

2019 Election Committee Clarification #7 (Posted on SEIU Local 1021 Website 12/28/18)

Item 17 of the Nomination and Election Notice provides a deadline of **6:00 pm, February 1, 2019** to request a duplicate ballot.

Based on the recommendation of the Department of Labor, however, the Election Committee has decided not to enforce this REQUEST deadline.

The Election Committee, however, will strictly enforce the RECEIPT deadline for voted ballots of **9:00** am, February 13, 2019.

Please note: The Election Administrator cannot control USPS delivery times. The *later* a Duplicate Ballot Request is made, the more likely that a member would not be able to receive and return his/her ballot by the deadline. The Department of Labor requires all ballots to be sent via standard First-Class Mail. A member in need of a Duplicate Ballot should request one as soon as they believe that they need one.

As specified in the Nomination and Election notice, ballots will be mailed out on or about January 11, 2019. If a member has not received a ballot by January 18, 2019, they should call the Election Administrator's toll-free Duplicate Ballot Request Answering Service at 855-240-0363. Operators are available 24/7 throughout the election period.