

2025 Convention Timeline WFSE Convention October 3, 4 & 5

Washington Federation of State Employees

DATE	Convention Timeline/Event
Thursday, June 5	Convention Call Mailed to Locals - 120 days preceding the Convention
Thursday, June 5	First date that Nomination and Election of delegates/alternates can be held. 120 days prior per Appendix D, Elections Code; Article IV, Section 11.
90 days before the start of the Convention Saturday, July 5	WFSE Constitution Article XVII – Amendments to the Constitution and By-Laws, Section 3. Proposals to amend the constitution by changing the Council's per capita tax shall be submitted to the Executive Board ninety (90) days before the opening of the Biennial Convention.
60 days before the start of the Convention Monday, August 4	Executive Board's recommendation and justification of any per capita amendments to be mailed to all affiliated locals.
60 days in advance of the Convention Monday, August 4	Delegate/Alternate Credentials Due into the Council Executive Office. All credentials received after this date will be considered irregular and will not be considered for committee appointments. The Convention will vote on whether or not to seat the irregulars after the partial report of the Credentials Committee on the first day of the convention. Delegates whose credentials are received on or before this date will be considered regular delegates and their names, along with committee preferences will be forwarded to the Council President in order to make assignments.
Monday, August 4	Deadline to submit Delegate Committee Preferences to Executive Office.
45 days before the start of the Convention Tuesday, August 19	Resolutions and Constitutional Amendments (other than per capita tax increases) are due on this date (45 days before the convention). See WFSE Constitution - Article XVII – Amendments to the Constitution & By-Laws, Section 2 and Article III – Resolutions, Section 3 of the By-Laws.
Thursday, August 28 Wednesday, September 3	List of Delegate Committee Preferences prepared for C28 President Resolutions and Constitutional Amendments received by the August 19 deadline will be provided to the Delegates/Alternates and Executive Board Members. Resolutions received after the

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	deadline are considered "Late Resolutions" and will not be
	provided prior to the Convention.
30 days before the start of the	Committee Assignments are provided to those assigned.
Convention	
Wednesday, September 3	
	Council 28 Executive Board Meeting 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm
	Convention Registration 4:30 pm -6:30 pm
	Convention Committee Chair Meeting 5:30 – 6:30 pm
Thursday, October 2	Convention Committee Meetings 6:45 pm - 7:45 pm
	Registration 9:00 am -5:00 pm
	Pre-Convention Workshops 10:00 am
	Convention Called to order at 1:00 pm
	Awards Banquet 5:30 pm
Friday, October 3	Social 8:00 pm
	Registration 8:00am – 9:30am
	Caucus Meetings 8:00 am -9:30am
	The convention convenes at 9:30 am
Saturday, October 4	Officer Nominations
	Council Officer Elections 7:00 am – 9:00 am
Sunday, October 5	Convention Business and Close of Convention