

Article VII Fiscal Responsibility

Section 2: An auditing committee consisting of members shall be elected at the annual April meeting. They shall audit the treasurer's records within ~~10~~30 days after the close of the term in office and shall present a Financial Report to the ~~Local Organization~~general membership present at the next regular meeting.

Recommendation: A Professional Bookkeeper must be in place to review all banking transactions and prepare financial reports on a monthly basis. A Certified Public Accountant will assist with tax preparation and filing. The Finance Committee meets quarterly to review Financial Statements and Annual Budget to ensure accuracy and create a strategy to uphold the organizations mission.

ARTICLE VIII ADVISORY COUNCIL

Section 1: The Advisory Council shall consist of the immediate outgoing President, the three prior Presidents, and Founding members. There shall be a maximum of 5 members on the Council.

Recommendation: The Advisory Council shall consist of the immediate outgoing President, and including, but not limited to the three prior Presidents, and Founding members.

Section 3: Term of office shall be for (4) years, excluding founding members. Any member may be removed from the Council with a two-thirds (2/3) majority of membership present and voting at any regular meeting.

Recommendation: Any member may be removed from the Council with a two-thirds (2/3) majority of membership present and voting at any regular meeting.

ARTICLE IX OFFICERS/BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1: The officers shall be the president, a president elect, a Vice President of Programs, a Vice President of Membership, a secretary, and a treasurer.

Recommendation: The officers shall be the President, a President Elect, a Vice President of Programs, a Vice President of Membership, a Vice President of Marketing, a Secretary, and a treasurer.