



PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

NOTICE of REPRESENTATION ELECTION

A petition has been filed to DECERTIFY or remove the exclusive bargaining representative of certain employees at:

WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY

The election includes employees in a bargaining unit described as:

All non-supervisory civil service employees of Washington State University Western Washington and Wenatchee Tree Fruit Research and Extension Centers, excluding confidential employees, internal auditors, supervisors, employees in other bargaining units and employees historically excluded from the unit by orders of the Washington Personnel Resources Board or its predecessors.

THE PURPOSE OF THE ELECTION is to determine the desire of the employees.

SAMPLE BALLOT:

O F F I C I A L S E C R E T B A L L O T	
Representation election for certain employees of:	
WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY	
Do you wish to be represented for the purpose of collective bargaining by:	
WASHINGTON FEDERATION OF STATE EMPLOYEES	
MARK AN "X" IN THE BOX OF YOUR CHOICE	
<input type="checkbox"/>	YES
<input type="checkbox"/>	NO
DO NOT SIGN THIS BALLOT. Fold and insert into envelope marked "Secret Ballot Envelope".	

- A majority of YES votes will result in the retention of the current union as the employees' representative.
- A tie vote or a majority of NO votes will result in removal of the union as the employees' representative.
- The election is determined by a majority of votes returned. Failure to vote is not the same as a "No" vote.

THE ELECTION IS BEING HELD BY SECRET MAIL BALLOT. Ballots will be mailed on May 19, 2015. Employees are eligible to vote if they were employed within the bargaining unit on May 8, 2015, and continue to be employed on June 11, 2015 (which is the deadline for ballots to be returned). DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE MAILED WITH THE BALLOT MATERIALS TO ALL EMPLOYEES ELIGIBLE TO VOTE.

THE TALLY OF BALLOTS WILL BE HELD AS FOLLOWS:

DATE:	June 12, 2015
BEGINNING AT:	9:00 A.M.
TALLY LOCATION:	Public Employment Relations Commission 112 Henry Street NE, Suite 300 Olympia, Washington 98504-0919

Inquiries concerning this notice and election should be directed to:

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