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I am running for the position of **AMA Delegate**

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Dr. Janine L. Fogarty, MD, is a distinguished leader in the fields of Diagnostic Radiology and Hospice/Palliative Medicine, with a remarkable career dedicated to patient care, medical advocacy, and ethical leadership.

With board certifications in both Diagnostic Radiology and Hospice/Palliative Medicine, Dr. Fogarty has demonstrated a commitment to excellence throughout her professional journey. For 18 years, she served as a partner at Borg Imaging/Borg and Ide Imaging, a renowned private radiology practice in Rochester, NY, where her expertise and dedication earned her widespread respect within the medical community.

In 2012, Dr. Fogarty faced a personal medical challenge that led to partial loss of vision, prompting her to explore new avenues of medical practice. Inspired by her experience caring for a friend battling breast cancer, she discovered her calling in Hospice and Palliative Medicine. In 2016, she completed her fellowship in Hospice and Palliative Medicine, marking the beginning of a transformative chapter in her career.

Joining the Palliative Medicine team at Unity Hospital in Rochester, NY, Dr. Fogarty served as an employed physician, where her compassionate care and leadership skills quickly distinguished her within the field. During her tenure at Unity Hospital, she took on roles of significant responsibility, including interim Division Chief for Palliative Medicine and Chief of Ethics, demonstrating her commitment to advancing medical ethics and patient-centered care.

Dr. Fogarty's dedication to medical advocacy extends beyond her clinical practice. Since 2018, she has been actively involved in the Medical Society of the State of New York (MSSNY), where she has held various leadership positions, including Councilor for the 7th District, Vice Commissioner for Education and Public Health, and Co-chair of the Bioethics Committee. In May 2024, Dr. Fogarty will assume the role of President for the Monroe County Medical Society, further solidifying her commitment to shaping the future of healthcare in her community.

Additionally, Dr. Fogarty is a valued member of the American Medical Association (AMA), serving as an alternate delegate for the AMA delegation of New York State. She has been an active participant in the AMA Women's Physician Section and the AMA Pain and Palliative Section, advocating for the advancement of women in medicine and the improvement of pain management practices.

Presently, Dr. Fogarty serves as the Medical Director for Webster Comfort Care Home, where she dedicates herself to providing compassionate end-

of-life care, profoundly impacting the lives of patients and families confronting serious illness.

With her unwavering dedication to patient care, ethical leadership, and medical advocacy, Dr. Janine L. Fogarty exemplifies the highest standards of excellence in healthcare.

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