

OFFICIAL NOMINATING BALLOT INSTRUCTIONS  
2018 Eastern District Convention

1. You have received Nominating Ballots for the 2018 Eastern District Convention. By way of review,
  - ❖ Each congregation may nominate up to two LCMS Pastors in the Eastern District for the position of District President.
  - ❖ Each congregation may nominate up to two LCMS Pastors in their region for the position of Regional Vice President.
  - ❖ Each congregation may nominate up to two Laymen in their region/section for Delegate to the Eastern District Board of Directors.
  - ❖ Each congregation may nominate up to two Ordained/Commissioned Ministers on the Roster of Synod serving in the Eastern District for the 2019 Synod Committee for Convention Nominations

2. Official Nominating Ballots are to be completed, signed and returned before **January 30, 2018** to:

Nominations Committee, Chair  
c/o Mary Ellen Sima  
Eastern District, LCMS, 5111 Main Street  
Williamsville, New York 14221

3. **NOMINATING BALLOT. Enter names of nominees for District President, Regional Vice President\*, Section Lay Delegate to the Board of Directors, and the 2019 Synod Committee for Convention Nominations. Refer to the designated insert to determine your congregation's section and to learn of other congregations in your section. From this list of congregations any layman is eligible to serve as Lay Delegate to the Board of Directors.**
4. Pastor Dan Strussenberg has served two terms as Pittsburgh Regional Vice President. According to Eastern District Regulations he is ineligible to serve as Vice President of the Eastern District in the 2018 – 2021 triennium.

Others who have "termed out" and are no longer eligible to serve on the Board of Directors are: Jacqui Green (Philadelphia) and Gordon Tresch (Buffalo),

5. Questions? Please contact the Eastern District Office