



# 2021 ATU 757 OFFICER ELECTION **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

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## **What is happening?**

All active and retired members of ATU Local 757 are voting to elect officers to represent them in contract negotiations, in disciplinary meetings, at the International ATU Convention, and much more. This includes all positions higher than shop steward: the full-time at-large offices of President, Vice President, and Financial Secretary/Treasurer, as well as Executive Board Officers, and Liaison Officers. (Retired members vote only on the three full-time at-large offices.) Once elected, these officers will serve from July 1, 2021 until June 30, 2024.

## **How do I vote?**

The election will be held by mail. Ballots will be mailed no later than Monday, May 24, 2021. The ballot you receive will include races for offices based on the location where you were working as of the date of the nomination meeting, May 10, 2021. Read the instructions included with your ballot carefully, fill out your ballot, and return it as soon as you can. To be counted, ballots must be received in the Union PO Box by 9:00 a.m., Wednesday June 16, 2021.

## **When and where is the ballot count?**

The ballots will be tallied by an impartial third party vendor, TrueBallot, Inc., under the supervision of the Election Committee on Wednesday, June 16, at the Monarch Hotel in Clackamas, OR. Members and candidates will be allowed to observe the ballot count.

## **Who is running?**

A nomination meeting was held via Zoom on Monday, May 10, 2021 and nominations and acceptances were received live or read into the record if they had been submitted in writing ahead of time. For a complete list of nominees...

...for all offices, go to the “ATU 757 Election 2021” page of [atu757.org](http://atu757.org), or check the Union bulletin board at your worksite. Candidates for the top three at-large offices are:

### **President**

Henry Beasley, Shirley Block, Nova Fortier,  
Bruce Hansen, Evan Hermanski

### **Vice President**

Joseph Myung-Kyun Bae, Frederick Casey,  
Anthony Forrester, David Holland, Jon Hunt,  
Ryan Viken

### **Financial Secretary - Treasurer**

Elizabeth Buckwalter, Mary Longoria

## **Where will the results be posted?**

Once the results are certified by the Election Committee, they will be uploaded to the [atu757.org](http://atu757.org) website, published in the next issue of the *Northwest Labor Press*, and posted on Union bulletin boards at all properties.

## **Who the heck are you?**

We are your Election Committee and our members are Chairperson Michael Hartig (TriMet), Al Davis (TriMet), Mike Funderburk (Lane Transit District), Halimah Hatchett (C-TRAN), and Tiffany Pitre (TriMet). We were elected by the membership during a series of seven meetings held via Zoom from March 15-21. We are being advised by former committee chair and retired member John Jamison. We're committed to a fair and impartial election process, and encourage all members to make their voice heard by casting a vote. It's important!

## **More questions?**

Email the committee at [atu757election@atu757.org](mailto:atu757election@atu757.org) or call (971) 865-7896. We're here to help!