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Dear Florida Parking Association Members:

FPA is pleased to announce that it is now accepting ***nominations*** for Director at Large (***five positions are open***) for a two-year FPA Board term. Serving on the FPA Board gives members an opportunity to grow personally and professionally, develop skills, gain unique experience, and make lasting connections with a team of passionate and motivated professionals.

Board service also provides these unique opportunities:

- Develop valuable skills in non-profit governance, program planning and strategic planning
- Expand your network of professional contacts
- Gain recognition from your employer, community and peers

Nominees can self-nominate or be nominated by another individual. All candidate applications will be reviewed by the Board Nominating Committee. The Committee will develop and present a slate of candidates to the FPA membership by late-October for the annual election which will take place at the end of October. ***The election will remain open until the first day of the 2016 Annual Conference*** (November 30).

We hope that you, or someone you know, will consider serving in a ***leadership capacity*** and make a positive impact on the parking profession and the Association. The nomination process is simple. Just email Chester Escobar at cescobar@spplus.com with the following information:

1. Name of Nominee
2. Nominee's contact information – email address and phone number
3. Nominee's place of employment, title, and time at current position
4. Short description of the Nominee's attributes, and
5. Reason for nomination for the FPA Board

All nominees **MUST** be a current (2016) member of FPA. Please note that serving on the Board requires a time commitment of no less than (2) hours per month during non-conference months, plus the ability to attend two (2) on-site Board planning meetings (usually April and August). Board members are also required to Chair and/or participate on an Association committee. During the months leading up to the annual conference, the time requirements will increase depending on the involvement of the Board member.

This year's election process will be completely through email, so please make sure that we have your correct email address. If you require a paper ballot, please let me know as soon as possible (cescobar@spplus.com).

The deadline to complete the Board Candidate Nomination is Monday, October 24th, 2016 (email nomination to cescobar@spplus.com)

Regards,

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Nominating Committee Chair and President-Elect
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