

## Amalgamated Transit Union . Local 268

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## **ATU Local 268 Election Notice**

## **Local Officers Elections to be Rerun**

An investigation and review of the recently held election of local union officers has determined that a substantial number of members were unable to vote because they did not timely receive ballots, including those who properly requested duplicate ballots by the cutoff date for requesting duplicate ballots.

The failure of members to receive ballots timely was caused by the unforeseeable and unprecedented delays the United States Postal Service suffered in the Cleveland area during the month of December which have been widely reported in various news media. As a result of these delays, only certain members had the opportunity to vote in the local union election.

In order to ensure full participation on an equal basis, the election will be rerun with longer time periods to assure adequate time to receive and mail ballots, as well as request duplicate ballots if necessary.

Ballots will be mailed to all members in good standing on January 20, 2021.

Members who do not receive their ballots by February 1, 2021, should call (209) 259-6740 to have a duplicate ballot sent to them.

Ballots will be due back by February 26, 2021, at 12:00 p.m.

Members who voted in the original election need to vote in this election using the rerun ballot.

Prior ballots will NOT be counted in the rerun because everyone will have an opportunity to vote in the rerun, and members **CANNOT** vote using ballots from the original election.

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