

# MEMBER UPDATE



## EXECUTIVE OFFICER ELECTIONS – CANDIDATE TOWN HALLS ALL MEMBERS

### Executive Officer candidates announced

Delegates will vote to elect AUPE's eight-member Executive Committee at our annual Convention which runs Oct. 23, 24, and 25, 2025.

Executive Officer candidates are:

**President:**

Azocar, Sandra  
Gostola, Bonnie  
Smith, Guy

**Executive Secretary-Treasurer:**

Huseby, Justin  
Parhar, Harpreet

**Vice-President:**

Borodey, Bobby-Joe  
Burton, Nancy  
Butler, Randy  
Cooray, Shamanthi  
Fox, Remona  
Gault, James  
Graham, Darren  
Harrison, Paulette  
Jackson, Curtis  
Latoszek, Jason  
Ogden, Percy  
Philp, Jesse  
Sadler, Laura  
Terlesky, Merle  
White, Dalton  
Wickwire, Sherry  
Wilson, Andrew

### AUPE to host candidate town halls on Sept. 23 & 24

To prepare Delegates for the 2025 AUPE Executive Officer election, AUPE is hosting candidate town halls on Sept. 23 and 24. Please join the call to hear from all the candidates nominated for an Executive Officer position.

Candidates have been randomly assigned to participate in **only one** of the two scheduled town hall days. This ensures that each candidate has adequate time to share their ideas and respond to questions.

To hear from *all* candidates, we encourage everyone to attend town hall sessions on **both days**.

**Candidate Town Halls - Day 1**

**Tuesday, Sept. 23**

**Session 1:** Noon - 2:00 p.m.

**Session 2:** 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

**Candidates for VP:** Curtis Jackson, Darren Graham, Jesse Philp, Dalton White, Sherry Wickwire, Randy Butler, Remona Fox, Paulette Harrison

**Candidates for President:** Sandra Azocar, Bonnie Gostola, Guy Smith

**Candidate Town Halls - Day 2**

**Wednesday, Sept. 24**

**Session 1:** Noon - 2:00 p.m.

**Session 2:** 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

**Candidates for VP:** Andrew Wilson, James Gault, Percy Ogden, Merle Terlesky, Jason Latoszek, Nancy Burton, Laura Sadler, Bobby-Joe Borodey, Shamanthi Cooray

**Candidates for Executive Secretary-Treasurer:** Justin Huseby, Harpreet Parhar

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## How to join the Town Halls

Convention Delegates and alternates will automatically receive a phone call minutes before each event starts. Answer this call and stay on the line to take part in the town hall.

You will also receive a phone call a few days beforehand to remind you of the town halls.

AUPE members who are not Delegates or alternates can also join. If you are not a Delegate or alternate but would like to participate in the town halls, please scan the code below to register.



Each town hall will also be streamed live on **AUPE's Facebook page**.

## Town hall format

Each candidate will be given three minutes for an opening statement. After all candidates give their opening statements there will be a question-and-answer (Q & A) session. The Q & A is an opportunity for members on the phone line to ask their questions live, like a radio talk show.

Please email the elections committee at [electionscommittee@aupe.org](mailto:electionscommittee@aupe.org) if you would like more information.