

**Todd Hinz, ASA**  
**Election Biography**

I have over 14 years of direct experience in machinery & equipment valuation. My experience encompasses a broad range of industries including manufacturing, commercial printing, construction machinery, automotive, transportation, bakeries and food processing, chemicals, consumer products, high-tech, electronic semiconductor, mining and mineral extraction, rubber products, steel, wastewater treatment, and power generation.

I've spent most of my professional career in valuation, providing opinions of value for internal management planning, financial reporting U.S. GAAP and IFRS, tax reporting, insurance planning, acquisitions and mergers, and depreciation analyses.

Currently I lead the machinery & equipment practice at Plante & Moran.

**Why do you feel you are qualified for this position? Include information on past volunteer positions with ASA and other organizations.**

I have been an active member of the ASA for most of my career. By serving as a MTS Committee member, I aim to contribute to the development of the industry standards, best practices, and ethical guidelines that ensure the integrity and accuracy of appraisals across sectors. My background equips me with a perspective to address the evolving challenges and opportunities facing the field of machinery and equipment valuation.

In addition to sharing my knowledge and insights with fellow MTS professionals, I am committed to fostering a supportive and inclusive community that nurtures the growth and development of aspiring valuation professionals.

Overall, my passion for the profession, coupled with my proven expertise and dedication to driving positive change, makes me well-suited to contribute meaningfully to the mission and vision of the American Society of Appraisers. I am excited about the prospect of serving on the MTS Committee.

**What contributions have you provided ASA as a member or to a comparable organization(s)?**

I have been a member for over 10 years and have benefitted from the educational opportunities, local events and industry conferences to help advance my career. I feel that the ASA is a great resource for the profession and look forward to giving back to the ASA with my service.

**What do you wish for ASA's members?**

I wish for ASA members to continue upholding the highest standards of professionalism, integrity, and ethical conduct in all their endeavors. By adhering to rigorous standards and best practices, we can earn the trust and respect of clients, stakeholders, and the public, solidifying our position as trusted advisors and experts in valuation.

My hope is that ASA members can find fulfillment, purpose, and camaraderie in their membership, knowing that they are part of a vibrant community dedicated to excellence, integrity, and service. Together, let us work towards realizing this vision and shaping a brighter future for the American Society of Appraisers and the profession as a whole.

**What do you wish for ASA in the profession?**

I hope that individuals in the profession are viewed as having high integrity and as valued service providers.

Additionally, I hope that valuations can provide tangible value beyond just numbers on a page. Whether it's aiding in decision-making, identifying opportunities, or mitigating risks, valuations should actively contribute to the success of businesses and individuals alike.

**Why should members vote for you?**

Members should vote for me because I bring a unique blend of expertise, dedication, and vision to the table.

With 14 years of direct experience in machinery and equipment valuation gained from working at independent service providers and public accounting firms, I have developed a deep understanding of the complexities and nuances of the profession, having performed work across a diverse range of industries.

I'm committed to advancing the profession as a whole. By serving on the MTS Committee, I aim to contribute to the development of industry standards, advocate for the interests of our members, and foster a supportive and inclusive community where everyone can thrive.