



## **2025 Election Committee Clarification #3** **(Posted on SEIU Local 1021 Website 12/20/24)**

**Please review the following rules and procedures regarding candidate forums to ensure a fair and organized process:**

- As a reminder, candidate forums cannot take place until after December 21, 2024.
- The Election Committee must be notified at least four (4) business days in advance to allow for timely posting on the Local 1021 website by emailing the 2025 Election Committee [2025.election.committee@seiu1021.org](mailto:2025.election.committee@seiu1021.org).
- All candidates must be notified prior to contacting the election committee using the contact information provided on the Local 1021 website and show proof of contact when requesting the candidate forum be listed on the website.

**Please note the following rules previously shared:**

- Campaigning is only allowed during properly noticed candidate forums.
- SEIU Local 1021 Staff may only assist with room reservations at a union office or virtual meeting reservations, notices, and food orders for forums held as part of regularly scheduled chapter, regional, or industry meetings. Staff cannot manage any other logistics for forums.
- Candidate forums at union offices, using SEIU 1021 video accounts, or held at employer worksites must meet these criteria:
  - Notices must be posted on the website at least 72 hours before the meeting (therefore as stated above, you must send the request to the election committee emails four (4) business days in advance).
  - All candidates for the relevant office(s) must be invited. If the forum is limited to a specific office, other candidates may not participate.
- Candidates are not required to RSVP. If requested, notices should include the wording: "To ensure adequate food quantities, an RSVP is requested."

**Please consider the following holidays, which are not business days, when planning forums:**

- Christmas Eve (Dec. 24)
- Christmas Day (Dec. 25)
- New Year's Eve (Dec. 31)
- New Year's Day (Jan. 1)

For questions, contact the Election Committee at [2025.election.committee@seiu1021.org](mailto:2025.election.committee@seiu1021.org).