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To: All C.W.A. Local 1106 Members

From: Local 1106 Election Committee

Victor Igneri, Chairperson

Subject: Notice of Nomination and Election

In accordance with the CWA Constitution and CWA Local 1106 Bylaws, as of August 27, 2020 nominations are in order for the following Local 1106 positions:

President	(3) Delegates	(8) District Stewards (by district)
Vice President	Division Steward North	
Secretary/Treasurer	Division Steward South	

Nominations will be by petition. Petitions may be obtained by members in good standing at the Local Headquarters between the hours of 9 am and 4 pm weekdays beginning September 16, 2020 and continuing through September 30, 2020. Any Local member in good standing may be nominated for the position of President, Vice President, or Secretary-Treasurer by submitting the signatures of at least twenty percent (20%) of the Local members in good standing on nominating petitions issued by the Election Committee. A person elected to any of the foregoing positions shall, by reason of election, also serve as a Convention Delegate.

Any Local member in good standing seeking nomination for the position of Delegate must submit the signatures of at least twenty percent (20%) of the Local members in good standing on nominating petitions issued by the Election Committee. For the purpose of this election all craft titles will be represented by the Delegate(s).

Any Local member in good standing seeking nomination for the position of Division Steward (North or South) must submit the signatures of at least twenty percent (20%) of the Local members in good standing whose report point location also lies within that division, on nominating petitions issued by the Election Committee.

For the purpose of this election,

The following are North locations: Astoria CO, Astoria Work Center 46 St, Woodside Garage, Newtown CO, LIC CO, Corona CO, Maspeth Work Center, Flushing CO, College Pt. 23rd Ave, College Pt. 31st Ave, College Pt. College Pt. Blvd, Bayside Garage, Bayside CO, Whitestone (CEV)CO.

The following are South locations: Forest Hills CO, Richmond Hill CO, 115th Ave CO (Ozone Park), North Jamaica CO, Jamaica CO, Laurelton Work Center, Laurelton CO, Far Rockaway CO, Belle Harbor CO, JFK Airport CO, Hollis Work Center, Hollis CO, 226st Garage, and Taft Ave Garage.

Any Local member in good standing seeking nomination for the position of District Steward must submit the signatures of at least ten percent (10%) of the Local members in good standing whose report point location also lies within that district, on nominating petitions issued by the Election Committee.

For the purpose of this election, the following are the districts:

#1 Astoria / LIC-Outside-Astoria WC.

#2 Astoria / LIC-Inside-Astoria CO / LIC CO

#3 Bayside / College Pt. / Flushing (Inside and Outside)

#4 Corona / Maspeth / Newtown / Woodside / Forest Hills CO (Inside)

#5 Corona / Maspeth / Newtown / Woodside/ Forest Hills (Outside)

#6 Far Rockaway / Belle Harbor / Taft Garage (Inside and Outside)

#7 Reassigned as per Article 7, Section 5, and (b) Line #5

#8 Hollis Garage / Hollis CO / Ozone Park / Richmond Hill CO / Jamaica / North Jamaica (Inside and Outside)

#9 226st / Laurelton / JFK Airport (Inside and Outside)

All nomination petitions must be received by the Election Committee at the Local Headquarters by **NO LATER THAN 10 AM September 30th, 2020.** The Election Committee will determine eligibility to nominate a candidate by a person's status as of September 30th, 2020

A member of Local 1106 may appear on the ballot for **ONE** office.

Voting in the election will be conducted by mail. Ballots will be mailed on Friday October 16th, 2020 and must be returned to (received at) the designated Post Office Box by **NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 4TH, 2020 by 10 AM.**

Ballots will be opened and counted at the VFW John Prince Post #6478, 242-37 Braddock Ave Bellerose, New York 11426 (tentatively due to the Covid-19 pandemic) on **WEDNESDAY MORNING NOVEMBER 4TH 2020.** Any candidate or other Local member in good standing duly designated by a candidate may observe the counting of the ballots or other parts of the election.

Due to the ongoing restrictions placed on the reopening of businesses (VFW Post#6478) and the safety guidelines for the local office because of Covid-19, CWA Local 1106 Election Committee may need to make necessary changes in the locations for verifying petitions, preparations for ballots to be mailed to the members, the counting of the ballots and any other election duty that may need to be performed. If there are any changes the local Election Committee will notify the membership, any candidate, and observer of such changes.

Any bona fide candidate may, once within thirty (30) days prior to the election, inspect a list containing the names and last known addresses of Local 1106 members in good standing.

Only Local 1106 members in good standing will be permitted to vote. Eligibility to vote in the election will be determined by a person's status as of September 30th, 2020. Any member of Local 1106 who changes work or report point locations prior to that date should notify the Election Committee in writing as soon as possible.

Victor Igneri
CWA Local 1106
Election Chairperson