



Voter's Guide and Voting Instructions for the 2021 **San Diego 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"). Photos and statements for Convention Delegate positions are not permitted.

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

Please note that the following candidates ran unopposed and will be installed in office on September 2, 2021:

President - Martin Alvillar;

Secretary - Ruben H. Chato



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.

The Local Officer, Local Board Members and Convention Delegates, by virtue of their election to those positions, are eligible to serve as Alternate National Board Members.

VICE PRESIDENT / 2 YEAR TERM

VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ONE (1)



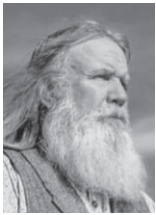
01 / PAUL EDNEY

Hello. I am a very active member, having acted in over 50 Union productions. Mostly Background, but also Principal and Featured roles - www.imdb.com/name/nm2481281/. My main concerns are getting union productions to film in San Diego. Expanding union background coverage to cover the whole county, not just the city. It would be ideal if San Diego had its own major production studio. Thank you for your vote.



02 / GERREN HALL

Gerren Hall is an actor and producer from San Francisco now residing in San Diego and has been a member of SAG-AFTRA since 2020, he has been working locally in San Diego since 2012. Having worked on more than 50+ local projects. With more than 100+ IMDB credits to his name. Gerren is committed to breeding more union work in San Diego, most recently he's running a new television show called Promiseland.



03 / LARRY POOLE

As a working actor I understand the challenges we all face in the aftermath of a global pandemic. I spent the last several years learning how the system works and will use that knowledge to represent you as Vice President local board of SAG-AFTRA. I will be your advocate and voice and will work hard to fulfill the promises our union was formed to deliver. We can and will rebuild our industry, and experience is needed now more than ever before. Please help me to ensure our union delivers its promise to serve you. Thank you for your vote.



04 / CYNTHIA TURNER

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LOCAL BOARD MEMBER / 2 YEAR TERM

VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN FIVE (5) – **CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE**



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06 / NEIL ESPE

Hello Brothers and Sisters. My name is Neil Espe and I am running for the position of San Diego Local Board Member. Many of you know me personally or have seen me at the General Member meetings or the local mixers. I have been a member since 1993, have served on the Election Committee, have tried to be pro-active in union affairs, and will work hard for the benefit of all of our members. I would greatly appreciate your support for this very important position. Thank you.

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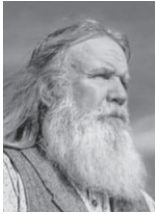
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VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN FIVE (5) – **CONTINUED**



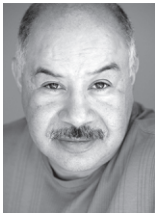
07 / PETE PETERS

I Pete Peters am running for the SAGAFTRA Local San Diego Board to make a difference in the policies adopted by our union. My extensive university work in drama and screenwriting will make a difference. My participation will enhance the actors craft. i was once a delegate to the convention in 2017 and have learned the system. My concerns are jobs for the area, health benefits, treatments of actors, sexual abuse on the work place and residual/income.



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09 / LORENZO RODRIGUEZ

Lorenzo Rodriguez is running for board member and convention delegate. an actor for over 30 years.I will bring more union work to this area.We need to work with are elective government,and i will see to that.Now board member and conservatory chairman of San Diego local i will keep membership first in education in training being safe on the job. My experience IN the union and service.Chairman conservatory SAG SAG/AFTRA. Board Member SAG SAG/AFTRA. Spanish language media Convention delegate.ALSO WORK ON MANY FILMS TV AND THEATRE WITH HAPPINESS.



10 / LOU SLOCUM

We are just emerging from one of the most difficult downturns in our history. The pandemic has changed how we audition and work: Self-taping is here to stay. Remote direction from your home VO studio will become commonplace. We must master these skills in order to survive and succeed. Our Union has also created new opportunities with the Micro Budget Agreement and the Influencer Agreement for content providers. As a 26 year SAG-AFTRA member, I will continue to support you in securing a living wage in your noble profession. I ask for your vote to continue my service.



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CONVENTION DELEGATE / 2 YEAR TERM

VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN SIX (6)

- 12. PAUL EDNEY
- 13. PETE PETERS
- 14. LARRY POOLE

- 15. LORENZO RODRIGUEZ
- 16. LOU SLOCUM
- 17. KYLA THOMAS

- 18. CYNTHIA TURNER
- 19. RUBEN H. CHATO