

Coalition of Labor Union Women

22nd Biennial Convention

November 10-13, 2023

Minneapolis, MN

Hear Us Roar – Ready for 2024

General Rules

To be seated at the convention, a delegate must be a *Regular CLUW member in good standing.

Eligibility

- 1. Any CLUW Member in good standing by September 26, 2023, may attend the convention as a voting delegate of a union or chapter.** There will be no election of Delegates. (This is a constitutional change adopted at our 2011 Convention). Dues must be current at the opening of the Convention.
- 2. Any person registering as a delegate must be in a current dues status** at the time of registration or will be referred to the CLUW website or national office so payment can be made prior to the registration being completed.

Convention Constitutional Amendments

1. The Constitution may be amended only at the Convention.
2. Proposed amendments may be adopted by a two-thirds vote of the convention. Amendments to the Constitution shall take effect immediately upon the adoption by the convention, unless otherwise specified by the amendment.

If you have questions regarding these rules, please contact the National CLUW Office.

Constitutional definition of *Regular member - “Regular membership in CLUW shall be open to any person who is a member in good standing or a retiree of a union or other bona fide collective bargaining organization”.

Members who pay CLUW National dues under these categories are “Regular Members”: 1. Regular 2. Retiree 3. Contributing 4. Supporting 5. Sustaining 6. Lifetime

Associate members and **guests** are considered observers and are **not** eligible to vote but may participate in other activities of the convention.

Constitutional definition of Associate Member - Persons in support of CLUW and are not members of a bona fide collective bargaining organization may join as associate members.

Unemployed Member - Union members on long-term layoff who are no longer considered members of their unions may remain in CLUW as associate members.

Student Members are also considered to be Associate Members.