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## Runoff Election at TSA Tentatively Set for May 23-June 21

*AFGE Thanks TSOs for Making AFGE the Winner in the First Round*

AFGE, which finished first in the recent TSA election, met with the Federal Labor Relations Authority (FLRA), TSA, and the runner-up today to come to an agreement about how and when the runoff election will take place.

The group tentatively agreed that the runoff election between AFGE and the runner-up will be held on **May 23-June 21** via telephone and the Internet, just like the first election. The tally will be on June 23. The FLRA will mail election packages to TSOs on May 23 with the instructions on the front page. Each voter will receive a package that includes a new Voter Identification Number and a Personal Identification Number.



AFGE won the most votes – 8,369 – in the first election that wrapped up April 20. The other union received 8,095 votes, and there were 3,111 votes for no union. Because no one received a majority of the votes, the FLRA called for a runoff election between AFGE and the other union while the choice of no union was dropped.

“AFGE won the first round of a fierce contest,” said AFGE President **John Gage**. “We expect to win the runoff election and are pleased that the FLRA has cleared the way for a swift resolution to this process. I’m asking TSOs to come out and vote for us one more time. We’re one step closer to bringing you a better workplace and future.”

Because AFGE needs to stay in communication with you to bring you the latest updates on this election and workplace matters, please visit <http://tsaunion.com/update> and provide us with your most recent contact information.

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