BYM SEARCH COMMITTEE Annual Report (2023)

The Search Committee is responsible for finding people to serve as officers of Baltimore Yearly Meeting, Interim Meeting and as members of Supervisory and Nominating Committees.

The Committee takes into account many factors, including race, age, and experience in BYM. For the Nominating Committee, it is also necessary to have individuals from the different areas of the Yearly Meeting. And this year, it has been impossible to find someone from Virginia to serve.

The Search Committee has been functioning all year with 4 members, rather than 6, and one of these finishes their term this year. (Friends may volunteer to the Naming Committee.)

As we prepare this report the committee has met virtually many times since last Annual Session and since there are still positions to fill, will likely meet again before Annual Session and possibly also during Annual Session. We have enjoyed having a committee with diverse ages, but would welcome new members.