

## Timeline COUNCIL NOMINATIONS & ELECTIONS Special – North America

when?		what?
Monday 7 Nov.	week 45	appointment election manager Council F-2-F meeting
Tuesday 8 Nov.	week 45	start call for nominations
Tuesday 29 Nov.	week 48	deadline to nominate and second candidates
Tuesday 6 Dec.	week 49	deadline for candidates to accept nominations
Wed. 7 Dec.	week 49	start election. Ballots to be issued
Wed. 21 Dec.	week 51	close election
Thursday 22 Dec.	week 50	announcement results voting
Thu 5 Jan.	week 01	start run-off elections, if any
Thu 12 Jan.	week 02	deadline run-off elections, if any
Monday 16 Jan.	week 03	announcement results voting run-off elections
Thursday 19 Jan.	week 03	report on the process.

### Summary:

- 3 week nomination period (8 Nov – 29 Nov)
- 1 week for candidates to accept nomination (deadline 6 Dec)
- 2 weeks elections (7 Dec – 21 Dec)
- 1 week run-off election, if any (5 to 12 January 2017)