do you see as the role of MCJA? \*

To provide officials with the tools needed to bring out the best in each member. By providing a sound foundation, continually educating, mentoring, and providing support, MCJA will help officials reach their full potential. MCJA is also a soundboard for its members, as well as a safe place to ask questions and learn.

How will you encourage other officials to be a part of MCJA? \*

Actively and enthusiastically discuss with officials the fabulous things MCJA does. Print up cards with MCJA membership information to give to officials who are not current members. Encourage these individuals to join our fantastic association. I truly believe one can continuously learn things, especially from our peers.

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