



TOASTMASTERS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Patricia Hannan

2012–2014 International Director, Region 4

Patricia Hannan, DTM, of Wahoo, Nebraska, is supervisor of information technology projects for the Omaha Public Power District. Founder and past vice president of Mead Development Corporation, Hannan also founded Mead Betterment Group. A volunteer community planner, Hannan worked to expand housing options and maintain community schools. In recognition of her leadership efforts, Hannan was presented with the American Hometown Leader award by the National Association of Towns and Townships. Her volunteer work has led to additional awards, including Excellence in Planning from Mead Nebraska Planning and Zoning and Going the Extra Mile from Eastern Nebraska Library Systems. Hannan sat on the advisory board as an ambassador for the Nebraska Community Improvement Program and held a membership in Mead Nebraska Youth Leadership.

A graduate of the College of Saint Mary in Omaha, Hannan participated in graduate studies at the University of Phoenix. A dedicated Toastmaster for 12 years, Hannan has been a member of her home club, OPPD Toastmasters Club, in Omaha, since 2003. She has held a number of high-profile leadership positions within the organization and has attained the Distinguished Toastmaster designation — the highest level of achievement in Toastmasters. “My Toastmasters leadership experience taught me better time management, project management and strategic goal setting,” she says.

As a member of the Toastmasters International Board of Directors, Hannan is a “working ambassador” for the organization. She works with the Board to develop and support the policies and procedures that guide Toastmasters International in fulfilling its mission.

About Toastmasters

Toastmasters International is a nonprofit educational organization that teaches public speaking and leadership skills through a worldwide network of clubs. Founded in October 1924, the organization currently has more than 280,000 members in 13,500 clubs in 116 countries. Each week, Toastmasters helps more than a quarter million people of every ethnicity, education and profession build their competence in communication so they can gain the confidence to lead others. For information about local Toastmasters clubs, please visit www.toastmasters.org.