

NID 2018 Convention Time Line

March 9 & 10, 2018

- **Call for Nominations and Delegates for Convention** **April 2017**
 1. Cover Letter from District Secretary posted online.
 2. Nominations opened for all offices.
 3. Delegate Election Form & Characterization of Delegate Form are available online.
- **Call for Overtures for Convention** **April 2017**
 1. Cover Letter and Sample Overture are posted online.
- **DEADLINE TO RECEIVE OVERTURES FROM CONGREGATIONS** **September 30, 2017**

Note: Overtures may also be submitted by circuits, the district's board of directors, an official conference of ordained and/or commissioned ministers, or the faculty of an educational institution of the Synod.
- **DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF DELEGATE ELECTION FORM**
 1. Deadline to submit the Delegate Election Form and the Characterization of Delegate Form if the delegate is to be considered for service on a floor committee is **September 30, 2017**
 2. Otherwise, there is no firm deadline to submit those two forms. However, the earlier, the better. It would be ideal to have all delegates listed when the Convention Workbook goes on the web, which would mean that they should be turned in no later than **November 30, 2017**
- **DEADLINE TO RECEIVE NOMINATIONS FROM CONGREGATIONS** **September 30, 2017**
 1. District President
 2. Regional Vice-Presidents
 3. Circuit Visitors
- **DEADLINE FOR INDIVIDUALS TO SUGGEST NAMES FOR NOMINATION** **Sep. 30, 2017**
 1. District Secretary
 2. Board of Directors
 3. CUC Board of Regents
 4. Nominations Committee
- **Orientation of Floor Committees** **November 2017**
- **DEADLINE FOR ELECTION OF CIRCUIT VISITORS IN (NEW) CIRCUIT FORUMS** **December 1, 2017**
- **Convention Workbook on website** **Dec 12, 2017**
- **Convention Workbooks to all delegates** **Dec 30, 2017**
- **Comments on reports and overtures in Convention workbook** **January 2, 2018**
- **Finalized Resolutions from Floor Committees for 1st Today's Bus.** **February 2018**
- **Today's Business to all delegates** **February 2018**
- **Responses to proposed resolutions to chairman of floor cmte** **February 27, 2018**