To: All Office & Professional Employees International Union, Local 13 Members

## **Re:** Nominations and Election of Delegates to the 2010 International Convention

This letter serves notice to each Local 13 member that nominations and election of delegates to the International Convention in Washington, DC on June 21 – 25, 2010, will be held as follows:

## **Nominations**

April 12, 2010 6:00 p.m. O.P.E.I.U., Local 13 Office

## **Elections**

May 10, 2010 6:00 p.m. O.P.E.I.U., Local 13 Office

At the March 8, 2010 Executive Board meeting the Executive Board recommended and approved that two (2) delegates be elected to the International Convention. The President of the Local shall be an automatic delegate by virtue of the office in accordance with the Local 13 Constitution and Bylaws, Article VII - Section 2(b). This recommendation was approved by the membership at the General Membership meeting held March 8, 2010. Other requirements according to the Local 13 Constitution and Bylaws are as follows:

**Article IX - Section 14**. Nominations and elections of delegates to the International Convention shall be held in accordance with the provisions of Articles IX and Article X of this Constitution and Bylaws.

Article XXV - Section 4. Each delegate to a convention of the Office and Professional Employees International Union must have been in continuous good standing in the Local Union for at least twelve (12) months prior to the convening of the convention. Each delegate shall be selected by a secret ballot vote of the Local Union in accordance with Article IX, Section 14 of these Bylaws, unless the Local Union Constitution provides they are delegates to a Convention of the Office and Professional Employees International Union by virtue of their office. Notice of such meeting shall be given to all members in good standing not less than fifteen (15) days prior to date of such meeting.

**Article XXV - Section 5**. Delegates shall attend the meetings of session of the body or assembly to which they have been delegated, faithfully represent this Union and protect its interests, and properly present and support its declared policies and instructions. They shall report to this Union the proceedings of the organization to which they were delegates and perform such duties as pertain to their office.

If you should have any questions, please contact the union office at 314-298-1133.

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Katie Fenlon, President

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