

ELECTION NOTICE
Date April 19, 2008
AFGE Local 3509

The election of Local 3509 delegates and alternates will be conducted by mail secret ballot pursuant to the Locals By-Laws this date. Ballots will be counted on May 30, 2008.

Offices to be filled by election are: 5th, 6th and 7th delegates and alternates. Qualifications for office are: be a member in good standing of this local; be a member for one year of an AFGE local, immediately preceding the closing of the nomination process; not be a member in any labor organization not affiliated with the AFL-CIO; candidates shall not run for more than one office in the same local election.

The three candidates receiving the greatest number of votes will be elected as delegates, and the remaining candidates will be elected as alternate delegates in the order of the number of votes received. In the event of a tie vote for delegate/ alternate, the Election Committee shall determine the ranking of the tied candidates by drawing lots immediately after the ballot count.

The term of office is 3 years, beginning July 1, 2008 and ending June 30, 2011. Installation will be at the first general meeting following the conclusion of the election.

Any member who has signed a dues withholding form (SF 1187) accepted by a responsible officer of the local is in good standing and eligible to vote. Any member who does not receive a ballot may request a replacement by contacting the Election Committee Chair, Brenda Gaines, at 1727 8th St Drive, NE, Hickory NC 28601.

Each candidate may have a reasonable number of observers, who are members, present throughout the election process, including the tally of ballots.

All protests to the election must be in writing and received by the election committee prior to, during, or within ten days after the election. This election is governed by the AFGE Rules of Conduct for an Election, set forth in Appendix A of the AFGE National Constitution.

IMPORTANT: Mail your ballot in sufficient time for it to be retrieved at PO Box 240567 Charlotte NC 28224-0567 no later than 9:00 AM on May 30, 2008.