

**MOUNTAIN SKY CONFERENCE STAFF/PASTOR PARISH RELATIONS COMMITTEE
APPOINTMENT ADVISORY FORM**

(Due in the District Office by December 1)

Pastor/Clergy Name:

Date:

District:

Church/Charge:

<select District from list>

Every effort is made to prayerfully match the gifts of spiritual leaders with the needs and potential of our various communities and congregations. The Bishop and Appointive Cabinet trust that you understand the appointive process is complex and involves the needs and preferences of churches and pastors throughout the Conference. Therefore, your preferences might not be met, even though supported by your pastor and District Superintendent. This form is only one among many tools for use in appointment making by the Bishop and Cabinet.

CONCERNING THE PASTORAL APPOINTMENT TO OUR CONGREGATION FOR THE COMING YEAR (CHOOSE ONE):

Please note: The coming appointment year begins July 1 and goes for 12 months.

We request our pastor return to our church because her/his gifts and skills can make significant contributions to accomplishing the mission of the congregation.

If requesting to return, briefly state what S/PPRC and Pastor hope to accomplish with your congregation in the upcoming appointment year:

Return

Either

We would be open to receiving a new pastor but also believe we are challenged and growing with our present pastor.

We discern that it may be time for our pastor to leave this appointment.

If requesting a move (or either), briefly state reasons the S/PPRC believes now may be an appropriate time for change in appointment:

Move

Additional Information for Cabinet to Consider in Appointment-Making This Year:

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Pastor and S/PPRC Chairperson have discussed the responses given above. Pastor and S/PPRC Chairperson signs below.

Pastor (sign):	Date:
S/PPR Committee Chairperson (sign):	Date:

The Mountain Sky Conference Cabinet seeks to prepare congregations to welcome spiritual leaders regardless of gender, race, age, or marital status. We therefore make appointments based on pastoral qualities and not gender, race, age, or marital status.