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**Objective:** A position on the ASCA Board of Directors.

**Education:** United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, MD class of 1965.

**Professional Experience:** Retired from the U.S. Navy in 1991. Commanded a fleet ballistic missile submarine (the USS Will Rogers, SSBN 659) for five years.

Upon completing the Navy career joined an employee-owned research and development company working as a field researcher and procurement officer retiring a second time in August, 2003.

**ASCA Experience:** There have been Aussies in the Dolan household continuously since 1966, starting with a blue merle male from an Idaho sheep ranch (stationed in Idaho for nuclear power training). In 1994 Sheila and I bought a puppy with the idea of doing a little obedience with him. This idea turned into obedience, conformation, agility, and livestock work with multiple Aussies. Amongst these are a pair (Dewey and Nix) who were ASCA Conformation and Working Trial Champions.

Served in a variety of capacities for the Australian Shepherd Club of New England (ASCNE). These positions included serving on the ASCNE Board of Directors as vice President, serving Treasurer for five years, newsletter editor for two years and chair the 2007 ASCA National Specialty. Support Aussie rescue by fundraising for ARPH.

Served on several ASCA committees and as an ASCA Director from 2008 to 2011 and 2014 to 2016. While a Director served as Secretary for two years, Treasurer for two years and President for one year. Also served as liaison for the Agility, Conformation, DNA, MVA, Nationals, and Obedience committees. Served as ASCA Executive Secretary for six months in 2012.

My professional background enables me to bring strong financial planning and project management skills to the Board of Directors. My ASCA experience in many competitive areas helps me anticipate potential program problems, assess the effects of Board of Director decisions on each program, and address the concerns of members competing in conformation, performance, and/or stockdog events.

I am committed to the fiscal stability of ASCA, actively responding to membership needs and concerns, and safeguarding the future of the versatile Australian Shepherd as described in the ASCA breed standard.

Thank you.

Pete Dolan