

SEIU FPSU NOMINATION FORM

I, _____, am nominating _____ for the following position (check only ONE position):

**Any member wishing to nominate a slate of candidates for election may attach to this official form a separate sheet indicating the slate's name and list of positions and candidates being nominated.*

At Large Officers

- President
- Vice President for Operations
- Vice President for Finance
- Vice President for Political Strength
- Vice President for Member Strength
- Vice President for Organizing

Retired Members Committee

- Retiree Representative (statewide)

Regional & Unit Representatives

Northern Region

- Other Representative (Jacksonville Head Start)

Western Region

- Cities Representative
- Schools Representative
- Other Representative (PSTA/Manatee Head Start/USF Adjuncts/HCC Adjuncts)
- Member Density Representative 1 (PSTA)
- Membership Size Representative 1 (St Petersburg)

Central Region

- Cities Representative
- Schools Representative
- Membership Size Representative (Lake Schools)

Eastern Region

- Cities Representative
- Schools Representative
- Other Representative (Palm Tran/MDC Adjuncts/Broward Adjuncts)
- Member Density Representative 1 (Palm Tran)
- Member Density Representative 2 (Riviera Beach)
- Membership Size Representative 1 (Palm Beach Schools)
- Membership Size Representative 2 (Palm Beach Schools)
- Membership Size Representative 3 (Palm Beach Schools)
- Membership Size Representative 4 (Palm Beach Schools)

**Please
Print**

Name of person being **nominated**: _____
Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
Home Email: _____ Worksite: _____

Name of person who **is nominating co-worker**: _____
Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
Home Email: _____ Worksite: _____

TO BE FILLED OUT BY NOMINATED PERSON ONLY

Please print exactly how you would like your name to appear on the ballot. Names will appear on the ballot in alphabetical order:

Name: _____
District/ Department: _____
Slate Name (Optional): _____
Worksite (Optional): _____
Witness: Election Committee Member: _____ Date: _____

ELIGIBILITY

No member shall be a candidate for more than one office. No member may run for a region or unit representative office outside of the region in which they work. A member shall be eligible to be nominated and to serve as an elected Executive Board officer, Unit Representative or Regional Representative if he/she has been a member of FPSU in continuous good standing for at least twelve (12) months prior to the nomination. Associate, retired, and organizing members paying less than the full dues required for working members of the Union shall not be eligible to be nominated for or serve in any elected position in the Union, except retired members may be nominated for and serve in an advisory, non-voting position on the Executive Board as an elected representative of the Retiree Members Committee. Members in good standing that are employed as staff by the Local Union are not eligible to run for or serve in any elected positions with the exception of President. No person who has been convicted of a felony as defined in Section 504 of the Landrum-Griffin Act (or an indictable offense in Canada) shall in accordance with the provisions of applicable law be eligible for nomination.

Constitution & Bylaws

Article VII FPSU Governance Structure

Section 3. Executive Board Composition

A. The Executive Board shall consist of the elected union officers (President, Vice President for Operations, Vice President for Finance, Vice President for Organizing, Vice President for Member Strength, and Vice President for Political Strength) and elected member representatives, as described below. Each member of the Executive Board shall have one vote.

B. Member representatives shall be elected to the Executive Board based on consideration of geographic region, type of unit employer, size of unit, and union density in unit, as follows:

1. The Union shall be divided into four geographic regions: North, East, West, and Central. Each region shall be entitled to up to three (3) representative seats on the Executive Board, based on the presence of the three following types of unit employer: (a) school districts, (b) municipalities, and (c) other.

(a) In each region, members employed by school districts shall elect one school district representative for their region; municipal employee members shall elect one municipal representative for their region; and members whose employers are neither municipalities nor school districts shall elect one other representative for their region.

(b) In regions where one or more type of unit employer is absent, there will be no regional representative for that type of unit employer.

(c) Regions will be determined as follows:

(1) The North region will consist of all units in Duval County;

(2) The Eastern Region will consist of all units in Palm Beach and Glades Counties;

(3) The Central Region will consist of all units in Orange and Lake Counties; and

(4) The Western Region will consist of all units in Hillsborough, Pinellas, and Manatee Counties.

(d) In the event that a new unit is established outside the counties described above, the Executive Board shall exercise its authority to place the new unit within an existing region.

2. An employer unit with five hundred (500) or more members is entitled to one (1) additional representative for every five hundred (500) members, to be elected by members in that unit.

3. An employer unit whose collective bargaining agreement covers fifty-one (51) or more employees shall be entitled to one (1) additional representative seat, to be elected by members in that unit, if at least forty-five percent (45%) of the unit employees are union members. An employer unit whose collective bargaining agreement covers fifty (50) or fewer employees shall be entitled to one (1) additional representative seat, to be elected by members in that unit, if at least fifty percent (50%) of the unit employees are union members.

4. One Retiree Representative shall be elected by Retired Members, to serve only in an advisory, non-voting position on the Executive Board, as a representative of the Retired Members Committee.

CONTACT ATTEMPT

Date: _____ Declined: _____ Accepted: _____

Notes: _____

Election Committee Member: _____