

**New York State Society of Medical Assistants
Final Election Report**

Due to the extraordinary circumstances surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic response, and in the interest of public health, the **NYSSMA Executive Board** voted to appoint Lisa McKeen to coordinate an electronic vote to select its officers and **Third NYSSMA Delegate** to the **AAMA House of Delegates** for 2020-21.

As **Website Committee Chair**, Lisa already had access to our NYSSMA roster and was able to create an electronic ballot to be returned to our NYSSMA mailbox, monitored by Lisa, who compiled the data for this report:

- As Vice-President and President-elect, **Carrie Gravelle** will serve as **NYSSMA President**
- **Kimberly Battaglini** was elected to the **Office of Vice President** by 17 votes, 0 abstentions
- **Susan Schilling** was elected to the **Office of Treasurer** by 17 votes, 0 abstentions
- **Cindy Ryder** was elected as **Third NYSSMA Delegate** to the **2020 AAMA House of Delegates**

Election results were delayed due to a run-off election being held for **Third NYSSMA Delegate** because the initial election resulted in a tie between David Sylvia and Cindy Ryder as follows:

	June 15	June 19
▪ Cindy Ryder	7	7
▪ David Sylvia	7	5
▪ Valerie Richards	2	
▪ Todd Lasher	0	
▪ Abstentions		

** Results include two mail-in ballots*

The **2020-21 NYSSMA Executive Board** is as follows:

- President: Carrie Gravelle
- Vice-President: Kimberly Battaglini
- Treasurer: Susan Schilling
- Secretary: TBA
- Immediate Past President: David Sylvia

AAMA has been updated with these results.

B. David Sylvia
NYSSMA President 2019-20