# PRESBYTERY OF SCIOTO VALLEY CRE TASK TEAM

TO:

# Commissioned Ruling Elders (CRE) Sessions of Churches being actively served by a CRE Supervisor/Mentor (Teaching Elder) for the CRE

The Certified Ruling Elder (CRE) task team is charged with fulfilling the Book of Order requirements for all church-CRE relationships. Each call between a Certified Ruling Elder and a church must include "the term of service, which shall not exceed three years but shall be renewable. The presbytery shall review the commission at least annually" (G-2.1001).

The attached documents are to be filled out annually and emailed to CRE Task Team of Scioto Valley Presbytery, through the main PSV office. Three parties participate in this annual evaluation:

- The Commissioned Ruling Elder
- The Church Session or approved representatives (perhaps the Personnel committee or representative)
- The Supervisor/Mentor of the CRE

In addition, the Task Team needs a signed copy of the annual contract (call compensation and position description).

We hope that this evaluation creates an opportunity for celebration of the many gifts that the Elder brings to the life of the church and creates a time to build on strengths and identify any areas for growth. Our goal is that these reflections help to keep the Elder and church "on the same page," with shared priorities for shared ministry, and a shared vision for the future.

All forms are due: \_\_\_\_\_\_. It is up to the Commissioned Ruling Elder to ensure that these are completed in a timely manner.

Thank you.

Grace and Peace, PSV Certified Ruling Elder Task Team Kae Merold, Chair "So, Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ." Ephesians 4: 11-13

### Scioto Valley Presbytery Commissioned Ruling Elder's Annual Report

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Church of Service: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates: (from \_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_)

Do you wish to continue to serve this congregation? \_\_\_\_ Yes; \_\_\_\_ No; \_\_\_\_ with some changes to terms.

Briefly answer the questions listed below. 1.What are your major responsibilities in this congregation? (see primary areas of service below)

2. What are the key ministry strengths you bring to this commission?

3. What are the key accomplishments of this pastoral relationship over the past year?

4. What have been some of the challenges in this pastoral relationship?

5. In what areas of ministry could you use clarification, or additional training and support?

6. Have you taken advantage of any opportunities for continuing education in this past year?

7. Any other joys or concerns that you would like to share with the CRE task team?

# Primary Areas of Service:

Administration Education & Teaching Ministry of the Church Pastoral Care Sacraments and Special Services Worship leadership

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Note: Be sure to attach your current signed contract with position description to this form when you send to the Presbytery Office. Also, be sure that your Supervisor/ Mentor and Session representative(s) submits his/her report.

Signature	Date

Please return this form to: Scioto Valley Presbytery Office, 4131 N High Street, Suite B, Attn: Kae Merold, Columbus, OH 43214

Or Email to: <a href="mailto:pastorkae@rrohio.com">pastorkae@rrohio.com</a>

#### Scioto Valley Presbytery Supervisor/Mentor's Annual Report for Commissioned Ruling Elders

CRE's Name:	
Commissioned to	(Church)
Until	

Mentor's Name	, and
Email:	

Briefly answer the following questions. How would you characterize your relationship with this Commissioned Ruling Elder? (How often are you able to make contact?)

What are the major strengths of this Elder's ministry?

In what areas of ministry would you encourage this Commissioned Elder to continue to grow?

Are there areas of continuing education or other kinds of support that you would recommend for this Elder?

Mentor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Scioto Valley Presbytery Session's Annual Report for Commissioned Ruling Elders (CREs)

CRE's Name:	
Commissioned to	(Church)
until	

Briefly answer the following questions.

- 1. Are you generally satisfied with the ministry of this Commissioned Ruling Elder?
- 2. What are the major strengths of this Commissioned Ruling Elder's ministry?
- 3. In what areas of ministry would you encourage this Commissioned Ruling Elder to grow or to set new goals together?
- 4. Any other joys or concerns that you would like to share with the CRE Task Team?

Clerk of Session's Signature	
Email:	

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Administration	
Education & Teaching Ministry of the Church	
Pastoral Care	
Sacraments and Special Services	
Worship Leadership	