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2400 Board Membership and Duties

2405 Board Officers

Board officers will consist of a President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Secretary. The President, Vice President, and Secretary must be Board members, but the Treasurer is not required to be a Board member.

A. Election of Board Officers

- 1. The Board must elect a President and Vice President. The Board may also elect a Treasurer and Secretary.
- 2. Board officer elections will take place at an organizational meeting of the Board.
- 3. A candidate for a Board officer position must receive a majority vote of the Board members then serving on the Board.
 - a. If no person receives a majority vote in an initial vote, the candidates for a second vote will consist of:
 - i. the 2 persons who received the most votes; or
 - ii. if more than 2 persons are tied for the most votes received, all persons tied for most votes received; or
 - iii. if 1 person received the most votes and there is a tie for second place, the person who received the most votes and the persons tied for the second place.
 - b. The process for narrowing candidates will be repeated in subsequent voting rounds.
- 4. Elected Board officers will serve in that capacity until the following year's organizational meeting at which board officers are elected, unless a Board member resigns from the officer position or a Board majority votes to remove that Board member from the officer position.
- B. If the Board does not elect a Secretary, the President must appoint a Board member to the vacant office. If the Board does not elect a Treasurer, the President must appoint a Board member or non-Board member to the vacant office.
- C. Removal of Board Officers

The Board, by a majority vote of the members then serving, may remove a Board officer from the officer position, with or without cause.

D. Board Officer Vacancies

- 1. If the office of President becomes vacant, the Vice President will succeed to the office of President for the balance of that office's term.
- 2. If the office of Vice President or Secretary becomes vacant, the Board must promptly elect a Board member to fill that vacancy.
- 3. If the office of Treasurer becomes vacant, the Board must promptly elect a Board member or non-Board member to fill that vacancy.
- 4. A person elected or appointed to a vacant Board office will serve in that office for the balance of that office's term.

E. Assistants to the Secretary and Treasurer

- 1. The Board may appoint an assistant to the Secretary and an assistant to the Treasurer who are not required to be Board members.
- 2. The Board may remove an assistant to the Secretary or an assistant to the Treasurer by majority vote. After a removal, the Board may appoint a person to fill the vacant position.

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