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----- AFGE NBPC Local 2544 - Election of Officers -----

This notice is posted in accordance with the AFGE National Constitution and the By-Laws of Local 2544 to announce the elections for the offices of President, Secretary, Executive Vice-President, and 3rd Vice President. The term of office for each will run 3 years through December 9, 2020. The election of these officers will be by secret manual ballot. Polling locations, dates and times are listed below. ID will be required.

<u>STATION</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>HOURS POLLS OPEN</u>
1.) Ajo Station Room 418D Address: 850 N. Highway 85, Why, AZ 85321	<u>Nov 13, 2017</u>	<u>7:00am-7:00pm</u>
2.) Willcox Station Conference Room #A131 Address: 200 S Rex Allen Jr Dr., Willcox, AZ 85643	<u>Nov 13, 2017</u>	<u>5:00am-5:00pm</u>
3.) Douglas Station Building B - Training room #128B Address: 1608 S Kings Highway. Douglas AZ. 85635	<u>Nov 13, 2017</u>	<u>5:00am-5:00pm</u>
4.) Casa Grande Station Use of Force Building Address: 9480 W Adams RD, Eloy, AZ 85131	<u>Nov 14, 2017</u>	<u>7:00am-7:00pm</u>
5.) Nogales Station Rooms 234 and 235; second floor next to Equipment issue Address: 1500 W La Quinta Road, Nogales, AZ 85621	<u>Nov 14, 2017</u>	<u>5:00am-5:00pm</u>
6.) Brian A. Terry Station Operations Building, Training Room #1073 Address: 2136 S. Naco Hwy, Bisbee AZ, 85603	<u>Nov 14, 2017</u>	<u>5:00am-5:00pm</u>
7.) 3-Points Station Mat Room Address: 16435 W. Ajo Hwy, Tucson AZ 85735	<u>Nov 15, 2017</u>	<u>7:00am-7:00pm</u>
8.) Tucson Station Main conference room Address: 2430 S Swan Rd, Tucson, AZ 85707	<u>Nov 15, 2017</u>	<u>8:00am-8:00pm</u>
9.) Sonoita Station Processing Building, Union Office Address: 3225 AZ-82, Sonoita, AZ 85637	<u>Nov 15, 2017</u>	<u>6:00am-6:00pm</u>

NOTE: All times mentioned herein are Arizona Mountain Standard Time.

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Eligibility to Vote: Members must have their dues paid through Nov. 2017. Members will be required to show an ID and sign for their ballot. Members may only vote once. Duplicate voting will not counted.

Election & How to Vote: The election of officers will be conducted by secret manual ballot at each station. Voting instructions will be posted at the polling locations. Write-in votes are not permitted.

Absentee Ballots

Absentee ballots must be requested directly from Election Committee Supervisor Harley Hembd, 623-693-3225. Absentee ballots may be requested by telephone, FAX at 602-281-6188, or by email at harley.hembd@afge.org. Members must provide their full name, address, and phone number to receive a ballot. Absentee ballots should be requested as soon as possible to provide the member the best opportunity to receive and return the ballot in time to be counted on **Nov 16, 2017**. Absentee ballot voting instructions will advise a member to mark his/her ballot in private, seal it in the secret ballot envelope, and place the secret ballot envelope into the stamped self-addressed return ballot envelope to P.O. Box 91200, Tucson, AZ, 85752. Printing his/her name and address on it and then mail. Please follow the instructions carefully.

- The Election Committee will pick up the absentee ballots from the US Post Office at 7959 N Thornydale Rd, Tucson, AZ 85741 at **8:00 AM on Nov. 16, 2017**.

Election Ballot Tally Meeting

Date: Thursday, November 16, 2017

Time: 9:00 AM

Place: Local 2544 Union Office
2185 West Magee Road, Suite 125
Tucson, AZ 82742

Announcements: Winner announcements will follow the final count. Announcements will be posted at all Local 2544 stations, (Ajo Station, Casa Grande Station, 3-Points Station, Willcox Station, Nogales Station, Tucson Station, Douglas Station, Brian A. Terry Station, Sonoita Station), and social media sites, (Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/NBPCLocal2544>, Twitter: @NBPC2544 and Website: <http://www.local2544.org>).

Installation of Officers: Newly elected officers will be installed during Local 2544's bi-monthly meeting on **Dec. 13, 2017**.

Observers: Observers are allowed. Candidates or a person designated by a candidate to observe any of these processes may contact the Election Committee Supervisor Harley Hembd, 623-693-3225, to coordinate attendance. ID and sign-in will be required.

Election Protest: To be acted upon, all protests shall be made in writing and received by the Election Committee Supervisor by US mail, email, or fax, (*contact information is below*), no later than ten days after the **Nov. 19, 2017** election date.

Refer any questions and concerns to the Election Committee Supervisor or Election Committee Chairperson:

Election Committee Supervisor

Name: Harley Hembd, National Representative
Address: 7618 W John Cabot, Glendale AZ 85308
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Election Committee Chairperson

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