

BYLAWS AMENDMENTS 2017

ARTICLE V OFFICERS AND DUTIES

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Section 3. The First Vice-President shall:

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f. Attendance totals to be given to the First Vice President-Dean for calculations before District Convention. **(current practice)**

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Section 7. The Recording Secretary shall:

b. Furnish typewritten or **INSERT electronic** copies of the minutes to the President and the Vice-Presidents.

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(based on electronic use)

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Section 9. The Financial Secretary shall:

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c. Present a quarterly report at the Executive Board meeting, the current fiscal report to the Convention and a final report at the June meeting. **(current practice)**

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Section 11. The Parliamentarian shall:

STRIKE c. Leadership seminars shall be conducted by District Offices, Club Presidents or Deans. **(current practice)**

ARTICLE VII EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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Section 2. The Executive Committee shall:

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g. Approve all programs for the year. **(should be done)**

ARTICLE XII ELIGIBILITY

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Section 2. Eligibility for the office of President:

c. Shall have served one year as President **or Dean** of a Federated Club.

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Section 3. Eligibility for the office of First Vice-President:

c. Shall have served one year as a President **or Dean** of a Federated Club **(difficulty in getting qualified officers)**

ARTICLE XIII ELECTIONS

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Section 2. Election of officers shall be in even numbered years.

INSERT: Election shall be by ballot if more than one person is nominated to any position. Viva voce (by voice) shall elect the others. A plurality vote shall elect. Proxy voting shall not be allowed. (time factor)

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Section 6. The elections shall be held the first day of the Convention.

a. Voting hours **INSERT, if by ballot**, shall not be less than one hour, shall be decided for each election by the Executive Committee at the February meeting. (based on the above passing)

STANDING RULES

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POLICIES, ETHICS, AMENITIES

10. Clubs may request permanent dates (as the first Wednesday in November) for Federation or Reciprocity Days. **(INSERT 11 FROM BOOK) Club Reciprocity dates shall be cleared with the District First Vice-President at the June Board meeting.** With approval of the Executive Board, these days shall be reserved for Clubs on the Master Calendar until the Club requests a change. (combining for clarification)

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11. **INSERT Each club shall have equal opportunity to serve and earn points at all District events that require lunch and decoration committees.**

OFFICERS, CHAIRMEN, COMMITTEES

- 15. The President shall be given a fifty-dollar monthly expense allowance. **She shall be given a monthly desk allowance of \$10.00.**
- 16. She shall be a guest of the District INSERT **at all district events.**
(the Garden Conference, and District Convention.) (strike) (committee felt should be this way)

CONVENTIONS

- 24. The Executive Committee **may** (shall) strike host the District Convention Reception on Sunday evening in the election year and by the Club of the President in the non-election year.
(they may decide not to have one)
- 29. The District shall pay expenses for the newly elected President in the election year to attend the GFWC Convention. She shall submit an itemized statement of expenses, **as defined for CFWC Convention.**
(clarification)
- 30. The First Vice President's **or alternate member of their district** Expenses, at GFWC/ CFWC Conventions and State Board meetings shall be paid from the District Treasury. This shall include applicable registration, transportation covering airfare or mileage (amount for mileage to be determined by CFWC), **one-half** of a hotel room and official meals.
(alternate asked for by state, fairer to VP)
- 31. The Second Vice-President, Membership Chairman, **or alternate member of their district** when attending GFWC/CFWC State Board Meeting emphasizing Membership, shall be reimbursed the following expenses: one-half applicable registration, one-half cost of transportation for airfare or mileage (amount for mileage to be determined by each administration) that is not to exceed the lowest airfare, **one-half** of the rate of a two-bed hotel room, and one-half official meals.
(alternate asked for by state, fairer to VP)
- 32. Insert **The Leads Candidate, when attending GFWC/ CFWC State Board Meeting , shall be reimbursed the following expenses: one-half applicable registration, one-half cost of transportation for airfare or mileage (amount for mileage to be determined by each administration) that is not to exceed the lowest airfare, one-half of the rate of a two-bed hotel room, and one-half official meals. (insert in case we have one)**

YEARBOOKS, BULLETINS

- 35. Each Club shall provide the District with six copies of the Club Yearbook, or membership roster and bylaws, if there is no yearbook. Copies shall be given to the President, First Vice-President, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, **Membership,** strike **Public Relations Chairman,** and the Parliamentarian.
(Those are who need them)
- 36. Members of the District shall pay for the **printed copy** of the Bulletin subscription, the cost to be determined by the Executive committee. Subscriptions shall be from September through August. (current practice)

CLUB AWARDS

- 37. **All Chairmanships may give awards.**
 - a. **First and Second Award certificates may be given to Clubs.**
Combine for clarification
STRIKE c and d. (NOT CURRENT PRACTICE)
- 38. STRIKE (NOT CURRENT PRACTICE)
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NOTE: SOME NUMBERS HAVE ALREADY BEEN CHANGED SO MAY NOT BE EXACTLY AS IN BOOK!