



2026 USRowing Special Election Process and Timeline

Board Member-Elected Positions (Northeast Region)

1. **Call for Nominations:** A call for self-nominations will be distributed on Monday, June 8, 2026. [USRowing Bylaw 18(b)]
 - a. Nomination materials will be posted on USRowing's website on Monday, June 8, 2026.
 - b. All nominees must be eligible to run per the requirements in the Bylaws.
 - c. Nominations must be received by Monday, June 22, 2026. Please note that nominees must pass a background check and complete their SafeSport training to be eligible to run.
 - d. A notice will go out on Monday, June 8, 2026, to remind eligible voters to update their email address on file in the USRowing member database by the Date of Record [Tuesday, June 30, 2026].
 - e. A second notice will go out on Monday, June 22, 2026, to remind eligible voters to update their email address on file in the USRowing member database by the Date of Record [Tuesday, June 30, 2026].
2. **Posting of Nominees and Election Process:** USRowing will post all nominees who meet the eligibility requirements, and information on how to vote to its website by Monday, June 29, 2026.
3. **Election Process:** USRowing will use an independent, electronic voting service to administer the election.
 - a. USRowing will upload candidate names and bios beginning Monday, June 29, 2026.
 - b. USRowing will upload the eligible voter list to the election administrator on Tuesday, June 30, 2026 (Date of Record).
 - c. Election will commence on Monday, July 13, 2026, and voting will run through Monday, July 27, 2026.
 - d. USRowing will post election results by Wednesday, July 29, 2026.
4. **Administration**
 - a. The election process will be administered by Brett Johnson, USRowing Senior Director of Operations (brett.johnson@usrowing.org)
 - b. The USRowing Grievance Procedures can be found online at: <https://usrowing.org/governance/policies-procedures>