



How to Run as a PLEO Delegate or At-Large Delegate or Alternate

If you want to run to be one of Florida's Statewide Delegates or Alternates (PLEO or At-Large), here are some tips to help you get started. For more information, please visit the Florida Democratic Party website at www.floridadems.org

- You must be a registered Democrat in the State of Florida.
- It is in your best interest to run as a **District Level Delegate** and get elected by Democrats in your Congressional District. **Florida will elect 146 District Level Delegates.** You can file to run as a District Level Delegate starting February 5 until **12:00 noon (Eastern Time) March 25**. You can find the filing forms and detailed information about the 2024 Democratic National Convention at www.floridadems.org.
- Florida will select **29 PLEO Delegates, 49 At-large Delegates, or 19 At-Large Alternates** at the statewide level.
- You must file with the Florida Democratic Party to run as a PLEO Delegate candidate, or an At-Large Delegate or Alternate candidate. The delegate filing form will be available from the State Party www.floridadems.org. Candidates must file between February 12 and **12:00 noon (Eastern Time), May 13**. Filing is done with the State Party online or by mail at 201 South Monroe Street, Suite 300, Tallahassee, FL 32301.
- To run for a delegate or alternate position, you must pledge support to your presidential candidate. Therefore, be sure to sign up to help your presidential candidate. The campaign will be very involved in recruiting individuals for these positions and they need to know you support the candidate and are working to help get them elected.
- Each presidential campaign gets to review the list of individuals who want to be one of their delegates. They have until **5:00 pm, May 20** to approve names on the list. Check to be sure you're on their approved list.
- Persons eligible to be considered for PLEO Delegate positions are big city mayors, state-wide elected officials, state legislative leaders, state legislators, and other state, county and local elected officials and party leaders.
- Any Florida Democrat can run for an At-Large Delegate or Alternate position. These positions may be primarily used to help ensure Florida's delegation to the National Convention is diverse and representative of the state's Democratic voters.
- The elected District-Level Delegates will meet on **Saturday, June 1** to select the Party Leader and Elected Official (PLEO) Delegates, and the At-Large Delegates and 19 Alternates. Individuals must file to run for these positions between February 12 and noon (ET) on May 13.
- Following the election of the statewide delegates and alternates, all of Florida's delegates will then meet on **Saturday, June 1** to select the state's 30 standing committee members (10 members each on the Credentials, Platform and Rules Committees), and a Delegation Chair. Standing committee member positions are allocated to the presidential candidate and the members (who do not need to be delegates) are nominated by the campaign.
- Members of Florida's delegation will join the other delegates from across the nation and around the world to be a part of history at the 49th quadrennial Democratic National Convention **August 19-22** in Chicago.
- For more information please view the Florida Democratic Party website at www.floridadems.org.
- If you have any questions, please email partyaffairs@floridadems.org with the subject line "2024 Convention."