



Voter's Guide and Voting Instructions for the 2021 **New England Local** Election

July 30, 2021

Please note that the candidates have been requested to provide statements for this brochure in accordance with rules outlined in the SAG-AFTRA Constitution and the Nominations and Election Policy ("Guidelines").

If a candidate for any office is unopposed, the candidate shall be declared elected without the necessity of a membership vote.



IMPORTANT!

Before marking your ballot, please read the "Voting Instructions" on back of this guide. Following these instructions assures that your vote will be cast properly.

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NATIONAL BOARD MEMBER / 4 YEAR TERM

VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ONE (1)



01 / BILL MOOTOS

As your **New England National Board Member**, I've worked diligently to represent your interests and communicate transparently with local performers and broadcasters. This pandemic has been challenging for everyone: my mission is to help SAG-AFTRA recover and flourish. It's disturbing to see the Los Angeles political faction "Membership First" inserting themselves into our New England elections to make SAG-AFTRA more Hollywood-centric -- at our members' expense. One New England Local candidate has essentially sold his vote to that group: Please vote for candidates who'll work to grow OUR market. **YOU are my priority** – fighting for work opportunities, competitive tax incentives, and a strong healthy Union. www.UnionStrongNewEngland.com



02 / CHUCK SLAVIN

As **New England SAG-AFTRA National Board Member**, I will be dedicated to improving the quality of **OUR** membership. Trustees ensure our **PENSIONS** and **HEALTHCARE** are safeguarded: I'll **VOTE** for **QUALIFIED TRUSTEES** who will put our best interests forward and have the foresight to **PROTECT OUR ASSETS**. As part of **SAG-AFTRA's** National Organizing Committee and Young Performer's Committee I continue to be a strong voice in the National Boardrooms. **LET'S CREATE OPPORTUNITIES!** Contact **781-789-3145** chuckslavin@me.com Always available for you, the members - **PLEASE SUPPORT** all candidates at www.NewEnglandFirst.com **REPRESENTATION MATTERS**. Shout out to our Union families & remembering those we've lost.



03 / GEORGE J. VEZINA

No Statement

PRESIDENT / 2 YEAR TERM

VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ONE (1)



04 / ANDREA LYMAN

Serving as your **New England Local President** is pure pleasure, and enlightening work for me. Though the last two years were a rollercoaster, I'm proud to serve on the President's Blue Ribbon Safety Commission, which met regularly to find ways to safely return to work. With production returning, I'm dedicating my energy to the issues I feel most passionately about: helping members learn about our craft, our contracts, and our industry, both in person and online through the resumption of member events and local committees. **It would be my honor to receive your vote to re-elect me as your Local President.**www.UnionStrongNewEngland.com



05 / CHUCK SLAVIN

As your **SAG-AFTRA New England Local President** I'll continue to serve for **YOU**, the members. Experienced 10+ year Board Member, serving on National Committees, I will continue that work and **OFFER MORE**. Honoring our local **SAG-AFTRA** chapter gives me purpose. **WE ARE THE UNION**. We'll work to make **JOBS** accessible to members. Secure Regional Film Credits. We will maximize **WORK OPPORTUNITIES**. **PLEASE KNOW YOUR UNION**. *"Well done is better than well said"* - (Benjamin Franklin) **THROUGH ACTIVISM - WE ALL GROW STRONGER. PLEASE VOTE** DeFranco, Vozzella, Corda, Wilde, Wong, Desautels, Drew, Zubhuza, Zangla, Crowley-Paolillo, O'Brien, Modine/Fisher, **SLAVIN** www.NewEnglandFirst.com **#NewEnglandFirst @NewEnglandFirst**

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VICE PRESIDENT – ACTOR/PERFORMER / 2 YEAR TERM

VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ONE (1)



06 / TOM KEMP

I am asking for your vote to allow me to continue my service to our New England Local as your Actor/Performer Vice President and as a Convention Delegate. Nationally I have served our local on the Low Budget Committee and served as Vice Chair of the TV/Theatrical Negotiating Committee, one of two votes outside NY and LA. With a movement in LA trying to silence us, respected and experienced voices for the locals are essential today more than ever. That's why I strongly endorse all the candidates running on the www.UnionStrongNewEngland.com slate. Allow me to continue to give back to our New England local. Thank you.



07 / LORI VOZZELLA

Lori Vozzella, running for election as the **New England Local SAG-AFTRA Freelancer Vice-President**. My opponent can retire knowing he's done well - it's time to pass the torch to the **NEXT GENERATION**. I will make your voice heard, fight for our value and worth and always have and hold our member's needs and concerns first! **OUR GOAL** is to help make our **UNION STRONGER** and help our members for the **FUTURE. PLEASE VOTE** Slavin, **Vozzella**, DeFranco, Corda, Wong, Zubhuza, Desautels etc. — Please support all candidates on our slate www.NewEnglandFirst.com

VICE PRESIDENT – BROADCAST / 2 YEAR TERM

VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ONE (1)



08 / MARISA DEFRANCO

Broadcast Vice-President. Dynamic. Dedicated. **DeFranco**. Broadcaster, Writer, Attorney. First and only solo woman in primetime Boston radio—WBZ. Advocacy, Expertise of two decades. Only candidate with a track record of fighting and winning impossible fights—on a shoestring budget against the Federal government. **IMAGINE** what We could do **TOGETHER**. Looking out for members—they won't fall through bureaucratic cracks. Resources, Workshops on protecting your intellectual property, and more. Local talent utilizing practical workshops that will **PROVIDE VALUABLE KNOWLEDGE** and also foster a more cohesive sense of **TEAM** for **NEW ENGLAND SAG-AFTRA**. Carrying that team spirit to the **NATIONAL** level! www.NewEnglandFirst.com



09 / VIC RAMOS

This has been one of the most challenging times for SAG-AFTRA. New England Broadcasters endured unprecedented work conditions, furloughs, even layoffs. The industry is broadening. Social media and podcasts continue to explode. As New England Broadcast Vice President, I've worked closely with broadcast members, shop stewards and staff, helping ensure safe working conditions. There's more work ahead, including securing the Massachusetts Film Tax Credit. My years on the Executive Board, the National Broadcast Steering Committee, 3 decades of local broadcasting and continuing to expand background work, give me the experience and knowledge needed to see us through. I ask for your vote for New England Broadcast Vice President. www.unionstrongnewengland.com

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SECRETARY / 2 YEAR TERM

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10 / ELLEN COLTON

I have been on the Board of my Union, SAG-AFTRA, for many years and I am as proud today as I've ever been for the opportunity to serve. I am especially happy to serve as Secretary on the SAG-AFTRA Board since 1997. It is an honor, as a working actor, to give back to a Union that has given me so much. I have always kept the interests of our members as a priority and I would appreciate the opportunity to continue serving. www.UnionStrongNewEngland.com



11 / LAURA CORDA

For the position of **New England SAG-AFTRA Secretary**. I have a Bachelor's Degree from Suffolk University. I studied Political Science as my Major. I have a love of law and political history. I offer my service as Secretary with a willingness to add **TRUTH** and **TRANSPARENCY** when it comes to the business of the Union. I've been a freelance member for 5 years. My brothers are members of local **1795 IAFF**. I know the **VALUE** of my **SAG-AFTRA** card. I am a proud Union Member since 2016. **PLEASE VOTE** Slavin, DeFranco, Vozzella, **Corda**, Zangla, Zubhuza, Wong - www.NewEnglandFirst.com

LOCAL BOARD MEMBER – ACTOR/PERFORMER / 2 YEAR TERM

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12 / ADAM DESAUTELS

Please consider a **NEW SAG-AFTRA New England Board Member and Delegate** with passion, determination, & drive for success. Every decision SAG-AFTRA makes directly impacts my career/healthcare/how I support my family, & for those reasons I run to **advocate forward change**. My goals will always be working to benefit **ALL New England members**, from occasional BG to principal talent. In recent years, too many roles are cast with members from outside markets. We have talented members here! We need to act **#NewEnglandFirst PLEASE VOTE ONLY Adam Desautels**, Slavin, DeFranco, Wong, Vozzella, Corda, & others on our slate. SOSHealthPlan.com www.NewEnglandFirst.com



13 / ROBERT DREW

For your consideration for **New England SAG-AFTRA Local Board Member**. As a seasoned Performer, I am concerned with treatment on set. It is also important that members are given opportunities to work **MULTIPLE DAYS**. Preference of employment is paramount. A strong Union is concerned with the validity of its benefits. Securing **PENSION** and **HEALTHCARE** with maximum contributions on our work. We are stronger together. **PLEASE CAST YOUR VOTES** for **Rob Drew**, Chuck Slavin, Marisa DeFranco, Lori Vozzella, Laura Corda, Wong, Wilde, Zangla, Zubhuza, Desautels, Crowley-Paolillo, Kansky, Wilde, O'Brien - **VOTE ONLY** www.NewEnglandFirst.com candidates



14 / LIZ ENG

Thank you for taking the time to read about every candidate. I am Liz Eng, a proud SAG-AFTRA member since 2007. Like many of you, I've worked many aspects of our contracts: as background, stand in, and principal. Whether working on a film set, or producing PSAs for preserving the Massachusetts Film Incentive: **my goal is to elevate our community, inspire others, and be the voice for the voiceless**. I offer my experiences as a millennial, LGBTQIA+, and woman of color to expand diversity on the board. Thank you for your vote, and the chance to represent you. www.UnionStrongNewEngland.com

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15 / GARY GALONE

Local member since 1989. Currently serving on the Conservatory & Safety subcommittees. Priority #1 is maintaining Film Tax Credit! I'm actively pushing my local state legislators on this critical issue. Also want to expose members to alternative revenue sources such as audiobook narration and podcasts. We need to push producers to cast more principal work locally, too many small roles go to non-New England actors. I'll work hard for you and ask for your trust as a Local Board Member and Convention Delegate. www.UnionStrongNewEngland.com



16 / RUSSELL J. GANNON

It's been my privilege to serve on the N.E. Board and I ask for your vote to continue. I am currently serving as the Vice-Chair of the National Background Committee, working with fellow actors around the country to address issues that affect us all. Member of the National Voiceover Performers Committee. Part of the Safety & Reopening Committees. Member of the 2018 Public Television Negotiating Committee. An actor and a former broadcaster (WXRV, Metro Traffic), I am also a huge supporter and advocate for the Student Film Agreement, visiting several local colleges every year to speak about it.



17 / TED GARLAND

We are still standing. Proudly resilient and respected nationwide. In a year marked by production shutdowns, staff cutbacks, and attacks on film tax credits, New England still maintains an unprecedented amount of work with substantial new pay increases. The reason is experience. I have served this union for thirty-three years as an actor and broadcaster on the Local Boards, Elections Committee, National Young Performers, NextGen, Communications, Convention Delegate, Talent Guide, Merger Taskforce, and more. I also teach Film/Video Production and Movie History, providing a valuable big-picture perspective. I will continue to work for you and enthusiastically endorse <http://www.UnionStrongNewEngland.com>



18 / GILDA JAMES

Thank you for the opportunity to serve as your representative to the New England Local Actor/Delegate SAGAFTRA board. Your support has allowed me to pursue our mutual goals and objectives. I now seek a second term to be your SAGAFTRA representative. COVID has certainly altered the landscape for our industry. However the key issues before us remain the same: steady work, COVID safety protocols, safe onset working conditions and our Tax Incentives! I have worked hard to protect our gains and prepare for the future. I again ask for your support and your vote to serve as your SAGAFTRA representative.



19 / KEN KANSKY

As your **SAG-AFTRA New England Board Member** - We'll do so **SO MUCH MORE** for **DISABILITY** and **INCLUSION** in our local New England **SAG-AFTRA** market which means **EQUAL REPRESENTATION** for **ALL MEMBERS. STRONG VOICES - ALL VOICES - REPRESENTATION MATTERS** Featured Extras getting **UPGRADES YOU DESERVE** - We're ready to **GOVERN - PLEASE VOTE KEN KANSKY**, Chuck Slavin, Marisa DeFranco, Jae-Omo Zubhuza, Lori Vozzella, Laura Corda, Freddie F. Wong, Adam Desautels, Rob Drew, Ziggy Zangla, Hannah Crowley-Paolillo, A.G. Wilde, Morgan O'Brien, & more - www.NewEnglandFirst.com #NewEnglandFirst @NewEnglandFirst



20 / DAN MARSHALL

An active member since 2007, I would like to contribute further by serving a second 2-year term on our local board, to help strengthen SAG-AFTRA with my experience in contract negotiation, business, and community development. As an actor, dancer, choreographer, singer, stuntman, and independent producer, I convey our goals in language that producers understand. I led a union conservatory, participated in the W&W Caucus, served on the National Stunt Committee (2 years), and serve on the National Dancers Committee (6 years), working to improve work conditions, safety, equity, terms, and pay for all union members. Thank you for your consideration.!

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21 / PETER M MCSWIGGIN

I know many of you have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. If you are experiencing a financial hardship, visit <https://www.dol.gov/coronavirus/unemployment-insurance> and also contact The Sag Foundation at 323-549-6708 to learn more about eligibility to receive benefits. Your past and present support of my candidacy has been invaluable to me: I humbly ask for your vote to Re-Elect me to the Local Board AND as your Delegate to the National Convention. Also, if you can see your way clear please Re-elect Bill Mootos and Michele Proude as well. **WE are Here to serve you.** Truly, Peter M. McSwiggin <http://www.UnionStrongNewEngland.com>



22 / MORGAN O'BRIEN

As your **SAG-AFTRA New England Board** and **Delegate** I'll serve to serve for **YOU**. Member since 2005 - We will continue the work and **OFFER MORE**. Seasoned Performer seeking more work and readily available in New England. **WE ARE THE UNION. APPRECIATE YOUR VOTES Morgan O'Brien A.K.A Norman H Plaisted**, Chuck Slavin, Marisa DeFranco, Lori Vozzella, Laura Corda, Zubhuza, Wong, Desautels, Drew, Zangla, Crowley-Paolillo, Kansky & more - **VOTE ONLY www.NewEnglandFirst.com candidates.** For even more information: plaistedo1@gmail.com



23 / REB POWERS

Reb is very proud to be a union member and in the New England Local. She has experience leading, and wants members of our local to feel safe and cared for on set, no matter the position or circumstance. She has taken action for years contacting local reps to fight for our work to stay here with the tax credit. With this past year, after having benefited from many improvements and outreach by SAG-AFTRA, this seemed the time to step in to give back. Also running for Convention Delegate. Don't know her? Feel free send a message on social!



24 / DAVID PRIDEMORE

A lifelong entertainer and member of our beloved SAG union since 1997. A loyal friend and colleague who will work with all sides peacefully to ensure what's best for our **NEW ENGLAND UNION. WE ARE FAMILY** and I will dutifully do my **ALL** to ensure the best future for our brothers and sisters to have a strong organization that they can be proud of. We must be willing to adapt to our **NEW WORLD** for the **NEXT GENERATION** to continue the work we have done thus far. Please vote for **DAVID PRIDEMORE** for Local Board and Delegate. A fresh new voice



25 / KAREN SCALIA

Hello! I am seeking reelection. A union member since '98, it has been my privilege to serve on the New England SAG AFTRA board for several terms, and hope to continue to serve in this capacity. In addition to my Board experience, I also have worked on several committees, most recently co-chairing the local Organizing Committee, and working on the Communications Committee. I bring several decades of marketing experience, and am a small business owner. I thank you kindly for your consideration.



26 / CHUCK SLAVIN

Having made **OVER \$200,000** in my career in this local through our **Union Contracts** I know firsthand the struggles we all face as **Performers** and to some degree **Broadcasters** in our market. You too are busy grinding for your livelihood so **OUR GOVERNANCE MUST BE NO SECRET!** We will deliver **OPEN BOARD MEETINGS** for **OUR LOCAL** members. We all **DESERVE TRANSPARENCY** in **ALL** matters. We also need your **ENERGY**, involvement, knowledge, experience and support. **KEEP OUR UNION HONEST. KEEP YOUR REPRESENTATIVES ACCOUNTABLE.** Apathy will break us - Don't let it... **LET'S PUT [NewEnglandFirst.com](http://www.NewEnglandFirst.com) PLEASE VOTE NOW @ KEEP VOTING ONWARD.**

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27 / ANDREW JUSTIN SMITH

Let's face it, times are changing, and fast. "New" Media gets newer every year, and it will benefit our SAG-AFTRA New England Local Board to face these challenges head-on. As a younger actor and member of the National NextGen Performers Committee, I have been doing just that. I am, therefore, in an ideal position to help our local by employing my extensive knowledge of New Media production, contracts, and technology to better prepare all of us for the changes that have already arrived. Please help me bring a NextGeneration perspective to our local Board...I stand with www.UnionStrongNewEngland.com



28 / GEORGE J. VEZINA

No Statement



29 / LORI VOZZELLA

Hello again my name is **Lori Vozzella**. **PLEASE** consider **TWO MORE VOTES** for me. I have been in the entertainment business for over fifteen years as a Union Member. My very first acting gig as a kid was a New Kids on the Block Music Video. After attending the 2017 convention, I've been energized to become invested in the **New England SAG-AFTRA board**. That is why I'm running for **Vice-President, Board, and Delegate**. I would love the opportunity to serve as a member of the board and hold all positions. **OUR UNION NEEDS NEW DIRECTION - LET'S PUT www.NewEnglandFirst.com**



30 / DON WARNOCK

I hope you and loved ones made it safely through COVID — missed working with you, and hope we'll all be on set soon. I would appreciate your vote. Over my years, I've worked all the standard contracts; served on Local AND National committees, including Disabilities, Background, Diversity, Conservatory, W&W, and merger; testified at the State House hearings on the tax credit. Please also consider our fantastic leadership at www.UnionStrongNewEngland.com. As a former broadcaster, please don't forget our broadcaster candidates. Deeply appreciative of your trust in the past, AND your votes today. Questions? 351-666-0106 call or text.



31 / FREDDIE F WONG

For your consideration, Please call me Freddie. As your continued **SAG-AFTRA New England Local Board Member and Delegate** I'll serve to serve for **YOU**. Experienced as a Local Board Member and delegate, I will continue to work for **MORE SPEAKING ROLES. ALL MEMBERS NEED MORE OPPORTUNITIES. KNOW YOUR VALUE**. As New England Co-Chair of Stunt & Safety - I know the importance of actually having meetings. We need more - **PLEASE VOTE** Chuck Slavin, Marisa DeFranco, Lori Vozzella, Laura Corda, **Freddie Wong**, Desautels, Drew, Zubhuza, Zangla, Crowley-Paolillo, O'Brien, & more - **SUPPORT YOUR SUPPORTERS www.NewEnglandFirst.com**



32 / ZIGGIE ZANGLA

For your consideration, **New England Local Board and Delegate** - Starting my career as a commercial actress in the early 1990s, the Union has been good to me. I'm looking to **GIVE BACK** and serve the Membership by attracting **ALL MEMBERS** to be more **ACTIVE** in our local union. We need open board meetings, **PRINCIPAL ROLES** and more voter participation. **WE ARE THE UNION. KNOW YOUR UNION. DECIDE YOUR FUTURE. VOTE Ziggie Zangla**, Chuck Slavin, Marisa DeFranco, Lori Vozzella, Laura Corda, Ken Kansky, Jae-Omo Zubhuza, Freddie F. Wong, A.G. Wilde, and more. **VOTE ONLY** candidates putting www.NewEnglandFirst.com **XOXO**

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33 / JAE-OMO ZUBHUZA

As your **SAG-AFTRA New England Board** and **Delegate** I'll serve to serve for **YOU**. We will continue the work and **OFFER MORE**. All positive energy. **WE ARE THE UNION. WE ALL GROW STRONGER TOGETHER** It's important we are on the same page and **WORK** as **ONE TEAM - FILM TAX CREDITS** focus for the region. **REPRESENTATION MATTERS PLEASE VOTE Jae-Omo Zubhuza**, Chuck Slavin, Marisa DeFranco, Lori Vozzella, Laure Corda, Freddie F. Wong, Adam Desautels, Rob Drew, Ziggie Zangla, Hannah Crowley-Paolillo, Morgan O'Brien, A.G. Wilde - **VOTE ONLY** www.NewEnglandFirst.com candidates



34 / DALE F. APPEL

I am thankful for the experience of having served a term on our Local Board and three terms as a Convention Delegate. Now I ask that you re-elect me both as a **Board Member** and **Convention Delegate**. The knowledge from my experience will help me better serve all of us. I have served as a volunteer at our Conservatories, our Local SAG Awards parties, worked our phone banks, and advocated at the State House when needed. I am particularly interested in finding ways to create more work for our older members. I support www.unionstrongnewengland.com



35 / LAURA CORDA

For your consideration for Local Board. **PLEASE CAST THREE VOTES FOR ME** (up top and down bottom). I spent the better part of a decade working non-union and witnessed many injustices against fellow actors and myself. Now that I have joined the Union and see the benefits **I WANT TO GIVE BACK** and make sure these things do not happen in the future. Let's make **OUR UNION STRONGER**. Let's help the **NEXT GENERATION - PLEASE CAST YOUR VOTES** for **Corda**, Slavin, Vozzella, DeFranco, Wong, Wilde, Zangla, Zubhuza, Desautels, Drew, Crowley-Paolillo, Kansky, O'Brien, and all candidates at www.NewEnglandFirst.com



36 / HANNAH CROWLEY-PAOLILLO

For your consideration, member of the **SAG-AFTRA** community since 1991. I've seen all the non-union jobs in the New England area erode our opportunities. When elected, I've specific goals to address it, for example, obtaining **UNION CONTRACTS** with the **66 VIDEO GAME COMPANIES** in New England, currently using non-union labor. I'll work to remove obstacles preventing new producers and film students to process **LOW-BUDGET FILMS** with the **UNION**. My goal is to **FOSTER** and **EXPAND** as many creative opportunities for **SAG-AFTRA** members as possible, allowing more of us to do **MORE** of what we **LOVE PLEASE VOTE** Slavin, **Crowley-Paolillo**, www.NewEnglandFirst.com

LOCAL BOARD MEMBER – BROADCASTER / 2 YEAR TERM

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37 / MARISA DEFRANCO

For your consideration for Local Board. **PLEASE CAST THREE VOTES FOR ME** (up top and down bottom). As the only broadcaster with experience representing victims of violence, I am concerned with workplace safety. Harassment and intimidation are far too commonplace. We need strong voices to condemn violations and be **PROACTIVE. Prevention is possible**. With a strong team in place we can not only timely address concerns but also implement preventive programs. I put words into **ACTION. PLEASE CAST YOUR VOTES** for **DeFranco**, Slavin, Vozzella, Corda, Wong, Wilde, Zangla, Zubhuza, Desautels, Drew, Crowley-Paolillo, Kansky, O'Brien, and all candidates at www.NewEnglandFirst.com

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38 / ROD FRITZ

I've been a member of **SAG-AFTRA** since 1977. A very active **Broadcaster**. I've worked in Radio since my return from Vietnam in 1970. I've always strongly supported Union members and I'm a former Shop Steward. I bring to the table, experience, knowledge of the broadcast business and all its changes. I've supported my fellow Broadcasters with every issue presented to me over the years. I've been a member of the New England Board for many years and seek your vote to return and continue serving **SAG-AFTRA Broadcasters**. This is no time for divisiveness. We are one Union. **SAG-AFTRA** www.UnionStrongNewEngland.com



39 / GARO HAGOPIAN

I'm a news anchor and host at WBUR, deeply involved as the station negotiated its first contract in the midst of the pandemic, and a round of layoffs. Despite those considerable challenges, WBUR is now celebrating its first year of much-improved wages and working conditions. I've been a broadcaster since 1994, and a SAG-AFTRA member since 2002, when I helped form the shop for off-air employees of WBZ radio. With much work still to do, I ask your support to continue building on our successes for another term, and please support the candidates of www.UnionStrongNewEngland.com.



40 / MICHAEL E. MACKLIN

I ask for your vote so I can continue to represent you on the SAG-AFTRA Board and as a Convention Delegate. I am committed to preserving and strengthening the union pension and health insurance. I will also do all that I can to protect your jobs, your pay and your working conditions. I appreciate your support and will always be there for you. I will work to protect broadcasters and freelancers alike. <http://www.unionstrongnewengland.com/>



41 / VIC RAMOS

I've had the honor of serving SAG-AFTRA New England members for 18 years on the Local Board and the National Broadcast Steering Committee. It's been a challenging year for broadcasters and actors alike, with a lot of unfinished work, including securing the Massachusetts Film Tax Credit. Broadcasting is being redefined at an alarming rate. The past year witnessed the biggest addition of broadcasters to this local in 20 years with WBUR Public Radio joining SAG-AFTRA. With more than 30 years of broadcast experience and expanding my background work in Boston, I ask for your vote to continue our mission. www.unionstrongnewengland.com.



42 / A.G. WILDE

Hello **SAG-AFTRA Broadcasters and entertainers! We survived Covid-19 now let me ask you...HOW'S YOUR HEALTHCARE?** As your **SAG-AFTRA New England Local Board Member** and **Delegate** I will continue to be your voice ensuring the best representation at the bargaining table, stronger contract gains and office/staff accountability and improve health care for good. I will continue to **GIVE BACK** and serve the Membership by allowing **ALL MEMBERS** to be more **ACTIVE. WE ARE THE UNION. KNOW YOUR UNION. DECIDE YOUR FUTURE. THANK YOU PLEASE VOTE Wilde, Slavin, DeFranco, Vozzella, Corda, Desautels, Zubhuza, Zangla, Kansky, & more - VOTE ONLY** www.NewEnglandFirst.com candidates



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I've been a union member since 1987, a New England Local Broadcast Board member for five years, and served as a shop steward. With the professional guidance of our SAG-AFTRA staff, I've assisted in negotiating the best broadcast contracts in our region, providing excellent compensation, benefits and protections for our members. I am also a strong advocate for the Film Tax Credit, which provides valuable jobs for our members, and brings business to Massachusetts that benefits everyone. The last year has been challenging, but now it's time for a brighter future, with a strong SAG-AFTRA union leading the way. www.unionstrongnewengland.com.

The National Board Member and President, by virtue of their election to those positions, shall also serve as Convention Delegates. The National Board Member will also serve as a Local Board Member and Local Executive Committee Member during the first two years of the term. The President, Vice Presidents, and Secretary will also serve as members of the Local Executive, Organizing and Communications Committees. The Local Officers, Local Board Members and Convention Delegates, by virtue of their election to those positions, are eligible to serve as Alternate National Board Members.

CONVENTION DELEGATE – ACTOR/PERFORMER / 2 YEAR TERM

VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ELEVEN (11)

44. ADAM DESAUTELS
45. ROBERT DREW
46. LIZ ENG
47. KEVIN FENNESSY
48. GARY GALONE
49. RUSSELL J. GANNON
50. TED GARLAND
51. CHRISTOPHER JAMES
52. GILDA JAMES
53. NICOLE JOHAN RAND
54. TOM KEMP

55. PETER M MCSWIGGIN
56. MORGAN O'BRIEN
57. REB POWERS
58. DAVID PRIDEMORE
59. MICHELE PROUDE
60. DUNCAN PUTNEY
61. CHUCK SLAVIN
62. ANDREW JUSTIN SMITH
63. MARILYN SWICK
64. GEORGE J. VEZINA
65. LORI VOZZELLA

66. DON WARNOCK
67. FREDDIE F WONG
68. ZIGGIE ZANGLA
69. JAE-OMO ZUBHUZA
70. DALE F. APPEL
71. ELLEN COLTON
72. LAURA CORDA
73. HANNAH CROWLEY-PAOLILLO

CONVENTION DELEGATE – BROADCAST / 2 YEAR TERM

VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN TWO (2)

74. MARISA DEFRANCO
75. ROD FRITZ

76. MICHAEL E. MACKLIN
77. VIC RAMOS

78. A.G. WILDE