

2018 Annual Conference Voting Eligibility

Deacons in full connection (¶329.2):

- (Implies) Can vote on all matters, except:
 - election of lay delegates to general & jurisdictional conferences

Elders in full connection (¶334.1):

- Can vote on all matters, except:
 - election of lay delegates to general & jurisdictional conferences

Associate Members (¶321.1)

- Can vote on all matters, except:
 - constitutional amendments
 - matters of ordination, character, and conference relations of clergy

Provisional Members (¶327.2 and ¶35):

- Can vote on all matters, except:
 - constitutional amendments
 - matters of ordination, character, and conference relations of clergy
 - election of delegates to general & jurisdictional conferences (unless they have completed their educational requirements)

Local Pastors (¶316.6 and ¶35):

- Can vote on all matters, except:
 - constitutional amendments
 - election of delegates to general & jurisdictional conferences (unless they have completed course of study or an M.Div. and have served a minimum of two consecutive years under appointment immediately preceding the election)
 - matters of ordination, character, and conference relations of clergy

Lay Members (¶33 and ¶36):

- Can vote on all matters, except:
 - matters of ordination, character, and conference relations of clergy
 - election of clergy delegates to general & jurisdictional conferences

2018 Voting Individuals can vote on all matters, except:							
	Lay Delegates	Clergy Delegates	Conference Lay Leader	Mission Shaped Future	Episcopal Nominees	Constitutional Amendments	Clergy Matters
Elders/Deacons in Full Connection	No		No				
Associate Members	No		No			No	No
Provisional Members	No		No			No	No
Local Pastors (with education & 2 years appointment)	No		No			No	No
Local Pastors (without education & 2 years appointment)	No	No	No			No	No
Lay Members (Local Church, Equalization, Diaconal, Deaconesses)		No					No

2018 Non-Voting Individuals		
	Can attend Clergy Session	Cannot attend Clergy Session
Non Member Clergy Serving in RMC (Members of another conference/denomination)	x	
Retired Local Pastors	x	
Clergy Not Serving in RMC		x
Certified Candidates		x
Lay Supply Pastors		x
Lay Staff		x
Lay Guests		x