## SEIU LOCAL 1000 POLICY FILE Revision/June 2022 Division 12

## 12.1.00 ELECTION CONDUCT

The following code of conduct shall govern elections for all Local 1000 offices.

- (a) Candidates and members offer constructive alternatives to established Local 1000 policies, procedures or programs which they wish to change.
- (b) Candidates and members shall be truthful about candidates or their policies and engage in factual presentations relevant to the election.
- (c) Candidates and members shall not encourage Local 1000 voters to base their judgments on considerations of race, color, sex, religion, occupation, national origin, sexual orientation, ancestry, disability or age.
- (d) Candidates and members should encourage consideration of experience, performance, ideals and program of the respective candidates for Local 1000 offices.
- (e) Candidates and members should conduct themselves in a manner which brings respect to Local 1000 and which attempts to avoid post-election divisions which would hamper Local 1000's effectiveness.
- (f) Candidates and members should discuss relevant Local 1000 issues.
- (g) Candidates and members shall not use Local 1000 funds or other union resources to support or oppose any candidate for any Local 1000 office.
- (h) Candidates and members are prohibited from requesting or accepting any contribution, service, endorsement or advocacy for or against any candidate for any Local 1000 office from any Local 1000 or CSEA staff, whether rank and file or management, or from any consultant or vendor to Local 1000 whether or not such activity or support occurs outside of compensated work time.