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RIPE NETWORK COORDINATION CENTRE

Voting on Resolutions and Arbiter Panel Election

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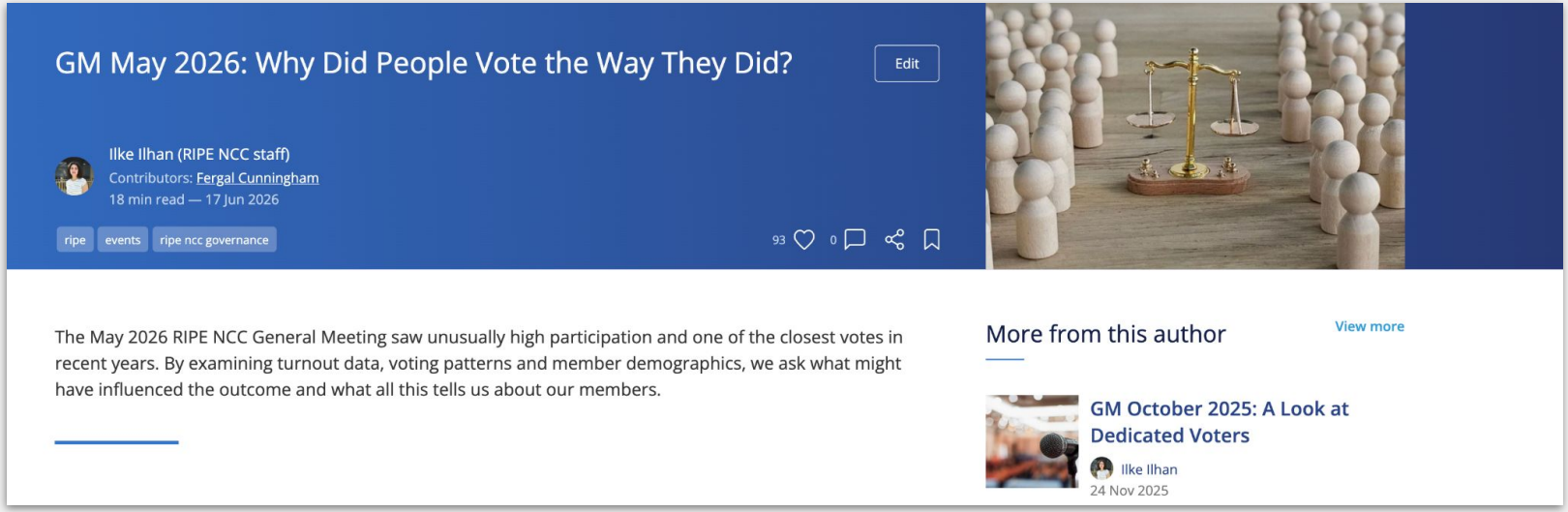
Administrative Matters

In line with the Articles of Association, the Chair of the General Meeting decided voting would take place for this GM using electronic voting only (no paper ballots)

Voting analysis

A voting analysis is published on RIPE Labs after every General Meeting.

This will be published in November.



Voting on Resolutions

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There are **two** resolutions to vote on

Resolution **1** requires more than 50% YES votes to be approved

Resolution **2** requires a majority of at least two thirds of the votes

Abstentions are noted, but **do not** count towards the result!

Voting on the Arbiter Panel Election

RIPE NCC Arbiter Panel Election

The RIPE NCC Arbiter Panel election is to fill SIX seats

- **Eight candidates** are nominated by the RIPE NCC Executive Board
- The General Meeting will **elect six candidates** to sit on the Arbiter Panel
- **Instant run-off voting** will be used for the election
- You must **choose at least one candidate** for your vote to be counted
- Or abstain from the vote
- Number the candidates in order of preference
- You **do not need** to number every candidate
- Abstentions are noted but do not count towards the result

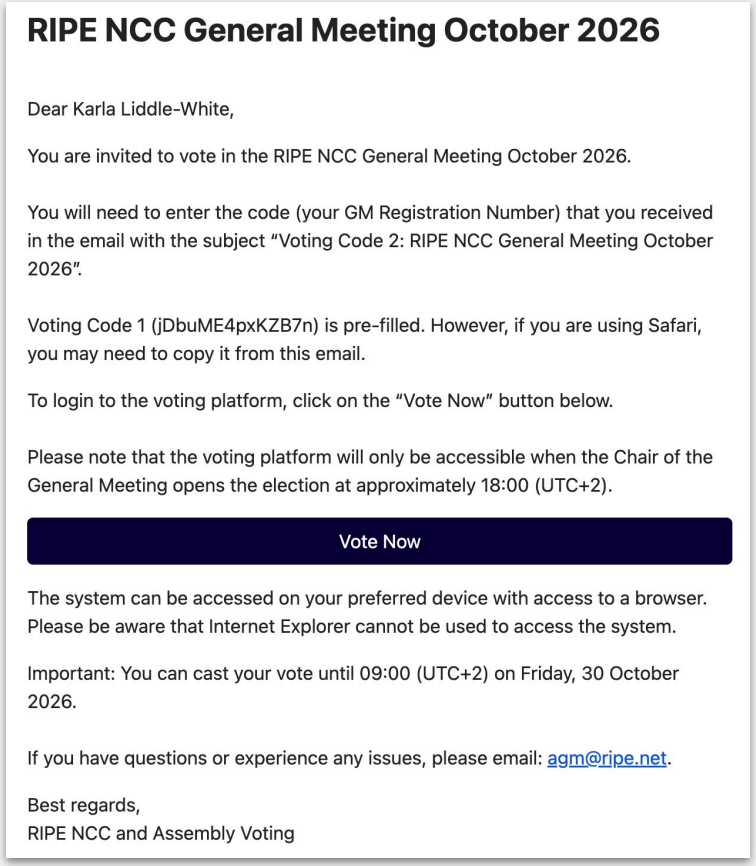
RIPE NCC Arbiter Panel Election

Instant run-off voting:

- Voters rank candidates in order of preference (1st choice, 2nd choice, etc.)
- If a candidate gets more than 50% of the 1st choice votes, they are elected to the first seat
- If no one gets 50%, the candidate with the fewest votes is eliminated
- Votes for the eliminated candidate are reassigned to the voter’s next choice
- This process repeats until one candidate has a majority (over 50%) and is elected to the second seat, and so on

How to vote

How to vote



RIPE NCC General Meeting October 2026

Dear Karla Liddle-White,

You are invited to vote in the RIPE NCC General Meeting October 2026.

You will need to enter the code (your GM Registration Number) that you received in the email with the subject "Voting Code 2: RIPE NCC General Meeting October 2026".

Voting Code 1 (jDbuME4pxKZB7n) is pre-filled. However, if you are using Safari, you may need to copy it from this email.

To login to the voting platform, click on the "Vote Now" button below.

Please note that the voting platform will only be accessible when the Chair of the General Meeting opens the election at approximately 18:00 (UTC+2).

Vote Now

The system can be accessed on your preferred device with access to a browser. Please be aware that Internet Explorer cannot be used to access the system.

Important: You can cast your vote until 09:00 (UTC+2) on Friday, 30 October 2026.

If you have questions or experience any issues, please email: agm@ripe.net.

Best regards,
RIPE NCC and Assembly Voting

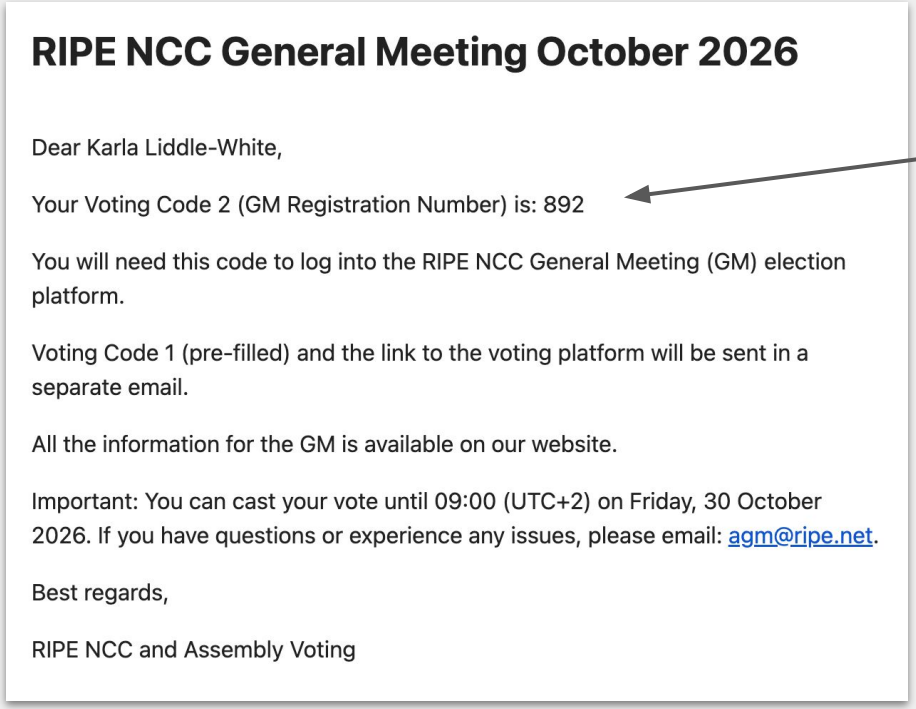
You will receive 2 emails

Email 1: Link to the election platform

Voting code 1 is pre-filled

← **Click the 'Vote Now' button**

How to vote



RIPE NCC General Meeting October 2026

Dear Karla Liddle-White,

Your Voting Code 2 (GM Registration Number) is: 892

You will need this code to log into the RIPE NCC General Meeting (GM) election platform.

Voting Code 1 (pre-filled) and the link to the voting platform will be sent in a separate email.

All the information for the GM is available on our website.

Important: You can cast your vote until 09:00 (UTC+2) on Friday, 30 October 2026. If you have questions or experience any issues, please email: agm@ripe.net.

Best regards,

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Email 2: Contains Voting Code 2

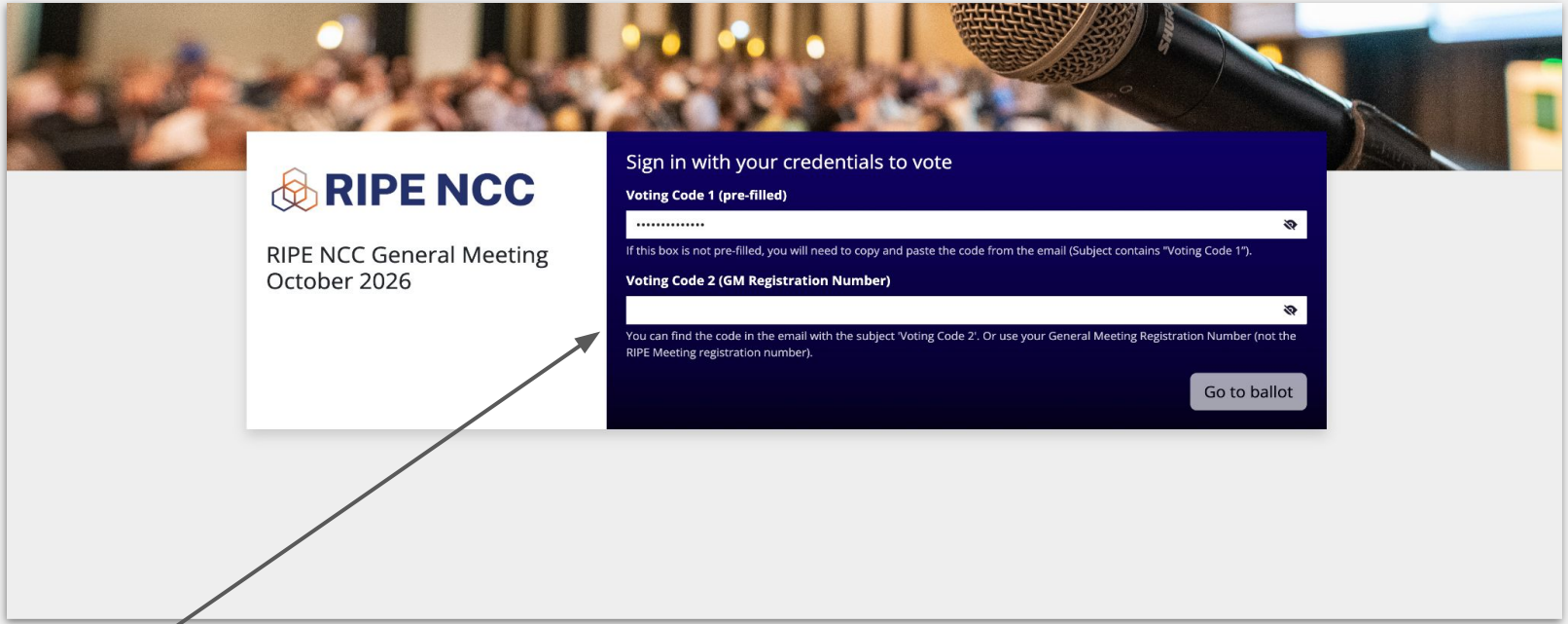
This is the code you need to log into the Assembly Voting Platform

(This is your GM Registration Number)

The emails will come from no-reply@mail.assembly-voting.com

How to vote

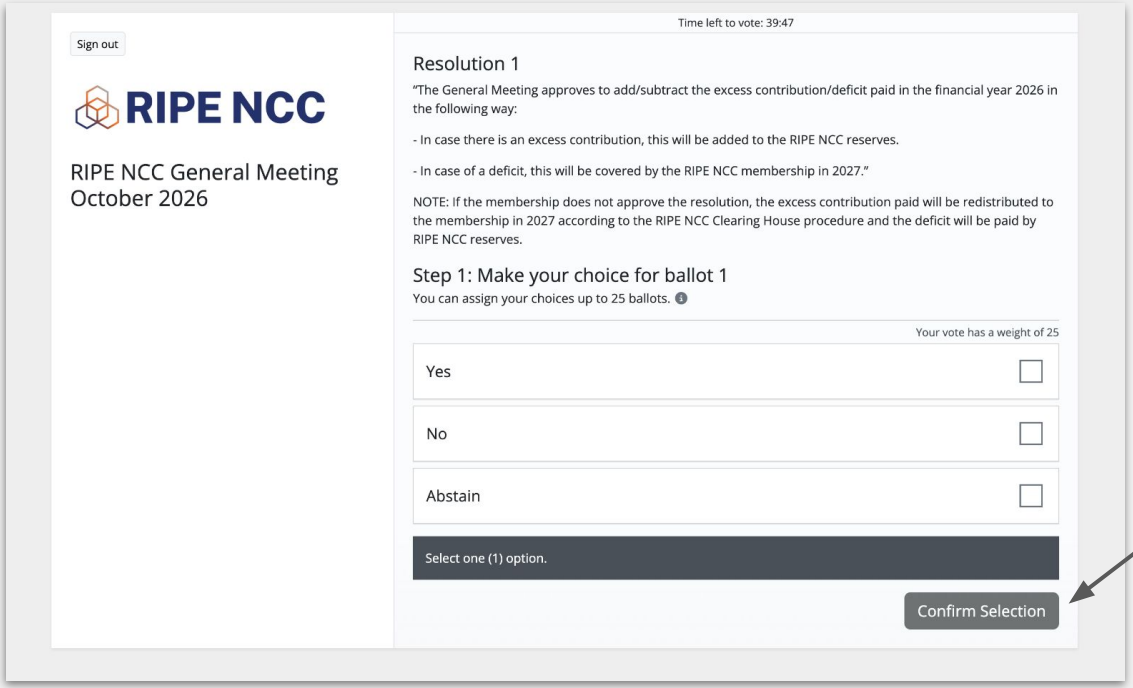
Log in to the platform



Log in with Voting Code 2

How to vote

Two resolutions to vote on



For resolutions 1 and 2

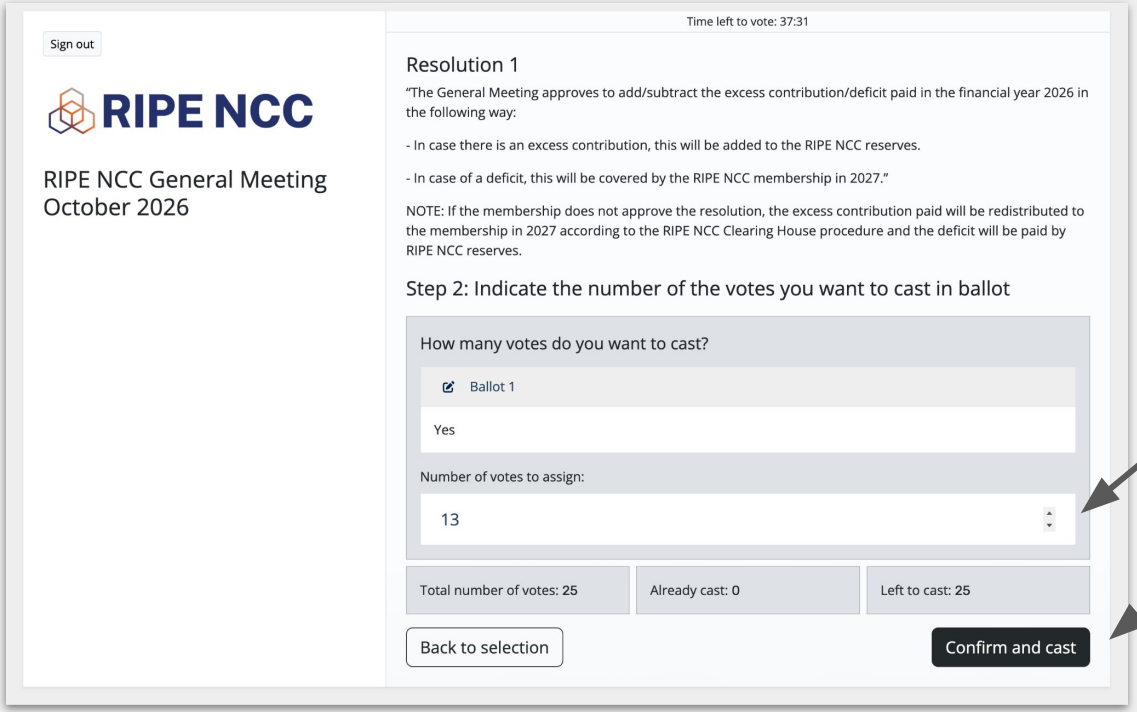
Choose Yes, No or Abstain

You must choose one option to continue

Click 'Confirm Selection'

How to vote

Assigning votes

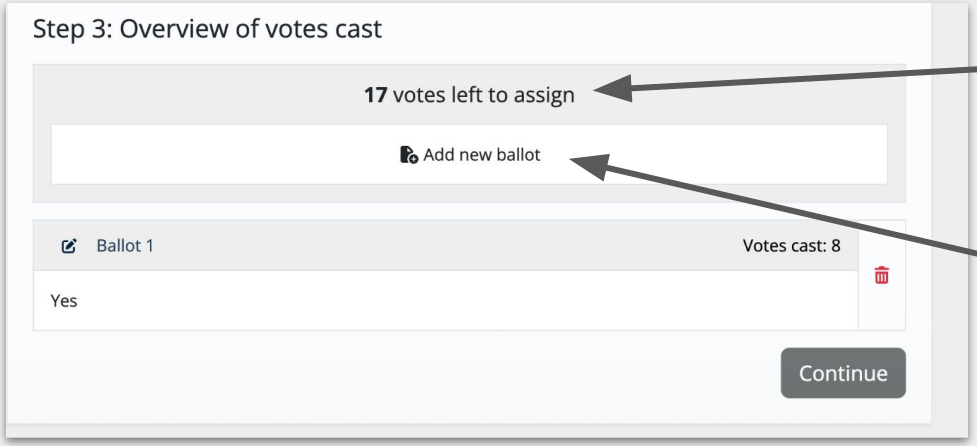


Use the arrows here to assign votes if you have several

Click 'Confirm and cast'

How to vote

Assigning votes

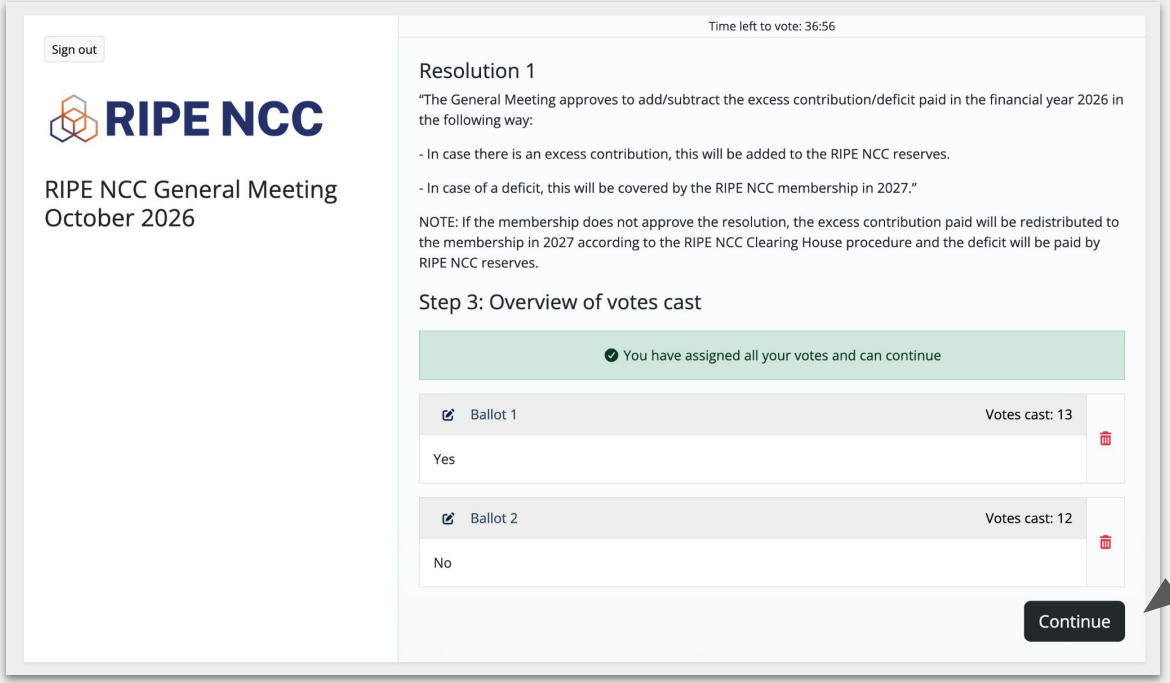


You can see how many votes you have left to assign

Click ‘Add new ballot’ to assign the rest of your votes for each resolution

How to vote

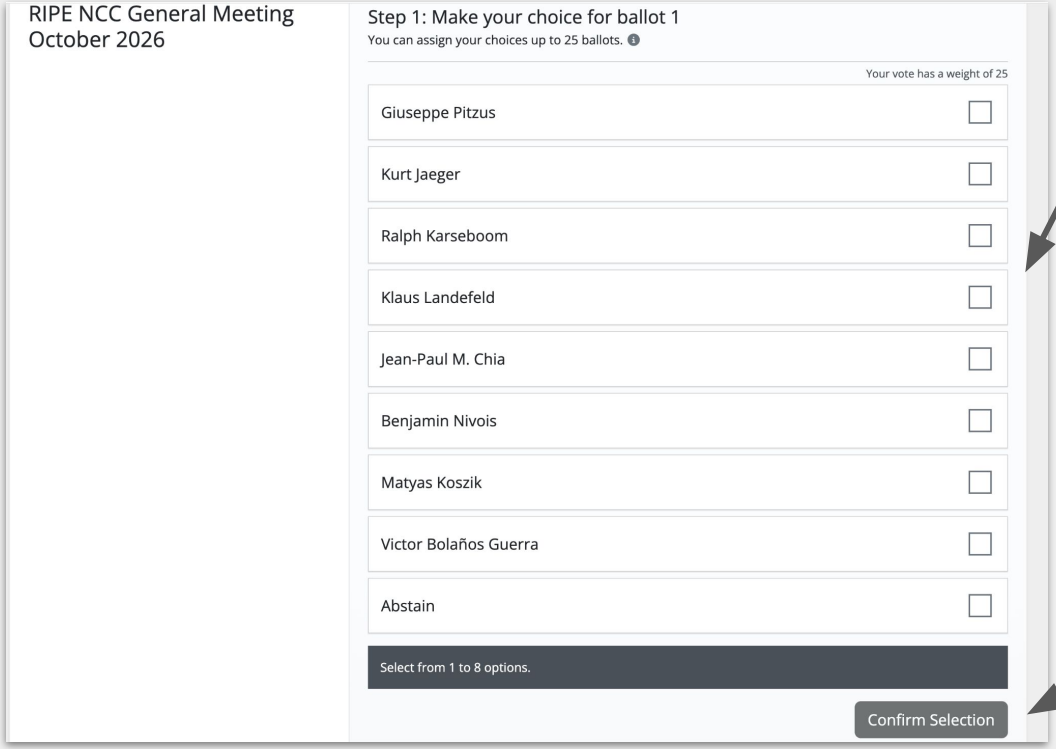
Assigning votes



Click 'Continue' after you have assigned all votes

How to vote

Arbiter Panel Election



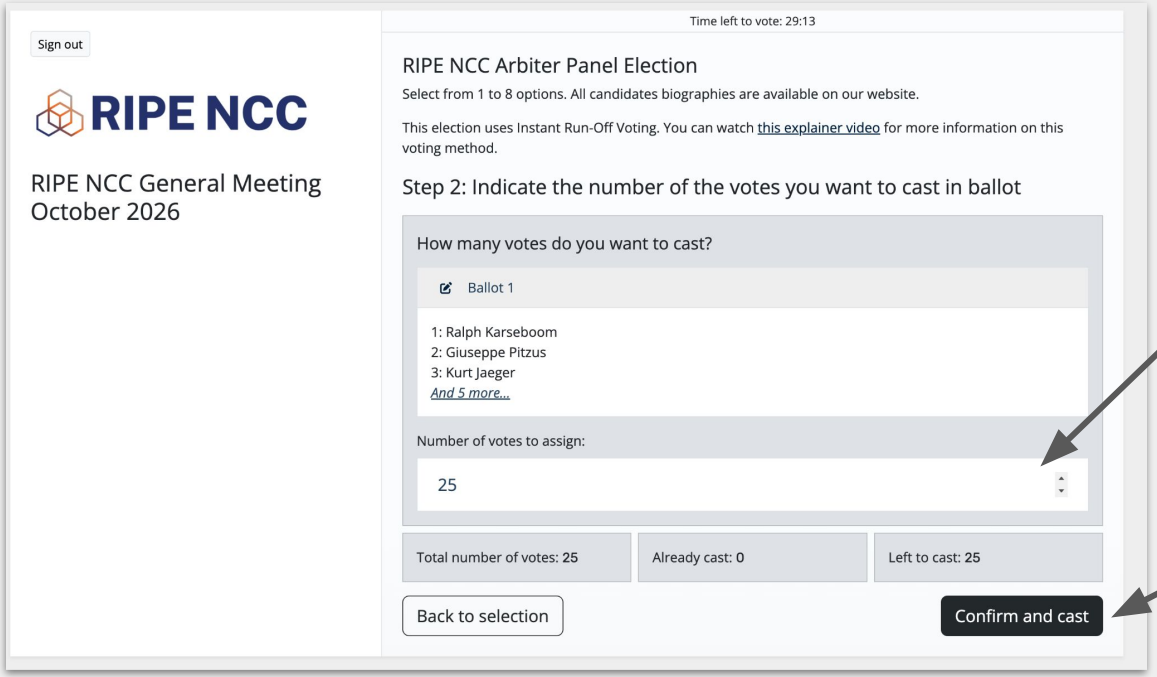
Click the candidate names in order of preference - this will number them 1, 2, 3, etc.

Or you can abstain

Confirm your selection

How to vote

Arbiter Panel Election

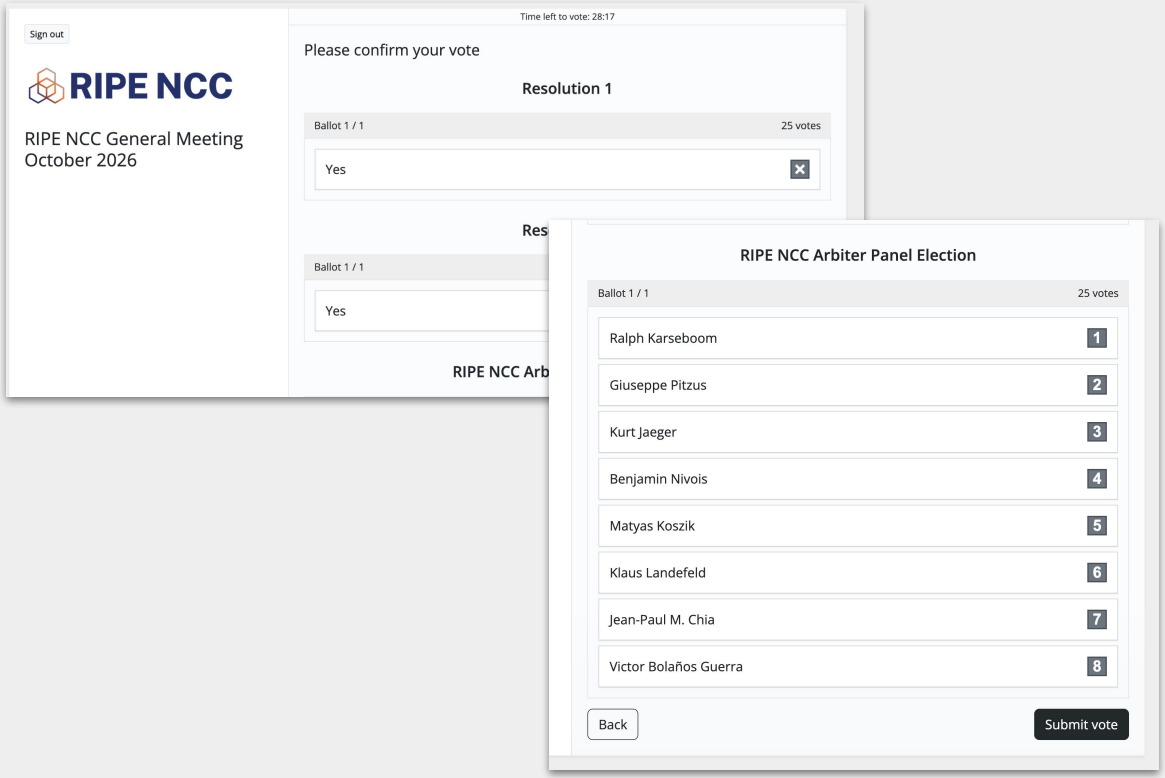


If you have several votes, assign your votes using the arrows.

Click confirm and cast

How to vote

Submit your votes on the resolutions and Arbiter Panel election

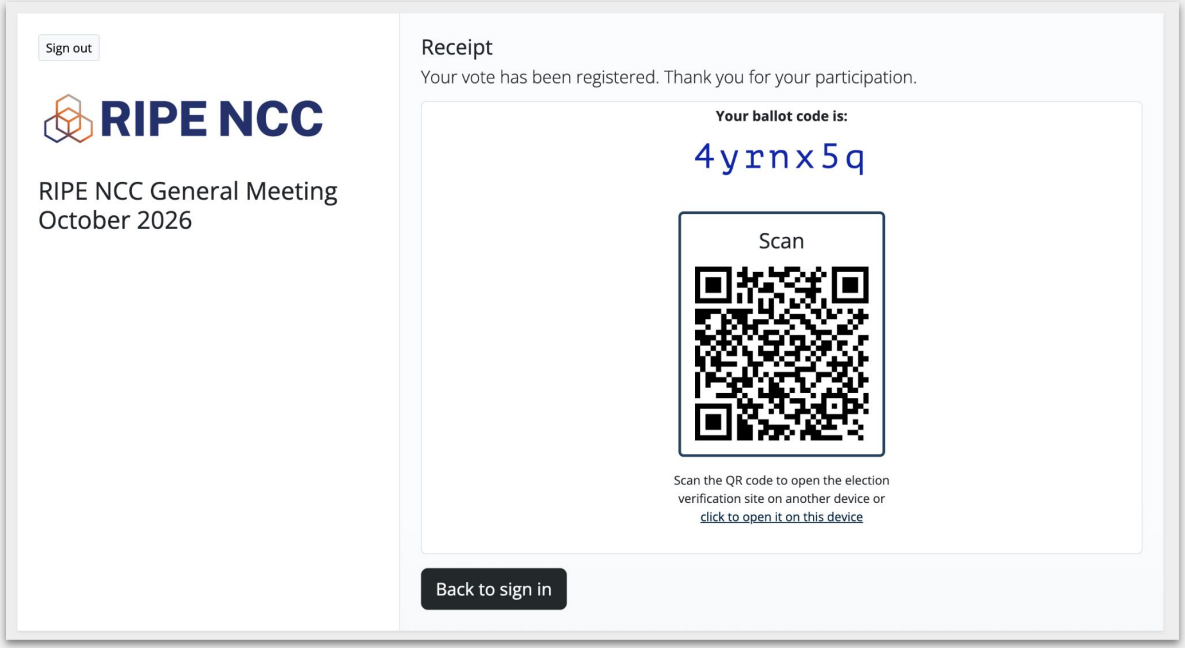


Check your votes!

Click ‘submit votes’

How to vote

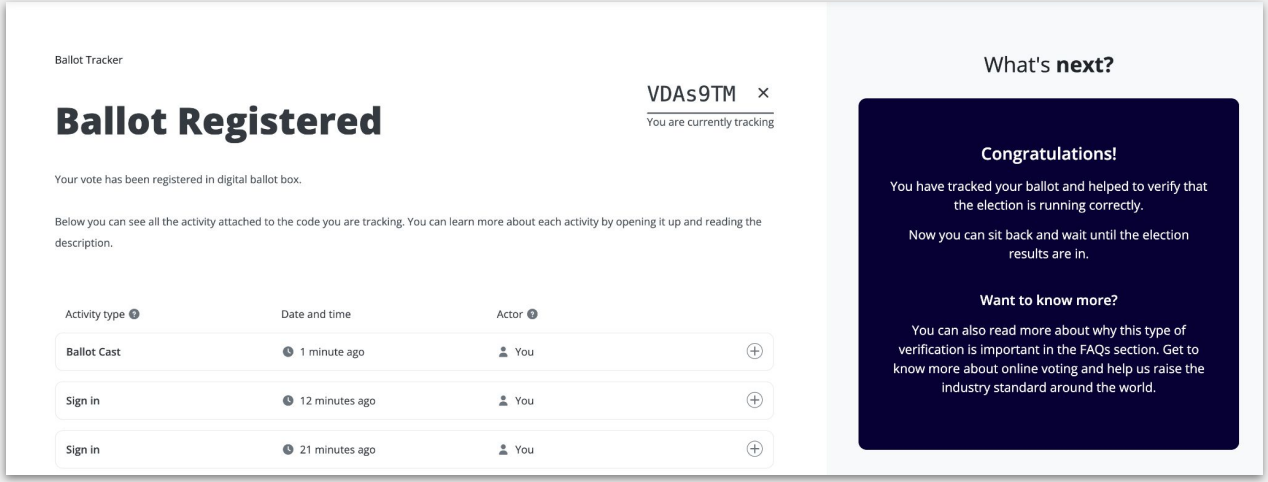
Optional: Track your ballot



You can scan the QR code and save your tracking code.

How to vote

Optional: Track your ballot



When you visit the page you can see your ballot history

Troubleshooting

Please check your **spam** for the Assembly Voting emails

If you are using **Safari**, the pre-filled code (Voting Code 1) might not appear. You will need to copy/paste it from the email containing the link to the voting platform

To receive the emails from Assembly Voting, your email server needs to be **TLS 1.2 compliant**

The **tracking pixel** in Assembly Voting emails records who opens the voting emails. This information is used only to send reminder emails to those who haven’t opened them

Reminder

Don’t leave it too late!

Once the platform has closed for voting, we cannot open it again!



Where to find support






agm@ripe.net

Need help?

Contact us at **agm@ripe.net**

Visit us at the **GM Help Desk**

The team are here between 09:00 - 17:00 (UTC+2)

Voting Period and Announcing Results

Voting can take place once the Chair declares voting open at the end of this session

Votes can be cast until 09:00 (UTC+2) on Friday, 30 October

The voting results will be announced on Friday, 30 October at 10:30 (UTC+2)

Watch the results using the livestream link in the Meetecho email

The results are announced onsite in the Main Room

Questions & Comments



agm@ripe.net

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Ondřej Filip, Executive Board Chair

Voting on the resolutions

Resolution 1

"The General Meeting approves to add/subtract the excess contribution/deficit paid in the financial year 2026 in the following way:

- In case there is an excess contribution, this will be added to the RIPE NCC reserves.

- In case of a deficit, this will be covered by the RIPE NCC membership in 2027."

NOTE: If the membership does not approve the resolution, the excess contribution paid will be redistributed to the membership in 2027 according to the RIPE NCC Clearing House procedure and the deficit will be paid by RIPE NCC reserves.

Voting on the resolutions

Resolution 2

"The General Meeting, in accordance with Article 21 of the Articles of Association, adopts the amendments to the Articles of Association as proposed and announced by the Executive Board on 30 September 2026.

Furthermore, the General Meeting instructs and authorises the Executive Board to perform or to have performed all that is required to have the amendments executed before a Dutch civil law notary."

Arbiter Panel Election

The RIPE NCC Arbiter Panel election is to fill SIX seats

There are eight candidates:

- Victor Bolaños Guerra
- Jean-Paul M. Chia
- Kurt Jaeger
- Ralph Karseboom
- Matyas Koszik
- Klaus Landefeld
- Benjamin Nivois
- Giuseppe Pitzus

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Voting is open!

The GM will reconvene on Friday, 30 October at 10:30 (UTC+2)