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**LONGSHORE & WAREHOUSE  
UNION**

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## **LOCAL 500 BULLETIN**

**NO postering until  
nominations close & official  
candidate list is posted.  
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than 8.5" x 14"**

# **NOMINATION & BALLOTING NOTICE**

Nominations for Local 500 Officers open on: **Monday, October 18, 2021, 8 AM**  
and will remain open until: **Friday, November 5, 2021, 5 PM**

The following positions are open:

1	<b>President</b>	2-year term
2	<b>Business Agents</b>	2-year term
1	<b>Despatch Coordinator</b>	2-year term
1	<b>Trustee</b>	2-year term
10	<b>Executive Members</b>	2-year term
1	<b>Election Officer for 2022</b>	1-year term
30	<b>ILWU Canada Convention/Caucus Delegates</b>	1-year term

### **Article V Officers & Committee Members, D. Elections, Sections 3, 4, & 5 state the following:**

Section 3. Members qualified to nominate and vote shall be all Members in good standing (exclusive of probationary members).

Section 4. Members **NOT** qualified to be nominated for office shall be those Members who:  
a) are not in good standing as of close of nominations, or  
b) have not been a Member for one (1) full year as of close of nominations, or  
c) within the year previous to the election date have been convicted of "Conduct Detrimental to the Union" or have been recalled from office, or  
d) have been appointed to the Balloting Committee, or  
e) have a current application to become a Foreman or Agent of the Employer, or  
f) are over the age of 65 years or who would turn 65 years of age during their term in office or who are in receipt of the Industry Pension.

Section 5. No member may be a candidate for more than one (1) Local Office. An Office Holder (three titled Officers, Despatchers and Business Agents) who wishes to be a candidate for another Local Office shall resign from the Office and make it known prior to nominations opening. However, any candidate for office shall be allowed to run on ballot for Delegates to Conventions and/or Caucuses and for the ILWU Canada/Longshore Contract Executive Board.

## **2021 NOMINATION PROCEDURE**

Due to COVID-19 Protocols, all nominations will be taken over the phone by ILWU Local 500 office staff only.

This is the only way to put your name forward for any open positions.

The **ADVANCE POLL** will be held: **Tuesday, NOVEMBER 16, 2021, 8 AM to 5 PM**

**BALLOTING** will be conducted: **Thursday, NOVEMBER 25 &  
Friday, NOVEMBER 26, 2021, 6 AM to 6 PM**

Neal Advincula, Elections Officer

The following Members are **NOT up for re-election** this year as they have completed only the first year of their two-year term:

- Vice President: Antonio Pantusa
- Secretary Treasurer John Urrico
- Business Agent(s): Surj Brach & Steve Ross
- Trustee(s): Joe Anania & Mike Nikitovic
- Despatch Coordinator Sodhi Bagri
- Executive Board:
 

Antonio Bonamin	Don Baryer
Mike Carrigan	Domenic Demarco
Marco Guzzo	Bobby Lehal
Dan Nicholls	Joulene Parent
Davinder (Dave) Sandhu	Cliff Wellicome

**B A L L O T I N G**  
**THURSDAY & FRIDAY**  
**NOVEMBER 25 & 26, 2021**

**AUDITORIUM**  
**Maritime Labour Centre**  
**6 AM to 6 PM**

**Despatch Hall**  
**6 AM to 6 PM**

**TRAVELLING BALLOT BOX, AS PER SCHEDULE**

**ADVANCE POLL: 8 AM to 5 PM on Tuesday, November 16, 2021 only**  
**in ILWU Local 500 Office.**

To be eligible to vote in the Advance Poll a Member must meet one of the following criteria which must occur during the week of the Elections (held the second Thursday and Friday after the Annual General Meeting):

- i. Book at least four (4) days of Vacation Time that includes the week of the Elections.
- ii. Be scheduled for treatment in a Health Care Facility on Election Days.
- iii. Be out of town conducting Union Business.

*All Members are reminded that Ballots are the property of the ILWU Local 500 and are not to be taken out of the Balloting Room.*

*Must have picture ID, as required*

*Ballots marked or unmarked are only to be placed in the Ballot Boxes.*

**TRAVELLING BALLOT BOX SCHEDULE - TWO DAYS**

(these times will vary slightly depending on road conditions and voter turnout)

**Thursday, November 25, 2021**

in the **MAIN LUNCHROOM** at the following times and sites:

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|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>Squamish Terminals</b> | <b>From 7:45 AM to 10 AM</b> |
| <b>Vancouver Wharves</b>  | <b>From 12 PM to 1 PM</b>    |
| <b>Fibreco</b>            | <b>From 2 PM to 3 PM</b>     |

**Friday, November 26, 2021**

in the **MAIN LUNCHROOM** at the following times and sites:

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|--------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>Lynn East Gate</b>    | <b>From 9 AM to 11 AM</b>        |
| <b>Neptune Terminals</b> | <b>From 11:30 AM to 12:45 PM</b> |
| <b>PCT Port Moody</b>    | <b>From 2 PM to 4:00 PM</b>      |