



IAFF 54th Convention Important Dates

April 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Delegate voting strength is determined by averaging past 12-month per capita payment (April 1, 2017 – March 31, 2018) • Locals in existence for less than 12 months voting strength is determined by the monthly average of per capita tax paid • All per capita tax and EDF loans must be current through March 2018 in order to access the online credential/registration process
Thursday, April 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Affiliate Presidents and Secretary-Treasurers will receive an email notice that access to the online Convention information including credentials, registration, proxies, hotel reservation information, etc. is available • The ability to credential delegates, alternates, and proxies is available only to the President or Secretary-Treasurer of the affiliate and only to locals with up-to-date per capita tax payments
June 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All per capita and EDF loans must be paid through June 2018 to be seated at Convention
Thursday, June 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Censure resolutions must be received by the General President (60 days prior to Convention)
Sunday, June 17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All resolutions (except censure resolutions) must be received by the General Secretary-Treasurer via mail, email (preferred) by 5:00 p.m. EDT (50 days prior to Convention) • Any resolution received after this deadline will be returned to sender
Sunday, July 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The online process for proxies and alternate proxies must be completed by 5:00 p.m. EDT
Wednesday, August 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IAFF Executive Board meeting 9:00 a.m. -1:30 p.m. (working lunch)
Wednesday, August 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early Committees arrive: Constitution & By-Laws, Policy & Resolutions Committees
Thursday, August 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Credentials Committee arrives
Thursday, August 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C&BL, Policy & Resolutions Committees begin meeting
Friday, August 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Credentials Committee begin meeting
Saturday, August 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grievances & Appeals, Rules of Order, Legislative, Health & Safety, and Sergeant-at-Arms Committees arrive
Saturday, August 4	It is EXTREMELY IMPORTANT that online credentials be complete BEFORE arriving in Seattle
Sunday, August 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grievances & Appeals, Rules of Order, Legislative, Health & Safety, and Sergeant-at-Arms Committees begin meeting
August 5-6	Credential Check-In and Convention Registration begins <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Note: Per capita tax and EDF loan payments must be received for the month of June 2018 to seat delegates at Convention. • Registration hours: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Sunday, August 5 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. ○ Monday, August 6 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Convention ID badges MUST be picked up by 5:00 p.m. in order to be seated at Convention
August 6, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome Reception (Host Local)
August 6, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opening Ceremony begins at 9:00 a.m.; General Session begins at 2:00 p.m.
August 7, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FIREPAC Leadership Trust Reception
August 9, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100th Anniversary Gala
August 10, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Convention ends