



# VASA ORDER OF AMERICA

## PA DISTRICT LODGE #9 CREDENTIAL

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Has legally elected .....as returning/new delegate/alternate to the District Lodge Meeting which is to be held at The Clarion Inn and Event Center in Frederick, MD on September 25-27, 2020 on behalf of:

Local Lodge..... No. ....

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Chairman

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Secretary

Fill in and send to the DS, Pat Bellingham, by June 30, 2020. Circle: returning or new and delegate or alternate.



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Chairman

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Secretary

This copy to be given to delegate to be presented at the District Meeting. Circle: returning or new and delegate or alternate.

In preparation for the District convention, September 25-27, 2020, at the Clarion Inn and Event Center, Frederick, MD, your Lodge needs to elect Delegates to represent your Local Lodge at this event.

Delegate Eligibility - Representation from the local lodge to the District Convention shall be in proportion to its membership as noted in the June 30<sup>th</sup> report in the year in which the convention is held. The number of delegates elected will be at the discretion of each Local Lodge. The Local Lodge is responsible for the room and board for each delegate. (The DL#9 pays the banquet costs for lodge delegates.) A Local Lodge is entitled to:

1-25 members = 2 delegates

26-75 members = 4 delegates

76-125 members = 6 delegates

126-175 members = 8 delegates

When your delegates/alternate delegates have been elected, please complete the two part credential form for EACH person that will be representing your Lodge. All forms must be signed by your Lodge Chairman and the Secretary of your Lodge. Be sure to indicate on the credential forms those individuals who are delegates or alternates. Also, please make a notation if the delegate is a new or returning delegate.

The TOP half of each form is to be returned to me. The LOWER half should be given to the delegate or alternate for presentation at the Credentials registration table. Delegates and alternates must have their credentials registered by 9:30AM so that they can be included in the quorum for the General Business Session.

If your Lodge does not meet in the summer months please take the time now to elect your delegates/alternates so the required information can be sent to me by June 30<sup>th</sup>. This will closely coincide with your June assessment timeline, so please be mindful of this deadline in case changes to your membership numbers change your delegate eligibility.

As always, if there are any questions or concerns please contact me:

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