

Local Lodge 2198

2025 DL 142 CONVENTION

March 17th to 21st, 2025

Pursuant to Article 4 of the Air Transport District 142 (District 142) Bylaws, a call is hereby issued for the Quadrennial Convention to be held in Las Vegas, Nevada.

The convention will convene Tuesday - March 18, 2025 at 9:00 AM at the Planet Hollywood Las Vegas Hotel, 3667 Las Vegas Blvd. S, Las Vegas, NV 89109. The nightly room rate is \$69.00, plus \$49.95 resort fee, plus tax.

Pursuant to Article 6 of the District 142 Bylaws, Convention Delegates shall be elected not later than the first monthly meeting in November or December of 2024. Please refer to the IAMAW Grand Lodge Constitution and the District 142 Bylaws for rules governing the nomination and election of Delegates.

Local Lodge 2198 will have Nominations for the DL142 Convention during the Regular Business Meeting On September 12th.

Elections will be held during the regular business meeting on October 3rd for: 12 DELEGATES.

The following is information to help the Election of Delegates.

DL142 Bylaws.

ARTICLE 6

ELECTION, QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPENSE OF DELEGATE

Section 1. In the second (2nd) week of August, a call for nominations to the District Lodge 142 convention will be sent to all affiliated Local Lodges of District Lodge 142. District Lodge 142 Delegates shall be elected not later than the first (1st) meeting of each Local Lodge in the month of November or December. The term of office for Delegates shall be from December 31st to December 31st of the following convention year.

Section 2. Delegates shall be elected by a plurality vote of their respective membership employed at the point represented by the Delegates, provided, however, that no lodge shall be allowed to dictate the election of a Delegate using the votes of members who are not working under the jurisdiction of District Lodge 142 to accomplish same, complying with IAMAW Constitution and IAMAW Official Circulars.

a. All candidates for District Lodge 142 Delegate shall be members in good standing with the IAM for not less than one year from the date of the close of nomination.

b. All candidates for District Lodge 142 Delegate shall be members in good standing with IAM Air Transport District Lodge 142 for not less than one year from the date of the close of nomination.

c. All candidates for District Lodge 142 Delegate shall be working at the trades as defined in Article II, Section 4 of the IMAAW Constitution, for six (6) months prior to the close of nomination.

d. All candidates for District Lodge 142 Delegate shall be free from any delinquencies of any nature to the Local Lodge, District Lodge 142 and IMAAW one year immediately prior to the close of nomination, in accordance with the IMAAW Constitution.

e. Delegates must also meet the requirements of the Local Lodge bylaws before being accepted as a Delegate to the District Lodge 142 convention.

Section 5. Delegates' expenses shall be paid by their respective Local Lodges, except that a Local Lodge may, prior to convention time, apply to the District Lodge 142 Executive Board for assistance in the payment of expenses of not more than one (1) Delegate. The District Lodge 142 Executive Board may grant whatever assistance is warranted, but not more than the expenses and normal lost time of one (1) Delegate.

Section 6. Any Delegate to this Body leaving the service of the air carriers or air transport companies whose employees are represented by the District Lodge 142 or transferring to other points, shall at once be considered resigned and his successor shall immediately be elected and the District Lodge 142 Secretary-Treasurer so notified of this change.

Section 9. It is the responsibility of each Delegate to contact the office of the District Lodge 142 Secretary-Treasurer in writing or via email, prior to the meeting to report an absence for excusal by the Executive Board.

LL2198 ByLaws:

ARTICLE X DELEGATES

Section 1. The election of Delegates to all conventions shall be by secret ballot, and the candidates receiving the most votes shall be declared elected. Delegates, Winpisinger Center attendees, and **Representatives must be in good standing and must have attended at least 50% of the previous twelve (12) months regular meetings held prior to the nomination.** All Delegates and Representatives shall submit a written or verbal report of such conventions, together with a voucher for the cost of rooms, lost time, incidentals, registration fees, and transportation, including airfare not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500.00) round trip as long as the Local Lodge maintains a balance over five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000.00) and not to include rental cars.

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