



NATIONAL OFFICE MEMORANDUM

DATE: Thursday 08 June 2023
TO: ALL MEMBERS
FROM: Acting National Returning Officer
SUBJECT: NATIONAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE –
NOMINATIONS CALL - RESULT UPDATED

The General Secretary has been appointed by the NMC as Acting National Returning Officer for the NMC Ballot process as conference appointed National Returning Officer, Howard Phillips, holds a contestable position in this election cycle.

At the close of nominations (Friday 02 June 2023 at 1700hrs) there were four NMC positions that received only one nomination and therefore those four nominees are declared elected unopposed.

Congratulations to:

1. North Island Rail Rep – **Shane McNae** – nominated by Motutere Kuka and Lance Lucas .
2. North Island Ports Rep – **Ratahi Ellis** – nominated by Travis Dunster and Mike Troon.
3. South Island Ports Rep – **Andrew “Andy” Kelly** – nominated by Lance Byrne and Brent Benfell.
4. Women’s Rep – **Rebecca Hauck** – nominated by Christie Yule and Ann Wells.

More than one nomination was received for the positions of:

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| Auckland Rail Rep | - Jas Giri – nominated by Philip Varghese and Leighton Mosese.
- Nandor Mraz – nominated by David Bucholz and Jaswant Singh. |
| Wellington Rail Rep | - Howard Phillips – nominated by Warwick Burdan and Darryl Hart..
- Antony Radley – nominated by Nigel Price and Nick Ellor. |
| South Island Rail Rep | - Donald “Don” Hibbs – nominated by Martin Goodman and Michael Buckley.
- Ian Walker – nominated by Rachel Tucker and Glen Alsop. |

A postal ballot of members within the voting constituency for each representative position will be conducted. The Preferential Voting System is used by the Union in any ballot with more than two (2) candidates. This will be the voting method for the South Island Rail Representative position as there are three nominees for this position. The other positions will be voting “first past the post” ballot.

It is anticipated that Postal Ballots will be issued from the National Office to the home address of those financial members in the Auckland Rail, Wellington Rail and South Island Rail regions eligible to vote on or before the 9th June 2023 and must be received in the envelope provided at National Office no later **than 1700hrs on Friday 7th July 2023.**

If you have not updated your address to the RMTU National Office since changing your place of residence then please update your details on the Union website or email to office@rmtunion.org.nz or fax to 04 4710896 or call 04-4992066 to talk to a member of staff to ensure you receive your voting paper.

Congratulations to Shane, Andy and Rebecca on your successful re-election and Ratahi Ellis on your election and may the best person win in the ballot process to all the aspiring nominees.

Signed:

TODD VALSTER
ACTING NATIONAL RETURNING OFFICER