NOTICE OF 2024 NOMINATIONS AND ELECTION OF HPAE LOCAL 5131 HPAE AND AFT CONVENTION DELEGATES AND ALTERNATES

The Nominations/Election Committee announces that we are now accepting nominations to represent Local 5131 at this year's HPAE State Convention, as well as the AFT National Convention. You may nominate an individual for one or both conventions. An explanation of each convention can be found below and the procedure for nominations below that. Members may nominate themselves.

HPAE STATE CONVENTION

The Local has voted to elect ten (10) delegates and two (2) alternates to attend this year's convention which will be held at Tropicana, Atlantic City, New Jersey, October 17-18, 2024. Local 5131 Constitution and By-Laws states that all elected local officers are delegates to the convention and would be the ranking delegates. Local 5131 will pay for ten (10) delegates to attend, reimbursable up to the amount of \$175 per delegate, for travel and room expenses (room based on double occupancy). If a delegate cannot attend, the alternate receiving the highest number of votes will receive the money for travel and room expenses as previously described. All other expenses incurred by that delegate are their responsibility. The nomination/election committee is currently accepting nominations for these positions.

POSITIONS: Ten (10) delegates and two (2) alternates to represent Local 5131

AFT NATIONAL CONVENTION

The Local has voted to elect two (2) delegates and two (2) alternates to attend this year's convention which will be held at George R Brown Convention Center, Houston, Texas, July $22^{nd} - 25^{th}$, 2024. Local 5131 Constitution and By-Laws states that all elected local officers are delegates to the convention and would be the ranking delegates. HPAE will pay for two delegates to attend, reimbursable up the amount to \$2,500 per delegate, for travel and room expenses (room based on double occupancy). If a ranking delegate cannot attend, the alternate receiving the highest number of votes will receive the money for travel and room expenses as previously described. All other expenses incurred by that delegate are their responsibility. The nomination/election committee is currently accepting nominations for these positions.

Two (2) delegates and two (2) alternates to represent Local 5131 **NOMINATIONS PROCEDURE:** Attached you will find a Nomination/Declaration Statement. Submitted forms containing a consent to serve must contain the signature of the nominee indicating that the member accepts the nomination, or they will not be accepted. Consent forms must also be accompanied by the last four digits of the nominee's social security number. Return completed form directly to HPAE Local 5131 Nominations/Elections, PO Box 119, Emerson, New Jersey, 07630 or email to elections@hpae.org. The members receiving the highest number of votes will become delegates and the next highest number will be alternates based on the number of positions allowed. Union office phone number (201) 262-5005.DO NOT PLACE FORM IN UNION MAILBOX AT FACILITY. **NOMINATIONS DEADLINE:** April 22, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. **ELECTION DATE:** Ballots to be mailed to all members on April 29, 2024 and must be returned by May 20, 2024. Candidates may be present for the mailing of the ballots. If it is an uncontested election, the committee will cast one ballot on behalf of the slate, in which case no ballots will be sent. Please advise the committee if you wish to be present at the mailing of the ballots. **ELIGIBILITY:** Any HPAE Local 5131 member in good standing thirty (30) days prior to the election is eligible to run for delegate or alternate.

HPAE LOCAL 5131 NOMINATIONS/ELECTION COMMITTEE: Caroline Sands, Kelly Fordyce, Karen Bailey and Jeffrey David Ball, <u>iball@hpae.org</u> (HPAE Staff Representative)

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Local 5131 2024 Delegate and Alternate Nomination Petition

Please read and complete.

As a member in good standing of HPAE Local 5131, I wish to nominate:

1.			
(Please print non			(Nominee's signature)
(Nominee's emai	1))		(Nominee's last four digits of social security number)
HPAE Cor	vention (NJ)	AFT Convention (TX)	Please check the box of the convention you are nominating this candidate for, you may check both.
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(Please print non	ninee's name)		(Nominee's signature)
(Nominee's emai	l)		(Nominee's last four digits of social security number)
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(Nominee's emai	l)		(Nominee's last four digits of social security number)
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(Nominee's emai	()		(Nominee's last four digits of social security number)
HPAE Cor	vention (NJ)	AFT Convention (TX)	Please check the box of the convention you are nominating this candidate for, you may check both.
(Please print your name) (Your signature)			Your signature)

(Your email)

(Your phone number)

You may nominate yourself. Candidates who are nominated must sign this form and supply last four (4) digits of social security number. By signing, this shows the Nomination/Election Committee that the candidates accept the nomination. If form is not properly signed, it will become void.

Delegates and alternates who are elected are required to participate in all sessions of the convention. You may nominate additional names, if additional nomination forms are needed, please request them from <u>elections@hpae.org</u>.