



Family School Association

IMPORTANT NOTICE

ADDENDUM TO FSA BY-LAWS

The Articles shall be amended as follows:

EXISTING BY LAW:

Article V: Officers

- a. The Officers shall be the president, vice president, secretary, treasurer and facilitator.
- b. These officers will be elected every two years at the annual meeting, which shall be the final meeting of the year. Only members in good standing shall be eligible to vote.
- c. The term of the office shall be for two years commencing at the end of the school year. Each officer may only serve two terms in the same Executive Board office.
- d. The past president, ex-officio shall sit on the Executive Boards for one year after his/her term of office has expired.
- e. If the office of president is vacated, the vice president shall assume the duties of the president for the remaining of the term.
- f. If the office of vice president, secretary or treasurer is vacated, it shall be filled by appointment of the executive board.

NEW BY LAW:

Article V: Officers

- b. ***The President and Facilitator shall be elected on odd years. The Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary shall be elected on even years.*** Only members in good standing shall be eligible to vote.

NOTE: *The current term for president(2009/2010) school year will be extended one more year in order for the changes to be current.*

EXISTING BY LAW:

Article IX: Executive Board

a. The executive board shall consist of the electoral officers, and ex-officio members (past president, pastor or principal and faculty representative).

Each shall fill responsibilities for the FSA's business affairs, including the approval of committee appointments, review of the committee reports, consideration of suggestions concerning FSA business. Additionally, specific tasks for each person defined in Article VI.

b. The voting Board shall consist of the president, vice president, treasurer and facilitator.

c. All donations, expenditures, and decisions shall be made by a majority of members of the Voting Board. A quorum shall consist of three members of the Voting Board.

NEW BY LAW:

Article IX: Executive Board

*b. The voting Board shall consist of the president, vice president, **Secretary**, treasurer and facilitator*

EXISTING BY LAW:

Article XI: Nominations and Elections

a. Nominations

1. All those interested in an appointment will submit candidacy forms to the school with a short statement (100 words or less) three weeks prior to the elections.

2. Candidacy forms will be distributed in the communication folders of current Saint Mark families.

b. Elections

1. During the last even year meeting, the nominees will be allowed the opportunity to present their qualifications to the membership in verbal form. Each nominee will receive equal time in speaking as deemed reasonable by the President.

2. Secret ballots will be tallied by a volunteer non-bias committee selected at random.

3. Ballot counts shall be verified by the current secretary and principal or faculty members.

4. Candidates will be elected based on highest number of votes. When more than two candidates compete for one office and no candidate receives the majority of votes, a run-off election shall be held between the two candidates with the highest number of votes.

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Typos:

Article VI: e. facilitator: #4 should be Advise not advice

Article XVII: #7 Vote not Cote

These New By-Laws will be voted on September 24th, 2009 at 6PM in the Parish Center during a Special FSA General Meeting

The FSA Board