



COALITION OF LABOR UNION WOMEN

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Coalition of Labor Union Women 20th Biennial Convention

General Rules

1. To be seated at the convention, a delegate must be a ***Regular** CLUW member in good standing.

Eligibility

1. **Any CLUW Member in good standing by September 1, 2019, may attend the convention as a voting delegate of a union or chapter.**
2. **Any person registering as a delegate must be in current dues status** at the time of registration or will be referred to the CLUW website or national office so payment can be made prior to the registration being completed.

Convention Constitutional Amendments

1. The Constitution may be amended only at the Convention.
2. Proposed amendments must be adopted by a two-thirds vote of the convention. Amendments to the Constitution shall take effect immediately upon the adoption by the convention, unless otherwise specified by the amendment.

If you have questions regarding these rules, please contact the National CLUW Office.

Constitutional definition of *Regular member - "Regular membership in CLUW shall be open to any person who is a member in good standing or a retiree of a union or other bona fide collective bargaining organization." Members who pay CLUW National dues under these categories are "Regular Members":

1. Regular
2. Retiree
3. Contributing
4. Supporting
5. Sustaining
6. Lifetime

Associate Members are not eligible to be voting delegates, however they may attend the convention as observers and participate in all workshops and activities. Observers will have designated seating in the convention hall.

Constitutional definition of Associate Member - "Persons in support of CLUW who are not members of a bona fide collective bargaining organization may join as associate members."

Unemployed Member - "Union members on long-term layoff who are no longer considered members of their unions may remain in CLUW as associate members."

Student Members are also considered to be Associate Members.

Done	<u>Instruction Checklist and Convention Cut-Off Dates</u> Activity to Be Completed	Deadline
	Submit any convention resolutions or constitutional amendments. Procedures and submission forms can be found at www.cluw.org	Postmarked or e-mail transmission by August 17, 2019.
	You must be a CLUW member in good standing by this date to be seated as a convention delegate. Memberships expiring in September and October must be paid prior to opening of the convention.	September 1, 2019.
	Hotel reservations must be made.	No later than September 6, 2019
	Cut-off date for early bird registration discount. Convention registration forms are due back to the CLUW Treasurer.	September 16, 2019.
	Return all convention registration forms (regular non-discounted) to the CLUW National Treasurer.	No later than September 27, 2019.
	Submit In Memoriam forms to the CLUW office. Procedures and submission form can be found at www.cluw.org	No later than September 27, 2019.