

## **DNC MISSISSIPPI**

3 tiered system

### Important Dates:

- February 13, 2016: Precinct meetings
- March 8, 2016: Primary vote
- March 12, 2016: County conventions
- March 25, 2016: Filing deadline for district level candidates
- April 2 - April 23, 2016: Congressional district conventions
- May 13, 2016: Filing deadline for PLEO and at-large candidates
- May 21, 2016: State convention

### Number of Delegates:

- 23 District delegates
- 8 At-large delegates
- 5 Party leaders and elected officials (PLEOs)
- 5 Super-delegates
- Total: 41

### Process:

1. A precinct meeting is held to elect delegates to the county conventions
2. A primary vote is taken that determines how many delegates each presidential candidate that receives more than 15% of the vote receives.
3. County conventions are held to elect delegates to the state convention and the congressional district conventions.
4. At the congressional district conventions, district level delegates are elected based on the results of the primary
5. At the state convention, at-large delegates and PLEOs are elected based on the results of the primary.

### Allocation of Delegates:

- A candidate must receive 15% of the vote to get delegates at either the district or state level.
- At the district level, delegates are split between the 4 congressional districts based on the Democratic make-up of those districts. The delegates are pledged to candidates proportional to the portion of the vote they receive in that district.
- At the state level, 8 at-large delegates and 5 PLEOs are pledged to the candidates proportionally based on the preferences of the statewide primary vote.

### Filing information:

- Those wishing to be a district level delegate, at-large delegate, or PLEO candidates will file with the State Democratic Party at 832 N Congress St, Jackson, MS 39202
- District-level delegates must file in the district or sub district in which they live.

### Complete information:

<http://mississippidemocrats.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/04/2016-Delegate-Selection-Rules-8.23.14.pdf>