# Kalamazoo Mennonite Fellowship

## Council Membership

Council members serve for two year terms, which are staggered so that membership will overlap.

There will be two elected council members, plus the head of Council.

Initially, one council member will serve for through 2011 (until the next annual meeting), and the other will serve through 2012 (until the 2013 annual meeting).

Selection

Each regular member will receive a list of regular members.

Each regular member will (anonymously) affirm which regular members he or she believes would be a good member of council.

The head of Council will collect the results, and ask each person who received at least one affirmation for council membership if he or she is willing to serve as a member of council.

Those who are willing will be the pool of candidates for Council.

Then, the members of Council will be selected by lot in the following way, during a regular meeting for worship, after prayer:

* A paper with each term of office will be placed in an unmarked hymn book.
* As many hymn books without papers will be added to the lot as there are candidates
* The head of Council will randomize the books.
* Candidates for Council (or their proxies) will each select a book.
* Those selecting a hymn book with a paper will serve the term described therein.

If not enough candidates are available, then the positions will remain vacant until filled at a regular meeting.