

## New Business: Bylaws Amendment Proposal

Proposal to have all dues and all fees set by the Board of Managers. Current Bylaws has a conflict in that Article IV, Section A, Subsection 5 states, "The Nevada Society's application fee is subject to revision by vote at the annual meeting of the Nevada Society.", while Article IV, Section C, Subsection 2 says, "The Board of Managers will set and publish in the Standing Orders all fees.". The application fee includes state and chapter dues. In the Standing Rules, the Annual Dues section also lists late and reinstatement fees. Having the same entity set both dues and fees clears up this inconsistency.

Additions are shown in underlined blue. Deletions are shown in ~~strikethrough red~~.

At the beginning of Article IV, add a new section and re-letter the other sections.

A. The Board of Managers will set and publish in the Standing Rules, all fees and dues.

In the next section (current Section A), delete the last subsection.

~~5. The Nevada Society's application fee is subject to revision by vote at the annual meeting of the Nevada Society.~~

In the Annual Dues section (current Section C), delete the last sentences in subsection 1 and subsection 4.

1. The annual dues shall be payable on or before December 31st of each year. From this amount, the Nevada Society shall pay the members' annual dues to the National Society, and the Chapters. ~~The State and Chapter dues are subject to revision by vote at the annual meeting of the Nevada Society.~~

4. When a member fails to pay his dues to this Society, and under the terms and provisions of its Constitution and Bylaws, he is dropped from membership. A member dropped for non-payment of dues may be reinstated. If a member is approved for reinstatement, he shall pay the current year's annual dues, plus a reinstatement fee, in addition to any other fees required by the National Society. ~~The Board of Managers will annually set all fees.~~

**New Business Dues Discussion**  
**Standing Rules**  
**As approved by the board of managers**

1. A Past State President pin will be presented to each outgoing State President at the annual State Conference in which they preside.

2. Schedule of Fees and Dues:

A. Application Fees in addition to National Application Fees:

- i. Registrar Processing Fee \$ 10.00
- ii. Nevada State Dues \$ 3.00
- iii. Chapter Application Fee \$ 12.00

B. Annual Dues in addition to National Dues:

- i. Nevada State Dues ----- \$ 3.00
- ii. Chapter Dues-----\$ 12.00
- iii. Life Membership Dues-----\$ 15.00
- iv. Junior Membership Dues ----- Waived
- v. Dual Membership Dues-----\$ 15.00
- vi. Late Fee (paid after 12/31 until 1/20) ----\$ 10.00
- vii. Reinstatement Fee (paid after 1/20) -----\$ 15.00

3. The order of business at an annual meeting shall be:

- A. Call to order by the President or presiding officer.
- B. Pledge of Allegiance.
- C. Reading and approval of the minutes of the previous annual meeting and any special meetings held during the year.
- D. Reports of officers and committees; except for the Nominating Committee.
- E. Old business.
- F. New business.
- G. Report of the Nominating Committee followed by elections.
- H. Swearing in of the new officers.
- I. Remarks for the good of the order.
- J. Adjournment.

4. Recognition Awards.

- A. Each chapter shall be responsible for purchasing and presenting all recognition awards.
- B. The Nevada State Society may, at its discretion, purchase and present any award felt to be especially deserving.