



International Longshore and Warehouse Union

Bulletin



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REGULAR MEMBERSHIP MEETING **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2026 @ 7:30 P.M.**

TURKEY DINNER PLATES

Turkey dinner plates will be sold for \$12.00 at the Regular Membership Meeting, Thursday, November 5, 2026, starting at 6:00 p.m. at the ILWU Memorial Hall. The meal will include turkey, mashed potatoes, corn, roll and cranberry sauce. Side items will be sold separately (@ \$2.00 each – Pie) (\$1.00 each – soda or water).

SPECIAL ONE-DAY ELECTION and VOTE

VICE PRESIDENT (SPRING 2026 VACANCY)
LABOR RELATIONS REPRESENTATIVE (SPRING 2026 VACANCY)
ADDED – TWO (2) DAY DISPATCHERS (FALL 2026 VACANCIES)

Nominations will open at the **Regular Membership Meeting on November 5, 2026, @ 7:30 p.m.** for one (1) Vice President position and (1) Labor Relations Representative position for the 2026 Spring Election. The term for this position will end on April 1, 2027. *The term will count toward the maximum term limit of three (3) years.*

ADDED: Nominations will open at the **Membership Meeting on November 5, 2026, @ 7:30 p.m.** for two (2) Day Dispatchers for the Fall 2026 Election. The term for this position will end on September 30, 2027. *The term will count toward the maximum term limit of three (3) years.*

Nomination forms will be available on **Friday, November 6, 2026**, at ILWU Local 13 Dues Office. Nomination forms must be turned in no later than **Friday, November 20, 2026 before 3:00 p.m.** At this time, the draw for placement on the ballot will take place. The one (1) Vice President position, the one (1) Labor Relations Representative position, and the two (2) Day Dispatcher positions will be placed on a **one-day** referendum ballot. The Special Election will take place on the date and time listed below:

SPECIAL ONE-DAY ELECTION and VOTE

Date: **Tuesday, December 1, 2026**
Time: 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Place: ILWU Memorial Hall
231 W. "C" Street
Wilmington, CA 90744

ELIGIBILITY TO RUN FOR OFFICE

In accordance with Constitution and By-Laws, Article IV, Nomination of Officers, Section 1, Sub-Section (f) and Article XI, Dues Fines and Assessments, Section 1, Sub-Section (b). For a member to be considered in good standing, they shall have their dues, fines, and assessments paid in full every month for twelve consecutive months, prior to picking up a nomination form. No nomination form shall be issued to a member if this criteria has not been met.

NOTIFICATION OF REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF COAST PRO RATA DUES INCREASE (72-MONTH TERM)

A motion was passed and carried at the August 27, 2026 Executive Board meeting to **implement a temporary dues increase of \$13.00** due to an increase in pro rata charges from the ILWU Coast Committee as a result of the ICTSI lawsuit.

The proposed temporary increase would increase Dues from \$239.50 monthly to \$252.50 monthly. The increase would last for a period of 72 months (six years).

We encourage you to vote yes on the temporary Dues Increase!

Fraternally,
Mario Medina
President

Sunshine Garcia
Secretary/Treasurer