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My time as the Chair of SFOF has been a unique experience, but I have fully enjoyed the opportunity to represent my peers and colleagues during the year. Hopefully, we will be seeing each other in Florida in late September.

It is my honor to nominate our current Vice Chair, Arkansas Treasurer Dennis Milligan, to be the next National Chair of the State Financial Officers Foundation. Treasurer Milligan has been a steadfast support and friend to SFOF and brings insight and experience to every discussion and decision. Dennis was elected to the Office of Treasurer of State in 2014 and re-elected in 2018. As Treasurer, he serves as the State's banker and is responsible for an investment portfolio of approximately \$4.5 billion. He previously served as Saline County Circuit Clerk from 2011-2015. A tremendous strength of Treasurer Milligan's is his wonderful ability to keep even the most mundane tasks entertaining with his witty comments and banter! He is a joy to be around, and I look forward to working alongside him in the years ahead.

I have full confidence in Treasurer Milligan and his team to continue leading SFOF towards its mission of promoting fiscally responsible public policy, partnering with key stakeholders, and educating the public about the role of finance in a free market economy.

Thank you all for all you do for SFOF. Your participation is key to our success! And thank you, all, for giving me the honor of representing you as Chair of SFOF this past year. It has been a pleasure and a privilege.

My best to you all!

Kelly Mitchell

Indiana Treasurer of State

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On Jul 1, 2020, at 12:27 PM, Derek A. Kreifels <derek@sfof.com> wrote:

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Dear state leaders and staff,

It is time once again to open nominations for our 2021 national officers.

A BIG THANK YOU to our 2020 officers who have gone above and beyond the call of duty to help organize our national meetings – especially during this unique and difficult year:

National Chair: Indiana Treasurer Kelly Mitchell

National Vice Chair: Arkansas Treasurer Dennis Milligan

National Past Chair: Kentucky Treasurer Allison Ball

Auditor-At-Large: West Virginia Auditor JB McCuskey

SFOF Staff Rep: Arkansas Deputy Treasurer Grant Wallace

This year we will be electing our National Chair, National Vice Chair, Staff Representative and new this year. Auditor At-Large. The Auditor At-Large position will be for a sitting state auditor who embodies free market thinking and will represent all SFOF state auditors on the national leadership team.

The election will take place **sometime Wednesday morning, September 30th** at the internal portion of the Fall National Meeting in Orlando, FL. Details to come. New officers will take over at the 2020 Fall National Meeting. **We will accept email nominations/self-nominations beginning today through 5:00PM Central Time July 31st.**

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Each state office receives one vote for each both national chair, and vice chair. (i.e. if Kentucky and Arkansas have both the treasurer and auditor represented they would get two votes per state.) You must have a representative present at