

## **REVISED Timeline for 2020 AALJ RVP 6 Election**

Below please find proposed draft timeline for AALJ election for RVP 6 according to the AALJ Constitution, Rules for Implementation, and 2018 Election Rules.

Eligible voters: Members of AALJ in good standing who are non-managements judges. Members in good standing are eligible to vote for a candidate within the jurisdictional area of the office to which they are assigned.

**March 1, 2020 - Election cycle begins.** AALJ President shall appoint a Nominating Committee [section 3] and an Elections Committee subject to approval of the National Executive Board.

The President will notify the union members that an election is upcoming for the RVP 6 position and details will follow.

The President proposes the members of the Nominating Committee be chair, Patrick Berigan, Timothy Malloy and Guila Parker (all Milwaukee HO).

The members of the Election Committee be Amanda Craven (Mauldin HO), chair, Christine Guard (Atlanta Downtown HO), Eddie Bauer (Tampa HO).

AAA Election contract should be presented to the NEB for vote as soon as possible. The contract will be signed by the NEB president.

Once the NEB has entered into a contract for election services, the Elections Committee should work with the vendor to come up with a sample ballot and schedule the counting of the ballots.

**March 9, 2020 -** The AALJ Secretary shall notify membership of opening of nominations.

**March 23, 2020 -** Nominating petitions must be received by 12:00 o'clock am. [midnight], Central time; nominations close. [Section 3] Petitions will be submitted via email only. The nomination committee will confirm that the nominees are eligible consistent with the AALJ Constitution, Rules for Implementation and the 2018 Election Rules.

If no nominations have been received by this date, the Nominating Committee shall select one or more nominee for the office.

~~~~ **March 24, 2020**

Nominating Committee will

- (1) Promptly notify nominees of their nomination or ineligibility and
- (2) certify a list of nominees to the secretary.

**March 25, 2020:** Nominees must notify Nominating committee of refusal to accept office if elected by March 25, 2020.

**April 3, 2020:** Voting instructions with pins emailed.

**April 4, 2020:** First day to request duplicate instructions and pins: **Call 1-800-529-5218**

**April 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020:** Online voting must be received on or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. Eastern Time for ballot count at 10:00 a.m. Eastern

- Tally of votes received must be furnished to the AALJ National Executive Board by the Elections Committee

**April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2020** - Newly Elected Officer shall begin their term of office