

Bylaw Amendment Proposal

2021-2022

Proposal 2022.04.19.A – Bylaw Amendment Proposal

SUBMITTED BY:

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DATE:

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Summarization of the Proposal/Recommendation

Current:

Article Four. Membership

Section 4.1 Eligibility

Section 4.1.A. General Guidelines

Any male shall be eligible for membership in the Chorus who is eighteen (18) years of age or older and who is in agreement with the purposes of the Chorus, the regulations concerning membership and the functioning of the Chorus as stated in these Bylaws.

Section 4.1.B. Age Exception

The Artistic Director along with majority Board approval may waive the age requirement. Such a person under the age of 18 would need a parental consent form to be signed and on file.

Section 4.1.C. Non-Singing Members

Any non-singing person, male or female, who is 18 years of age or older who is in agreement with the purposes of the Chorus, the regulations concerning membership and the functioning of the Chorus as stated in these Bylaws may be considered a member. This would include, but not be limited to, members of the Chorus who are on leave of absence, persons serving as volunteers, or non-singing Board members.

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Proposal 2022.04.19.A – Bylaw Amendment Proposal (Continued)

Proposed:

Article Four. Membership

Section 4.1 Eligibility

Section 4.1.A. General Guidelines

~~Any male~~ All persons shall be eligible for membership in the Chorus who ~~is~~ are eighteen (18) years of age or older and ~~who is~~ are in agreement with the purposes of the Chorus, the regulations concerning membership and the functioning of the Chorus as stated in these Bylaws.

Section 4.1.B. Age Exception

The Artistic Director, with along with majority Board approval, may waive the age requirement ~~– provided Such a person under the age of 18 would need a signed~~ parental consent form ~~to be signed is obtained~~ and kept on file.

Section 4.1.C. Singing Members

All persons who meet the general guideline requirements and can sing in the tenor or bass range are eligible to become a singing member after completion of the audition process.

Section 4.1.~~C~~ D. Non-Singing Members

~~Any non-singing person, male or female, who is 18 years of age or older who is in agreement with the purposes of the Chorus, the regulations concerning membership and the functioning of the Chorus as stated in these Bylaws~~ All persons who meet the general guideline requirements are eligible to become a non-singing member of the chorus. may be considered a member. This Non-singing members would include, but ~~are~~ are not ~~be~~ limited to, singing members ~~of the Chorus~~ who are on a leave of absence, persons serving as volunteers, or non-singing Board members.

Recommended implementation date

Upon passage by the Board of Directors

Board of Directors Vote: ☐ Passed ☐ Passed as amended ☐ Failed

Members Ratification Vote: ☐ Passed ☐ Passed as amended ☐ Failed

Comments from Board of Directors: