

## NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN FOR LOCAL UNION ELECTIONS

Nominations are now open for the following Local Union positions:

> President Vice-President Recording Secretary Financial Secretary Trustees (3) Sergeant-At-Arms (2) Guide Business Agent Full Time Union Safety Representative

ORG Chief Area OHS&E Reps – to be elected by the membership of each ORG

Constitutional Convention Delegates (4)

Nominations close on Thursday, March 29th at Noon

Nominations forms are available at the hall.

- All Campaign write-ups are due at the Union Hall by **April 6**<sup>th</sup>, to be put in the Special Edition Hotline.
- Advanced poll for Union Positions to be held on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>April 24<sup>th</sup></u>, <u>from</u> <u>6 am 8 pm</u>.
- Regular poll for Union Positions to be held on <u>Tuesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, from</u> <u>6 am – 8 pm.</u>
- Elections Committee Members cannot run for other elected positions.
- Only members for whom the Union Hall has a record of membership are eligible to vote.
- No member shall be eligible for election as a Local Union Executive Officer, or full time Union Representative until they have been a member in continuous good standing in the Local Union for one (1) year prior to nominations.
- No member shall hold more than one of the Executive Officer positions at the same time, and in no case more than one of the full time Union positions at the same time (i.e. President, Business Agent, full time Union Safety Representative, full time Chief Area Safety Rep. or Grievance Committee Chairperson).
- Elections shall be by secret ballot under the supervision of the Election Committee, in accordance to Article 15, Section B, Paragraph 5, of the Constitution.
- Nominations shall be open for a minimum of two weeks, followed by a minimum of two weeks for campaigning before the election date.
- All candidates must be respectful of each other. Any complaints of derogatory acts towards another candidate will be investigated by the Local Union Executive Board and may result in the candidate who committed the derogatory act being ineligible to run for office.