

Resolution for Democratic Election of Bargaining Committee Members

MSCA Delegate Assembly 2019

WHEREAS, Democratic process is essential to union governance; and

WHEREAS, most positions within the MSCA including delegates are appointed through democratic elections; and

WHEREAS, a democratic elections process for the nomination of Bargaining Team members would be in line with the democratic process requirement for other MSCA appointments;

THEREFORE, be it resolved that unless expressly prohibited by a chapter constitution, Chapter Bargaining Committee representatives must be elected via a written, secret ballot as is required for MSCA chapter delegates; and

Resolved, That the Chapter President ~~must recommend the person receiving the highest number of votes to be the chapter representative and the person receiving the second highest number of votes to be the alternate~~ **shall consider the election results in making the recommendation to the MSCA President**; and

Resolved, That the Chapter President must provide the election results to the MSCA President; and

Resolved, That the Bargaining Committee members so elected will be nominated by the MSCA President and appointed by confirmation of the Board.

Resolution was postponed to the 2020 Delegate Assembly (to be held at the end of April 2020).

~~Struck~~ language is language that was removed during debate on the resolution at the 2019 Delegate Assembly.

Red boldfaced language is language that was added to the resolution during debate on the resolution at the 2019 Delegate Assembly.