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Dear RSA Members:

As you know, RSA recently held Elections for Vice President, Secretary and four Board Members. The results are below. But, first I would like to thank the Nominations Committee Members (Sara Jo Nixon-Chair, Raul Caetano, Kenneth Leonard, Laura Nagy and Edith Sullivan) for their efforts in presenting an impressive slate of candidates. This would not have been possible without the membership generated nominations and without members who agree to serve RSA as Officers and Board Members.

To the candidates who ran and to those who voted I extend my thanks. I encourage those who have not sought RSA office to consider doing so in the future. And to the non-elected candidates, I want to thank you for running for office and to encourage you to consider running again in the future.

At the end of the 2011 Closing Ceremony the officers and board members will be as follows:

President – Mark Goldman (1 year term)

President Elect – Barbara McCrady (1 year term)

Secretary – Nancy Barnett (2 year term)

Treasurer – Jennifer Thomas (serving 1 more year)

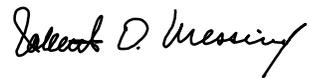
Immediate Past President – Robert Messing (1 year term)

Returning Board Members (serving 2 more years of their 4 year term): Duncan Clark, Deborah Finn, Mary Larimer, Michael Miles, and Mark Wood

New Board Members (4 year term): Kim Nixon, Tamara Phillips, Daniel Savage, and Susan Tapert

In my capacity as soon-to-be Immediate Past President, I look forward to working with both the new and returning Officers and Board Members. And want to thank Leslie Morrow for her service over the past two years as Secretary. Thanks also go to Susan Barron, Henry Kranzler, Tamara Wall and Robert Zucker for their service as Board Members over the past 4 years.

With warm regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert O. Messing". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial 'R'.

Robert O. Messing, M.D.