

United Workers Union

ELECTION NOTICE - Member Council

Scheduled Election 2026

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

Nominations are called for the following Offices:

1. Member Councilors from the following Regions:

Region	Number of Councillors
Australian Capital Territory	1
New South Wales	5
Northern Territory	1
Queensland	7
South Australia	4
Tasmania	1
Victoria	6
Western Australia	5

2. Member Councilors from any Region:

Region	Number of Councillors
Any	20

Nominations, which must be in writing and comply with the registered rules of the United Workers Union, may be made at any time from 12:00pm Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) on 06/07/2026.

Nomination forms will be provided by the Returning Officer, Danny Cloghan, via email to eligible members and will also be posted on the United Workers Union website on or before 06/07/2026.

Prospective candidates and nominators should verify their financial status and any other qualifications required by the United Workers Union's Rules prior to lodging nominations.

Eligible candidates may not nominate for more than one (1) Office set out above.

Nominations must reach the Returning Officer **not later than** 12:00pm AEST on 13/07/2026.

How to lodge nominations:

Nominations must be lodged:

By Email: A properly completed nomination form including all necessary signatures may be scanned and submitted as a pdf file to returningofficer@unitedworkers.org.au
The subject line of the email should include the reference 'UWU Member Council nomination – *your name & region*'

PLEASE NOTE:

1. It is the responsibility of senders to ensure that their email reaches the Returning Officer before the deadline for nominations.
2. In order to be able to be received by the Returning Officer, emails (including attachments) should be no greater than 6 MB in size.

Ballot information

The ballot, if required, will open and close, and take place at the United Workers Union's Quadrennial Convention on 27/07/26.

Convention Delegates who are financial on 6 July 2026 are entitled to vote in the ballot.

The ballot will be decided after the ballot closes, by a first-past-the post system of voting. This means that the candidate and/or team with the most votes will be elected.

Acknowledgment

You will be sent an acknowledgment of receipt of your nomination by Email.

Scrutineer Appointment

The appointment of scrutineers closes 10:00am Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) on 24/07/2026.

A Scrutineer Appointment form is available from the Returning Officer.

Other information

If you have moved states or territories since being elected as a Convention delegate, please advise the United Workers Union by no later than 13/07/2026.

Please note that a member must be a Convention Delegate to participate in this election.

A copy of the Returning Office's election report can be obtained from the United Workers Union or from the Returning Officer after the completion of the election.

Danny Cloghan
Returning Officer
Email: returningofficer@unitedworkers.org.au

PLEASE NOTE: It is your responsibility to ensure that your nomination is received by the Returning Officer **BEFORE** nominations close.