

**SMART**

International Association of Sheet Metal, Air, Rail and Transportation Workers Local #10

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Special Order of Business: Nomination for Vacant Offices and Special Election (Article 12, Section 1)

Local #10 has received notification of the retirement of two Business Representatives. Therefore, there will be a Special Election for the following positions:

Business Representative, Southern MN Area

Business Representative, North Dakota

Current Elected Officials: No incumbent of any office or position with Local 10 shall be eligible for nomination or election, in accordance with the SMART Constitution and Ritual Article 12, Section 8(a), unless prior thereto he or she resigns irrevocably in writing from the office or position of which he or she is the incumbent. Such resignation shall be submitted in advance of nomination.

Nominations will be held at the Membership Meeting of January 3, 2017 at 5:00 pm at the Union Hall in Maplewood, MN. The Local 10 Election rules will be presented at the nomination meeting of January 3, 2017 and will be posted on the Local #10 website following the nomination meeting.

Any member wishing to make a nomination, but for some reason is unable to attend the meeting, must have a letter to the Business Manager prior to the January 3, 2017 Union Meeting.

Eligibility to Run for Office:

A member's eligibility to run for office shall be determined solely by the provisions of the SMART Constitution and Ritual Article Twelve (12) Section Three (3) as follows:

(b) such dues and other obligations due the local union and the International Association must be paid before December 31, 2016 for the month of January 2017 and be properly recorded on an official receipt in his or her possession, and

(c) he or she has established a record of continuous good standing in the local union in which he or she is a candidate for a period of not less than two (2) consecutive years, which may include years as an apprentice-member but no longer serving an apprenticeship immediately preceding his or her nomination, appointment or election...

Residency requirement/Term of office:

All elected officers and Business Representatives of Local #10 must establish permanent residence in the contract areas they represent **within 6 months of being elected to office.**

The list of polling places is printed on the reverse side of this letter. A list of the candidates and voting places with voting times will be posted on the Local #10 website after nominations. The **Election** will be held on **January 25, 2017 and January 26, 2017. The votes will be counted on January 30, 2017.**

Fraternally,

Jim Bowman
Business Manager/President
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