## **Air Force Sergeants Association**

## **DIVISION 3 STANDING RULE 2019**

Apr 27, 2019

## DIVISION OFFICERS/EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

- 1. <u>Purpose</u>: To provide guidelines concerning leadership composition, geographical representation, terms of office, and voting or non-voting.
- 2. <u>Authority</u>: AFSAM 100-2, Principles 6 & 8 as herein supplemented. This rule was approved by the Division 3 membership attending its annual conference April 26-27, 2019 and will be reviewed and reissued annually.
- 3. <u>Executive Council</u>: The AFSA Division Executive Council shall consist of the President, Vice President, Trustees, Secretary, Treasurer, Historian, Appointed Committee Chairs, and Senior Advisor (Past President).
  - A. All shall be voting members <u>except</u> the Historian, Appointed Committee Chairs, and Senior Advisor.
  - B. Should the Division President and Vice President be unable to serve simultaneously due to deployments or other official business, the Executive Council will by majority vote will name a presiding officer during their absence, which will be the President pro tem. This official will be a voting member, if not already so, during the temporary assignment.
  - C. The Senior Advisor position will be appointed by the Division President from a Past Division President of his/her choice.
- 4. <u>Terms of Office</u>: AFSA Manual 100-2, Principle 6, Section 8 is supplemented as follows: Each elected or appointed officer shall take office at the close of the division convention and shall serve the term of officer as indicated below or until a successor has been duly elected or appointed. Division 3 is an odd-numbered division.
  - A. The President position will be for two-year terms to be elected in odd-numbered years.
  - B. The Vice President position will be for two-year terms to be elected in even-numbered years.
  - C. All <u>OTHER</u> Division 3 Officers' term of office, whether elected or appointed, will be for one year.

## 5. Election/Appointment Procedures:

- A. Elections will be held at Division 3 Annual Conference, and installation of elected and appointed officers performed at the Honors Banquet of the same conference.
- B. Delegates will elect a President, and Vice President when appropriate, and three Trustees in accordance with prescribed Bylaws. The President-Elect is given the authority to appoint one

remaining Trustee, plus the Secretary, Treasurer, Historian, Senior Advisor and Committee Chairs as needed.

- C. Elections will be by open ballot, starting with the President/Vice President and proceed in descending order according to proper election rules of order.
- 6. <u>Duties/Committee Chairs</u>: The President may appoint all committee chairs within their respective areas of responsibility. A brief summary of duties/expectations follows:
  - A. Trustees will be expected to assist the President in handling issues within their regional area of operations, plus any other duties directed by the President.
  - B. The Vice President will normally be the Awards Chair. The President may reassign this based on availability and circumstances.
  - C. Membership Chair works with chapters on membership/retention programs/issues.
  - D. Legislative Chair sends out legislative notices, bulletins, and issues.
  - E. Scholarship Chair Notifies chapters of scholarships available, how to submit, collects and compiles results and established a selection committee to evaluate and recommend winner(s).
  - F. Communications Chair Establishes, publishes and maintains Division 3 newsletters and website, and all other electronic/social media communication avenues.
  - G. Family Matters Chair works with the Division EC and chapters to establish policy to include family participation within the AFSA family
  - H. All Officers/Committees will be responsive to all Air Force enlisted components; Active Duty, ANG, USAFR, Retirees, Veterans and their families.

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