

REGION XI BYLAWS ELECTIONS COMMITTEE INSTRUCTIONS

Creation of Elections Committee:

Per Article X, Section 2, regional elections shall be held annually during the month of November. And, per Article IX Section 9, Paragraph D, these elections are conducted by the Elections Committee.

Composition of Elections Committee:

Per Article IX, Section 9, Paragraph D, the Elections Committee shall be composed of 5 elected primary regional reps from 5 different chapters. This provision does not rule out additional volunteers but it does require 5 elected primary members.

Duties of the Nominations Committee:

Per Article IX, Section 9, Paragraph D, the Elections Committee must:

1. Prepare the official ballot reflecting candidates for office.
2. Conduct the actual election of officers in conjunction with the slate of candidates presented by the Nominations Committee.
3. Present the election results to the membership.
4. Provide certification in writing of the election results to the Recording Secretary.

Additional requirements per Article X, Section 2:

1. Elections shall be held only by secret ballot (proxy vote shall not be allowed).
2. A simple majority of the votes cast is required for an individual to be elected.