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LOCAL NO.130**

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Official Notice-Nominations and Elections

Local 130 IBEW

May 11, 2023

The nominations for officers of Local Union 130 will be held on **Thursday, May 11, 2023**, at **6:00 pm** in the Alexander Room at 3200 Ridgelake Drive, Metairie, LA. Anyone desiring to be nominated must be present during nominations or provide a written and signed statement that he or she will accept the nomination. No member may be a candidate for more than one office. Anyone nominated for more than one office must choose the office for which she or he will be a candidate.

Nominations will proceed in the order of offices as listed in the IBEW constitution whose term of office shall be 3 years:

President
Vice President
Recording Secretary
Treasurer
Business Manager/Financial Secretary
Executive Board (5 elected)
Examining Board (5 elected)

To be nominated, a member must have a minimum of 2 years of continuous good standing in Local 130. Good standing means that the member is current in the payment of dues and has been for 2 years immediately preceding nominations.

No apprentice shall be eligible to hold office in the Local Union as per Article III, Section 9(f), of Local Union 130's Bylaws. Apprentice members shall have the right to vote as per Article XV, Section 15, of Local Union 130's Bylaws.

In accordance with newly revised IBEW Constitution and Local Union 130's ByLaws Article III, Section 4(a) the President appointed the Election Judge, Arasimo Geraci, and tellers at the regular union meeting of **February 9, 2023**.

The election of all officers for the term of **July 2023 through June 2026** shall take place between the hours of **10:00am and 6:00pm on Saturday, June 10, 2023**, in the Alexander Room at 3200 Ridgelake Drive, Metairie, LA. Proper identification will be required to cast a ballot at the polls. The ballots will be counted, and the results certified and announced immediately following the closing of the polls. A complete listing of the results shall be posted on all union bulletin boards by the close of business the day following the elections.

Absentee ballots shall be available to any member upon written request to the election judge. Such request will be accepted up to 5 days prior to the date of the election. No one receiving an absentee ballot shall be allowed to vote at the polls without first presenting

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the election judge with the unused ballot. Absentee ballots received at the post office after **9:00am on Saturday June 10, 2023**, will not be counted.

All request for Absentee Ballots should be addressed to:

**Local Union 130 Election Judge
P.O. Box 7822
Metairie, LA 70010**

Each candidate shall be entitled to an observer at the polling place and during the counting of the ballots. Observers may not interfere with the orderly procedure of the election. There shall be no campaigning or electioneering at the poles or within 50 feet from the entrance to the polling place. No postings, except for instructions, shall be present at the polling place.

In the event a runoff election is required, the same shall be held on **Saturday July 1, 2023** between the hours of **10:00 am and 6:00 pm** in the Alexander Room located at 3200 Ridgelake Drive, Metairie, LA. The same rules shall apply to the runoff election as were applicable to the regular elections. Members who requested an absentee ballot for the regular election will automatically receive same for the runoff.

All officers shall be installed and shall begin their terms at the regular meeting of the local union on **July 13, 2023**.

Any member who believes a protest of the election is warranted is urged to contact the election judge within a few days after the ballots are counted. Further protest of the election may be filed in writing to the International Vice President of the district within 30 days following the election. The decision of the Vice President shall conclude the processing of a protest within the IBEW. In the event the protesting member is not satisfied with the decision of the International Vice President, the member may submit their protest to the U.S. Department of Labor.

Should you have any questions or need to contact me, please reach me on my cell at (504) 352-3101.

Fraternally yours,

Arasimo C. Geraci, III
Election Judge