

## NOTICE TO MEMBERS 2020 BIENNIAL ELECTION

In accordance with clause 83 of the AgForce Queensland Farmers Limited constitution, the Nomination and Remuneration Rules Committee call for nominations for positions of office. Vacant positions are listed in the Schedule below:

<b>General President</b>	1	<b>Regional Councils</b>	
<b>Board Member – Commodity Board Presidents</b>		<b>North Region</b>	
Cattle Board	1	Regional President	1
Sheep and Wool Board	1	Regional Councillor Representatives	6
Grains Board	1	<b>Central Region</b>	
<b>Board Member – Regional Directors</b>		Regional President	1
North Region	1	Regional Councillor Representative	8
Central Region	1	<b>South East Region</b>	
South East Region	1	Regional President	1
Southern Inland Region	1	Regional Councillor Representative	5
South West Region	1	<b>Southern Inland Region</b>	
		Regional President	1
		Regional Councillor Representatives	4
		<b>South West Region</b>	
		Regional President	1
		Regional Councillor Representatives	4

### Nominations

Nominations open at midday on Monday, 13 July 2020. Nominations must be written, signed by the nominees, their proposers and seconders, all of whom must be Voting Members, and reside in or have business interests in their region, and be lodged with the Nomination and Remuneration Committee **no later than midday on Monday 3rd August 2020.**

A nomination form suitable for use in this election is printed with this notice. Nomination forms are also available from the AgForce Brisbane office. Any nomination that complies with AgForce Queensland Farmers Limited Constitution is acceptable.

Nominations may be received by hand delivery, post, facsimile or email that includes the signatures of the nominees and nominators. Nominees will receive a confirmation email that their nomination has been received by the Brisbane office.

### Eligibility to contest the election

Any Voting Member is entitled to nominate for and be elected to the office of General President. Only Voting Members may be nominated to office. A financial Voting Member is a member whose subscription is no more than 60 days in arrears as at the date of the opening of nominations.

Prospective candidates should refer to the Constitution for further details relating to requirements to stand for office, and it is recommended that prospective candidates, their proposers and seconders confirm their financial status and other qualifications required before lodging a nomination form.

### Candidate statements

Candidates may lodge a statement on an A4 sheet of paper, or an email, and include their name and other details, e.g. their credentials, policies, views and work (industry) history. Statements will be reproduced and distributed with ballot materials. These statements must reach the Brisbane Office by close of nominations.

### Ballot

Ballots for contested positions will open on Monday, 31st August 2020. Only financial Voting Members who reside in or have business interests in their region when nominations close may vote in the elections. The ballot will close at midday on Wednesday, 30 September 2020. Members should ensure that AgForce is advised of any change in their membership details.

*Robyn Bryant*

*Committee Chair*

*Nomination and Remuneration Committee*

*31st May 2020*