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REPORT FOR EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
Sarasota Hilton Garden Inn
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Composition Commissioning Chair

There are two candidates for Commissioned Composer for the year 2011 to be considered at this meeting of the Board. The composer selected will have one year to compose a piece which will then be entered in the national competition.

The composers up for discussion are Gail Smith and Shawn Hundley.

That said, I want to take this opportunity to urge all presidents, district and local, to become more aware of the talented composers in their areas so that we can have more entries. There was one entry in 2008, two in 2009, and one in 2010.

This is an excellent opportunity for composers to enhance reputations, and it is monetarily rewarding, as well.