Nominations for TWU Local 591 Board of Elections

(Election Committee)

Brothers and Sisters,

TWU Local 591 will elect a Board of Elections (Election Committee) to coordinate and officiate all TWU Local 591 Department of Labor required elections. These elections will include future TWU Local 591 elections covering Executive Board and Convention Delegate elections if required. The term for TWU Local 591 Board of Elections is three (3) years.

RULES FOR NOMINATIONS FOR BOARD OF ELECTIONS (ELECTION COMMITTEE)

Nomination period: Opens Monday August 1st 8:00 am CDT (Central Daylight Time) and Closes Monday August 15th 8:00 am CDT.

Number of Positions: Three (3) Election Committee Members and Three (3) Alternates - (6 Total)

Any active Local 591 Member in good standing may nominate any active Local 591 Member in good standing, with an accompanying second nomination by a different active Local 591 Member in good standing. The nominee receiving the highest number of votes will act as the Chairperson for the Board of Election. The fourth, fifth and sixth positions will act as alternates, with the person receiving the next highest vote total filling the first vacancy, if required. In the event of any tie, drawing of lots will determine the winner.

Each nominee must verbally accept the nomination prior to the distribution of the ballot. If a nominee cannot be reached to verbally accept or decline, a message will be left on the nominee’s number entered on the nomination form. Each nominee has until the nominations close, or three (3) days from the date the message was left (whichever is longer) to respond; otherwise the nomination becomes invalid.

Each nominee must be able to travel to the Local 591 Headquarters, if necessary, during any Department of Labor required elections in order to perform data entry and oversee the election process, as required, in accordance to the Local 591 Election Rules and D.O.L Guidelines. Any Election Committee Member who fails to make themselves available during an election will immediately be removed and an alternate will replace them.

Completed nomination forms may be sent to TWU Local 591 Recording Secretary, Jorge Rojas, via email at j.rojas@local591.com or via fax: (817) 591-4291. Completed forms must be received no later than August 15, 2016 8:00 am CDT.

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Jorge Rojas
TWU Local 591
Recording Secretary