

Proposed Florida LMSC By-Laws Changes October, 2020

ARTICLE 1, MEMBERSHIP:

1.01 General: Individual and club/~~chapter~~ **workout group** membership in the FL LMSC shall be upon receipt of application form approved by the FL LMSC Board of Directors, **or online** with the payment of a membership fee established by the Board of Directors, and shall be assessed on a yearly basis from January 1st through December 31st.

ARTICLE 2, OFFICERS:

2.02 Duties of the Officers:

2.02.1 Chair: The Chair shall:

d. Appoint the appropriate number of delegates to the annual national USMS convention, **or annual meeting** and submit their names to the National Secretary;

2.02.5 ~~Registrar~~ **Membership Coordinator** : The ~~Registrar~~ **Membership Coordinator** shall:

Add this section:

2.02.8 Newsletter Editor: The Newsletter Editor shall:

a. Publish the quarterly LMSC Newsletter in February, May, August, and November.

b. Deadlines for submissions will be announced at least two - three weeks prior to publication.

ARTICLE 3, BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

3.01 Board of Directors: The eight Board of Directors shall consist of the four elected officers of the FL LMSC: (Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary, and Treasurer) and the four elected Directors: (~~Registrar~~ **Membership Coordinator**, ~~Top Ten Records~~ **Recorder**, Sanctions **Chair**, and Newsletter **Editor**).

3.05 Number of Meetings: The Board of Directors shall meet **either in person or by conference call** at least three (3) times per year.

ARTICLE 5, MEETINGS:

5.04.01 Electronic Voting: During any meeting including biannual elections, the Board of Directors and those club representatives present may **vote electronically when an in person meeting does not take place.** ~~table a~~ **A vote may also be tabled** for a period of twenty one days for the purpose of providing notification to all club representatives of said vote. All votes will be forwarded to the Secretary and an impartial member of USMS outside the Florida LMSC

ARTICLE 7, GENERAL PROVISIONS:

7.02 Payment of Moneys: All checks, notes, drafts, orders for payment of money or other evidence of indebtedness issued in the name of the corporation and all such instruments shall be signed by two authorized signatures if payments are \$250 or more. Four authorized signatures should be on file at the bank. The authorized signatures shall be of the Chair, Secretary, Treasurer and ~~Registrar~~ **Membership Coordinator**.

ARTICLE 8, ATHLETE'S RIGHTS, HEARINGS, AND RIGHTS OF APPEAL

8.02 Appeal: Any registered member of the FL LMSC may appeal any decision by the Board of Directors at said hearings according to current USMS rules on Hearings and Appeals.

Add: **8:03 Grievance Procedure: Please refer to the Florida LMSC Grievance Procedure posted on our website and to the current USMS Rule Book.**