

16 June 2022

Post-Election Report

Police Federation of Australia

PFA - New South Wales Police Branch

Scheduled election

E2021/196

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Election(s) Covered in this Report

Organisation: PFA - New South Wales Police Branch
Election: Scheduled
Election Decision No/s: E2021/196

Rules

Rules used for the election: 200V: Incorporates alterations of 13 July 2021 [R2021/31] Note: Also includes alterations certified on 11 April 2017 [R2017/2] and 8 May 2019 [R2019/26] which were not included in this rulebook when it was published on 13 July 2021.
(replaces rulebook dated 21 June 2021 [R2021/35])

Rules difficult to apply/interpret:

52EG.e.xi.b The full names of candidates, for election for an office shall appear on the ballot paper for that election, shall have been drawn by ballot, at the close of the nominations or, in relation to candidates whose family names are identical, in the alphabetical order of their first or given names

The rule was difficult to apply at close of nominations since the rule does not account for a defect period. Section 143(1) (c) of the Fair Work (RO) Act 2009 mandates that there must be at least a 7 day period to remedy any defects. The order of candidate names can only be drawn after close of nominations and any defect period that may be in effect.

Model Rule reference (if any):

14.1.4 The order of names in each ballot on the ballot paper shall be determined by lot drawn by the returning officer.

For more details see the Model Rules on the AEC website: www.aec.gov.au/ieb/

Other Matters

Returning Officer actions required (Section 193): Yes

Details:

- Rules regarding the timetable of the election were set aside as the AEC held concerns that the coronavirus pandemic may impact on the ability for stakeholders to fully participate in the election. A timetable for the conduct of the ballot which varied from the rules was set when the AEC was satisfied that stakeholders would be able to fully participate.
- Rules requiring an in-person ballot were set aside as the AEC held concerns that the coronavirus pandemic would impact on the ability for all stakeholders to attend. Instead the ballot was conducted via post.
- Rules specifying the method of lodgement of nominations were set aside as the AEC held concerns that the coronavirus pandemic would impact on the ability for potential candidates to nominate. Instead nominations were received electronically, via email/the AEC's portal.

Signed

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Attachments

- A. Declaration of results for Uncontested Offices – Stage 1
- B. Declaration of Results for Contested Offices – Stage 1
- C. Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices – Stage 2

Police Federation of Australia
New South Wales Police Branch
DECLARATION OF RESULTS - E2021/196 - Stage 2
Uncontested Offices

Scheduled Election

The results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* and the rules of the organisation are:

Delegates to Branch Conference

Branch President (1)

Candidates

MORTON Kevin

Branch Vice President (1)

Candidates

ALLWOOD Ian Stanley

Branch Treasurer (1)

Candidates

CAMPTON Roger

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

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Police Federation of Australia
New South Wales Police Branch
DECLARATION OF RESULTS - E2021/196 - Stage 1
Contested Offices

Scheduled Election

The results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* and the rules of the organisation are:

Northern Region Area Two

VOTING MATERIAL ISSUED	
Total number of people on the roll of voters (a)	852
Number of voters issued with voting material	852
Total number of voters issued with replacement voting material	2
Total number of voting material packs issued	854
VOTING MATERIAL RETURNED	
Total number of envelopes returned for scrutiny by closing date of ballot (b)	137
Number of declaration envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny (minus)	2
Number of ballot papers returned outside declaration envelopes (minus)	0
COUNT	
Total ballot papers admitted to the count	135
LATE OR UNRETURNED VOTING MATERIAL	
Voting material returned as unclaimed mail by closing date of ballot	31
Voting material packs not returned by voters by closing date of the ballot	686
Percentage of voting material packs returned by voters to number of people on the roll of voters (b/a)	16 %

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (9)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Final Votes</u>
GODDARD, Damian	62
GILL, Adam	51
SUTHERLAND, Malcolm	65
SMITH, Michael Barry	53
MCMILLAN, Kate Louise	36
KENDELL, Stephen	68
MCCAUGHEY, Darren	51
REARDON, Jaimie	52
ALLY, Christopher	26
KING, Anthony	88
MCMILLAN, Adam	33

Total ballot papers admitted for this office	135
Formal Ballot papers	135
Informal Ballot papers	0

I declare the following elected:

- MCCAUGHEY, Darren
- SMITH, Michael Barry
- MCMILLAN, Kate Louise
- GILL, Adam
- KING, Anthony
- KENDELL, Stephen
- REARDON, Jaimie
- GODDARD, Damian
- SUTHERLAND, Malcolm

Southern Region Area Two

VOTING MATERIAL ISSUED	
Total number of people on the roll of voters (a)	654
Number of voters issued with voting material	654
Total number of voters issued with replacement voting material	1
Total number of voting material packs issued	655
VOTING MATERIAL RETURNED	
Total number of envelopes returned for scrutiny by closing date of ballot (b)	98
Number of declaration envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny (minus)	0
Number of ballot papers returned outside declaration envelopes (minus)	0
COUNT	
Total ballot papers admitted to the count	98
LATE OR UNRETURNED VOTING MATERIAL	
Voting material returned as unclaimed mail by closing date of ballot	33
Voting material packs not returned by voters by closing date of the ballot	524
Percentage of voting material packs returned by voters to number of people on the roll of voters (b/a)	15 %

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (7)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Final Votes</u>
NYHOLM, Douglas	38
O'MAHONY, Brendan	39
SHARMAN, Renee Lee-anne	37
HOGAN, Jason	48
GRIFFIN, Ian James	34
KIERSE, Simon Richard	25
HALLINAN, Kelly	54

KNEIPP, David 56

Total ballot papers admitted for this office 98
 Formal Ballot papers 98
 Informal Ballot papers 0

I declare the following elected:

- O'MAHONY, Brendan
- SHARMAN, Renee Lee-anne
- KNEIPP, David
- HALLINAN, Kelly
- GRIFFIN, Ian James
- NYHOLM, Douglas
- HOGAN, Jason

Western Region

VOTING MATERIAL ISSUED	
Total number of people on the roll of voters (a)	1,229
Number of voters issued with voting material	1,229
Total number of voters issued with replacement voting material	0
Total number of voting material packs issued	1,229
VOTING MATERIAL RETURNED	
Total number of envelopes returned for scrutiny by closing date of ballot (b)	127
Number of declaration envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny (minus)	1
Number of ballot papers returned outside declaration envelopes (minus)	0
COUNT	
Total ballot papers admitted to the count	126
LATE OR UNRETURNED VOTING MATERIAL	
Voting material returned as unclaimed mail by closing date of ballot	52
Voting material packs not returned by voters by closing date of the ballot	1,050
Percentage of voting material packs returned by voters to number of people on the roll of voters (b/a)	10 %

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (13)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Final Votes</u>
CANNON, Marcus Richard	36
PIFFARELLI, Adam	55
COYLE, David	36
BUCHTMANN, Andrew	59
WILMORE, Mark Richard	33
DUCKWORTH, Daniel	39
HARMER, Matthew	61

LONG, Matthew	41
JORDAN, Christopher Robert	66
DUNN, Craig Nicholas	44
MCKENZIE, Joshua	66
OZOLS, Fiona Anne	67
BUHR, Rodrick	39
MELVILLE, Terrance	30
GIFFNEY, Steven Joseph	35

Total ballot papers admitted for this office	126
Formal Ballot papers	124
Informal Ballot papers	2

I declare the following elected:

- HARMER, Matthew
- LONG, Matthew
- BUHR, Rodrick
- BUCHTMANN, Andrew
- MCKENZIE, Joshua
- OZOLS, Fiona Anne
- CANNON, Marcus Richard
- GIFFNEY, Steven Joseph
- COYLE, David
- DUNN, Craig Nicholas
- PIFFARELLI, Adam
- JORDAN, Christopher Robert
- DUCKWORTH, Daniel

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Final Votes</u>
JORDAN, Christopher Robert	75
HARMER, Matthew	48

Total ballot papers admitted for this office	126
Formal Ballot papers	123
Informal Ballot papers	3

I declare the following elected:

- JORDAN, Christopher Robert

Non-Local Area Command Region Area One

VOTING MATERIAL ISSUED	
Total number of people on the roll of voters (a)	1,629
Number of voters issued with voting material	1,629
Total number of voters issued with replacement voting material	1

Total number of voting material packs issued	1,630
VOTING MATERIAL RETURNED	
Total number of envelopes returned for scrutiny by closing date of ballot (b)	126
Number of declaration envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny (minus)	2
Number of ballot papers returned outside declaration envelopes (minus)	0
COUNT	
Total ballot papers admitted to the count	124
LATE OR UNRETURNED VOTING MATERIAL	
Voting material returned as unclaimed mail by closing date of ballot	48
Voting material packs not returned by voters by closing date of the ballot	1,456
Percentage of voting material packs returned by voters to number of people on the roll of voters (b/a)	8 %

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (17)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Final Votes</u>
LONG, Richard	49
MCDONALD, Stephen	47
LOWE, Gary	31
STINSON, Christopher	40
WRIGHT, Kristi-Lee	54
BURNS, Garry	26
SAUNDERS, Justin Michael	34
KONEMANN, Kieran	27
MINNIS, Walter	23
COOPER, Ashley James	44
DODD, Stephen Alan	35
O'SULLIVAN, Ryan	22
KELLY, Tim	52
HUGHES, Pamela	35
HAWKEY, Kristen	43
BRISSETT, John Donald	18
THURLOW, Wayne Stephen	54
CORDERY, Bret	33
HELBY, Vanden	46
TAIG, David Ian	19

Total ballot papers admitted for this office	124
Formal Ballot papers	124
Informal Ballot papers	0

I declare the following elected:

- WRIGHT, Kristi-Lee
- HAWKEY, Kristen
- KELLY, Tim

- MCDONALD, Stephen
- CORDERY, Bret
- HELBY, Vanden
- THURLOW, Wayne Stephen
- HUGHES, Pamela
- STINSON, Christopher
- COOPER, Ashley James
- LOWE, Gary
- DODD, Stephen Alan
- BURNS, Garry
- SAUNDERS, Justin Michael
- LONG, Richard
- MINNIS, Walter
- KONEMANN, Kieran

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Police Federation of Australia (PFA)
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Central Metropolitan Region Area One

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (11)

Candidates

BEHRENS Oliver
BRIEN Steven
BURGESS Cheyne
GANLEY Martin
GODSON Nicholas
LILLYMAN David
MITCHELL Daniel
SIEVERS Ethan
STANTON Trent

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

BEHRENS Oliver

Central Metropolitan Region Area Two

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (12)

Candidates

ANDERSON Todd
CONDON Graham
DOUGLAS Rhett John
MORKOS Michelle
TASSONE Chiara
THOMPSON Andrew

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

CONDON Graham

North West Metropolitan Region Area One

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (11)

Candidates

GENTLE Richard Paul
GRIME Michael
HENRY Brett

RYNEHART Aaron Rex
TAZZYMAN David
WILSON Glen

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

RYNEHART Aaron Rex

North West Metropolitan Region Area Two

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (12)

Candidates

BEECHE Alison
DAVIS Jackson
DIXON Alison
GUERRERA Mathew Evan
JAMES Hugo William
LUDKIN Jeffrey
MORTON Kevin
O'SULLIVAN Annalies

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

DIXON Alison

South West Metropolitan Region Area One

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (11)

Candidates

CAMPBELL Timothy
DAVIS Adam
GORRIE Jacqueline
LEWIS Renee
MCEVOY Justin
PARTRIDGE Craig Ian
POPOVIC Simon
ROBERTS Anthony John
STAMOULIS Paul
WADDINGTON Stephen James

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

WADDINGTON Stephen James

South West Metropolitan Region Area Two

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (11)

Candidates

BAKER Shaun Patrick
CHAND Praveen
COLLESS Gregory Jason
DOYLE Anthony

EVANS Nathan James
FOSTER Fiona
HULLEY-THOMAS Elise
KEMP Benjamin
MCCLAFFERTY Michael James
SAVAGE Julianne Lee
THOMSON Matthew

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

THOMSON Matthew

Northern Region Area One

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (13)

Candidates

ALLWOOD Ian Stanley
AUSTIN David
BAKER Nicholas
BRENNAN Robert John
BROGAN Christopher
DRYSDALE Mark
IRELAND Paul
POWER Michael
RANDALL Julianne
TAYLOR Wesley Thomas
THOMAS Graham Leslie
TILLOCK Ryan
WOODS Cody

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

IRELAND Paul

Northern Region Area Two

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

MCCAUGHEY Darren

Southern Region Area One

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (8)

Candidates

CAMPTON Roger
FRY Erin Louise
LINCOLN Leon
LONGLEY Angus Stewart
MADDEN Kathy
TAYLOR Edward

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

TAYLOR Edward

Southern Region Area Two

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

HOGAN Jason

Commissioned Officers Region

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (9)

Candidates

COOPER David

CRIBB Shane

GORMAN Brendan

GUIANA Guy Charles

KEHOE Matthew

SULLIVAN Paul

WEBB Matthew John

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

WEBB Matthew John

Non-Local Area Command Region Area One

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

MCDONALD Stephen

Non-Local Area Command Region Area Two

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (12)

Candidates

BAKKER Kelvin James

CHAKTY George

LAWRIE David

MCINTOSH Andrew James

PRICE Glenn Ashley

WOODS Christine

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

No Nominations Received

Non-Local Area Command Region Area Three

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (12)

Candidates

BOYDEN Bronwyn

BUTLER Michael

GURR Peter

HUGHES Peter
LANGBEIN Peter Charles
MAHONEY Randell
SADLER Glenn Andrew
STEWART Geoffrey
WARD Michael
WARD Mark Robert
WARNER Gavin
WILLIAMS Bianca

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

GURR Peter

Non-Local Area Command Region Area Four

Delegate to Branch Biennial Conference (13)

Candidates

CLEGG Nathan
DAVIS Christopher John
FORAN Peter William
GEORGE Chad
LA GRECA Dean
LUCACI Nicole
NOCENTE Christopher
PECK Deborah
RAFTER Kristen Jade
TRUDGETT Luke
WATTS David

Ordinary Member of Branch Executive (1)

Candidates

FORAN Peter William

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

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DECISION

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009
s.189—Arrangement for conduct of an election

Police Federation of Australia
(E2021/196)

MS BEBBINGTON

MELBOURNE, 6 DECEMBER 2021

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 15 November 2021 the New South Wales Police Branch of the Police Federation of Australia lodged with the Registered Organisations Commission prescribed information for an election to fill the following offices:

Delegates to Branch Biennial Conference (number to be determined in accordance with the rules) from the following regions:

Central Metropolitan Region Area One
Central Metropolitan Region Area Two
North West Metropolitan Region Area One
North West Metropolitan Region Area Two
South West Metropolitan Region Area One
South West Metropolitan Region Area Two
Northern Region Area One
Northern Region Area Two
Southern Region Area One
Southern Region Area Two
Western Region
Commissioned Officers Region
Non-LAC Region Area One
Non-LAC Region Area Two
Non-LAC Region Area Three
Non-Local Area Command Region Area Four

Ordinary Members of Branch Executive (number to be determined in accordance with the rules) from the following regions:

Central Metropolitan Region Area One
Central Metropolitan Region Area Two
North West Metropolitan Region Area One
North West Metropolitan Region Area Two
South West Metropolitan Region Area One
South West Metropolitan Region Area Two

Northern Region Area One
Northern Region Area Two
Southern Region Area One
Southern Region Area Two
Western Region
Commissioned Officers Region
Non-LAC Region Area One
Non-LAC Region Area Two
Non-LAC Area Three
Non-Local Area Command Region Area Four

Branch President
Branch Vice President
Branch Treasurer

[2] I am satisfied that an election for the abovenamed offices is required to be held under the rules of the organisation and, under subsection 189(3) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.



DELEGATE OF THE COMMISSIONER

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PRESCRIBED INFORMATION FOR ELECTIONS in accordance with Section 189 Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 and Regulation 138 Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009

I, Tony King, being the President of the Police Federation of Australia, NSW Police Branch make the following statement:

1. I am authorised to sign this statement containing prescribed information for Police Federation of Australia, NSW Police Branch.
2. The following information is lodged under subsection 189(1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 (the RO Act).
3. The elections that are required are set out in the table in Annexure A.
4. No rule alterations are pending that will impact the election.
5. This statement **IS** lodged at least 2 months before nominations open for the election(s) in Annexure A.

Signed:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T King'.

Dated: 15 November 2021

ANNEXURE A

- Elections that are required

Branch	Name of Office	Number required	Voting System <i>Direct voting system; Collegiate electoral system</i>	Reason for Election <i>Scheduled; Casual vacancy; New office created; Insufficient nominations</i>	Electorate
<i>NSW Police Branch</i>	<i>Delegate to NSW Police Branch Biennial Conference</i>	<i>180 (Rule 52EG(e)(iii)(a) Annexure B)</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>All financial members of the respective Region of the NSW Police Branch (rule 52EG (b) (i))</i>
<i>NSW Police Branch</i>	<i>Ordinary Member of NSW Police Branch Executive</i>	<i>16 (Rule 52EG (e)(iii)(b) Annexure B)</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>All financial members of the respective Region of the NSW Police Branch (rule 52EG (b) (i) (1))</i>
<i>NSW Police Branch</i>	<i>President Vice President Treasurer</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>Collegiate</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>All Delegates to the NSW Police Branch Biennial Conference (rule 52EG (b)(ii))</i>

- Important dates:

	Direct Voting System	Collegiate Electoral System
Commencement of Election	<i>7 February 2022 (rule 52EG (e)(ii))</i>	<i>23 May 2022</i>
Nominations OPEN	<i>to be determined by the returning officer</i>	<i>to be determined by the returning officer</i>
Nominations CLOSE	<i>to be determined by the returning officer</i>	<i>to be determined by the returning officer</i>
Roll of Voters cut off date	<i>7 days prior to nominations opening (rule 52EG (e)(i)(a))</i>	<i>upon declaration of the ballot in the election of Delegates to NSW Police Branch Biennial Conference</i>

ANNEXURE B

ELECTORAL REGION	MEMBERSHIP NUMBERS AS OF 17 NOVEMBER 2021	EXECUTIVE MEMBERS Rule 52EG(e)(iii)(b)	CONFERENCE DELEGATES Rule 52EG (e)(iii)(a).
CENTRAL METROPOLITAIN REGION AREA 1	1,099	1	11
CENTRAL METROPOLITAIN REGION AREA 2	1,226	1	13
COMMISSIONED OFFICERS REGION	785	1	8
NON-LOCAL AREA COMMAND REGION AREA 1	1,571	1	16
NON-LOCAL AREA COMMAND REGION AREA 2	1,154	1	12
NON-LOCAL AREA COMMAND REGION AREA 3	1,054	1	11
NON-LOCAL AREA COMMAND REGION AREA 4	1,209	1	13
NORTHERN REGION AREA 1	1,262	1	13
NORTHERN REGION AREA 2	838	1	9
NORTH WEST METROPOLITAIN REGION AREA 1	1,126	1	12

NORTH WEST METROPOLITAIN REGION AREA 2	1017	1	11
SOTHERN REGION AREA 1	787	1	8
SOUTHERN REGION AREA 2	634	1	7
SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAIN REGION AREA 1	1126	1	12
SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAIN REGION AREA 2	1033	1	11
WESTERN REGION	1228	1	13
TOTAL		16	180