

2025 – Local 41 Officer Elections

The election of the officers of Local 41 (President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer) was completed during the week of February 10, 2025. The officer elections and all related matters were conducted under the supervision of the United States Department of Labor (“US DOL”). As the members of Local 41 were previously notified, nomination petitions for all officer positions were required to be returned to the office of the Election Supervisor of the Chicago office of the US DOL by February 10, 2025. While under the supervision of the Election Supervisor, the Local 41 Election Committee reviewed the five (5) nomination petitions that were timely received for the various officer positions. There were two (2) petitions timely received for the office of President. There was one (1) timely petition received for the other three positions, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer.

The Election Committee determined that the nominating petitions for Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer were valid in form and that the respective nominees met all the requirements in the By-Laws of NABET-CWA and Local 41 to be a candidate for their respective office.

Regarding the two nominating petitions timely received for the office of President, the Election Committee determined that that the nominating petitions of both nominees were valid in form. However, the Election Committee also determined that one of the nominees did not meet all the requirements in the By-Laws of NABET-CWA and Local 41 to be a candidate for the office of President. Therefore, that nominee is not a candidate for the office of President.

Accordingly, there was only one candidate for each of the officer positions and the Election Committee has informed the following candidates that they have been elected by acclamation to the officer position in Local 41 for which they were a candidate.

Stephen Griswold – President

Ryan Farnham – Vice President

Travis Skupien – Secretary

Jeff Freeman - Treasurer

Congratulations to the newly elected officers. Their term of office will run until March 2028.

I plan to swear in the new officers on February 18, 2025. The conclusion of this election process places Local 41 one step closer to the conclusion of the period of Temporary Administration and return of control of Local 41 to the members of Local 41 as represented by the officers and Executive Board members of Local 41.

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Gene Maxwell

Temporary Administrator