Adopted November 2012

I. Officers

A. Chairperson shall:

- 1. Preside at all meetings
- 2. Prepare an agenda
- 3. Serve as an ex-officio member of all committees
- 4. Appoint committee Chairpersons
- 5. Prepare a special report for the WOEA Representative Assembly
- 6. Confer with the WOEA president on issues affecting WOEA-R members
- 7. Attend and submit a report to WOEA Board of Directors meetings
- 8. Represent or send a designee to WOEA sponsored functions
- 9. Shall be responsible for communications with OEA-R and NEA-R

B. Vice-Chairperson shall:

- 1. Assume the office of Chairperson for the remainder of the term in case of vacancy in the office of Chairperson.
- 2. Preside over meeting in the absence of the Chairperson.
- 3. Survey members for program planning.
 - a. During the year, accept suggestions for programs for the annual survey to be published in September.
 - b. Submit survey to the Chairperson and newline editor prior to the August submission date for publication deadline.
 - c. Tabulate and report survey results.
- 4. Plan programs for regular meetings.
- 5. Submit written program schedule to Chairperson prior to newsletter deadline submission date.
- 6. Handle member RSVP's and meeting arrangements.
- 7. Submit list of attendees/RSVP's for each event to the Chairperson prior to the event.
- 8. Send thank-you note(s) on behalf of WOEA-R to presenters and meeting host.

C. Secretary shall:

- 1. Keep a record of the proceedings of WOEA-R and present them for approval at the next scheduled meeting.
- 2. In regard to organizational votes, when the Chairperson or their designee, act in behalf of the membership, the secretary will keep a copy of the voted ballot and all pertinent information shall be made and kept by the WOEA-R Secretary with the minutes of the Executive Committee for one vear.
- 3. Shall archive minutes, newsletter, and any special documents created for WOEA-R events or projects

D. Treasurer shall:

- 1. Be responsible for receiving all monies.
- 2. All funds should be deposited within two weeks of receipt.
- 3. Keep a record of all receipts and expenditures.
- 4. Pay bills prior to due date.
- 5. Reimburse members for expenditures made at the direction of WOEA-R when the proper voucher and receipts are submitted.
- 6. Purchase postage for WOEA-R mailings.
- 7. Work with the Membership Chairperson to maintain up to date membership records.

E. Immediate Past-Chairperson shall:

- 1. Serve as a member of ad hoc committee for revision(s) of WOEA-R governing documents.
- 2. At the request of the Chairperson or Vice-Chairperson, shall preside at membership meetings.

II. OEA-R Advisory Council Representative shall:

- A. Attend OEA-R Advisory council meetings
- B. Submit written reports from WOEA-R to the OEA-R Advisory Council
- C. Submit written reports from OEA-R Advisory Council to WOEA-R
- **D.** Fulfill responsibilities of assigned OEA-R committee(s)
- E. Serve as an ex-officio delegate to the OEA and WOEA Representative Assembly
- F. Convey OEA-R news to the WOEA-R Chairperson and general membership

III. Standing Committees - shall be, but not limited to:

A. Community Outreach Chairperson(s) shall:

- Inform members of opportunities to serve the public through WOEA-R special projects.
- 2. Confer with WOEA-R Chairperson, web master, and newsletter editor to inform and publicize outreach activities.

a. Community Outreach Sub-committees

- i. Artemis Liaison with organization accept school supplies, money and cell phones
- ii. Reading Wellness
 - a.) Organize contact person and contact a hospital in each county
 - b.) Collect new and gently used children's books
 - c.) Label will be placed in each book
 - d.) Distribute books to county hospitals twice yearly

B. Legislative Chairperson shall:

- Review OEA communications (all which are available to members) and confer with WOEA-R Chairperson in order to keep members informed regarding screening, endorsements, and issues which effect Ohio's Public Retirement Systems, and public education.
- 2. Participate in WOEA's Members Rights and Responsibilities Core Function Committee activities and meeting.

C. Mailing Chairperson shall:

- 1. Secure the location for the WOEA-R mailings.
- 2. Must coordinate with Membership Chairperson, WOEA Office Manager, Treasurer, and Newsletter Editor to assure accuracy of mailing information and secure labels for mailings.
- 3. Be responsible for preparations of the all materials necessary to mail the newsletter and other mailings.
- 4. Notify volunteers in a timely manner prior to assembling of materials and mailing date.
- 5. Be responsible for mailing the documents on the same day they are assembled or by the deadline established for mailing.

D. Membership Chairperson shall:

- Keep a record of all members: life, annual, pre-retired, social (grandfathered), and deceased.
 The annual members are those for whom we have received a membership form and record of the years for which they have paid.
- 2. Be responsible to send updated contact information to the person(s) responsible for maintaining mailing lists.
- 3. Keep record of membership expiration dates, and contact members regarding their status prior to membership expiration.

- 4. Submit copies of forms and funds to treasurer.
- 5. Maintain the history of membership by updating the record without deleting past or deceased members.
- 6. Mail letters to Local Association presidents by May 1 to request retirees from that local.
- 7. Be responsible for up-dating the membership form.

E. Newsletter Chairperson shall:

- 1. Confer with Chairperson, committee Chairpersons, and mailing Chairperson to establish publication content and deadline dates.
- 2. The newsletter will be published four times annually.

F. Nominations/Elections Chairperson shall:

- 1. Call for candidates for WOEA-R office prior to the March meeting and notify newsletter editor of candidates for publication.
- 2. Prepare ballots in contested races and work with newsletter editor to include the ballot in the May/June newsletter.
- 3. Establish a committee of at least three members (including themselves) to count ballots in contested races.
- 4. Notify WOEA-R officers, newsletter editor, and all candidates in contested races of the election outcome.

G. Public Relations Chairperson shall:

1. Prepare press releases and other appropriate forms of communication with the media on behalf of WOEA-R at the direction of WOEA-R executive committee.

H. Sunshine Chairperson shall:

- 1. Inform members of the status of members in need or distress.
- 2. Communicate support to member through whatever means is appropriate.
- 3. Any financial expenditure for sunshine efforts must be approved by Chairperson and treasurer. Receipts must be presented to treasurer for reimbursement.
- 4. Maintain records for an annual report of sunshine activities.

I. Webmaster shall:

- 1. Train with OEA consultant to update and maintain the WOEA-R website.
- 2. Review OEA communications and confer with WOEA-R Chairperson in order to keep members informed of NEA-R, OEA-R, and WOEA-R activities and issues.
- 3. Shall confer with newsletter editor and secretary to make meeting minutes and newsletters available online.