## NOTICE OF NOMINATION AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR LOCAL 2627 DELEGATES TO THE 2024 AFSCME CONVENTION

Dear Local 2627 Member;

Article VI, Section 2, of the AFSCME Constitution requires the International Convention to be held biennially in the even-numbered years at a time and place to be determined by the International Executive Board ("IEB"). It further specifies that conventions must be held between April 1<sup>st</sup> and September 30<sup>th</sup>. However, no convention is to be held on a holiday weekend.

## **DATE AND VENUE**

This year's convention will be held in Los Angeles, California. It will commence on Monday, August 12, 2024 and will end on Friday, August 16, 2024. The committees will commence meeting from Saturday, August 10, 2024.

Local 2627 elected AFSCME Delegates must be willing to attend all dates from Saturday, August 10, 2024 – Friday, August 16, 2024.

#### RELEASE TIME

# THERE WILL BE NO RELEASE TIME TO ATTEND THIS CONVENTION FOR LOCAL 2627 AFSCME DELEGATES.

Local 2627 AFSCME Delegates must be willing to utilize their own leave balance to attend from Monday, August 12, 2024 through Friday, August 16, 2024.

Local 2627 AFSCME Delegates must willing to obtain approval from their respective management for Monday, August 12, 2024 through Friday, August 16, 2024.

#### TRAVEL EXPENSES

Local 2627 will provide lodging and travel expenses for all AFSCME Delegates, including hotel, air fare, and per diem.

### **ELECTIONS OF CONVENTION DELEGATES**

Delegates to the AFSCME Convention must be selected by secret ballot election unless 9 delegates are nominated unopposed.

#### **ELEGIBILITY TO BECOME A DELEGATE**

A delegate must be a member in good standing (i.e., paying dues) from the 12<sup>th</sup> month of the 12-month period that forms the basis of the local's representation and remain in good standing until the opening of the convention (Article IV, Section 12).

#### **NOMINATIONS**

Any dues paying member of the local may nominate up to **NINE** (9) candidates for AFSCME Delegate by submitting nominations by completing the Local 2627 AFSCME Delegate Electronic Nominations Form by clicking on the link below:

Local 2627 AFSCME 2024 Delegates Nomination Form (google.com)

Please note that a member can only submit nominations for up to NINE (9) AFSCME Delegates positions. If the number of nominees exceeds the NINE (9) candidates for AFSCME Delegate positions, the Election Committee shall deem that the member intended to nominate those candidates listed in order they were nominated by the member and rule the others ineligible.

The following personal information must be submitted in the form via the link above in the Local 2627 AFSCME 2024 Delegate Nomination Form, for the Nominator:

**First Name** 

Last Name

Agency

**Civil Service Title** 

**Full Personal Home Address** 

**Personal Cell Phone Number** 

Nominators should include the following for all their AFSCME Delegate Nominees, up to **NINE** (9) **Delegates**, preferably on the same form for all Nominees on the Local 2627 AFSCME 2024 Delegate Nomination Form:

**Full Name** 

Agency

**Civil Service Title** 

**Full Personal Home Address** 

**Personal Cell Phone Number** 

Personal Email Address

The Election Committee will post the list of candidates nominated for each office on Local 2627 website, www.Local2627.org.

Any member who wishes to challenge the eligibility of a candidate to run for office must do so by submitting a challenge to the Election Committee no later than 12:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 31, 2024.

To contact the Local 2627 AFSCME 2024 Delegate Election Committee, emails can be sent to:

## L2627ElectionCommittee@gmail.com

The Election Committee will post its determination regarding the eligibility challenge on the Local's website.

Nominations will be held for NINE (9) AFSCME Delegates.

Virtual nominations will be open for 24 hours, from Monday, May 20, 2024 12:00 AM through Monday May 20, 2024 11:59 PM.

Virtual Nominations received after 11:59 PM Monday, May 20, 2024 will not be considered. However, you can still nominate candidates during the Tuesday, May 21, 2024 General Membership Meeting.

Nominations will re-open during the Tuesday, May 21, 2024 General Membership Meeting at 6:00 PM.

Once nominations are closed, any nominations received afterwards will not be considered.

In solidarity,

Local 2627 – AFSCME 2024 Election Committee