

My name is Sam LeFlore and I am very honored to have been nominated to serve as a board member for the NSS-CDS. I look forward to expanding my level of involvement with the CDS to support and grow our community of cave divers.

Through the tireless efforts of our past and present leadership, we have maintained a strong presence in the cave diving community and I would like to see the CDS continue to improve and update with the times to better support its current members and to attract new ones.

The CDS online presence has seen great improvements and can continue to progress by making membership services a higher priority. Maintaining an up to date membership database and facilitating an easy renewal process is imperative for continued growth. Without our members, we're not an organization. To build and maintain a sense of community among cave divers, we should strive to provide more to our members than simply access to dive sites. To ensure the NSS-CDS future, we need a strong and organized online presence to convey our dedication and enthusiasm to prospective members.

With your vote, I look forward with helping to bring the CDS to the front of the cave diving community so that everyone can be proud to call themselves a member. Feel free to ask any questions that you may have so that you feel confident in giving me your vote.

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