

# NAESP By-Law Proposed Changes

Article II. Membership/Section 1. Categories and Qualifications....

Membership Categories..."AS DETERMINED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS"

Board of Directors Determine the Association dues for all membership categories (Article IV/Sect.5/Powers & Duties)

Article II. Membership/Section 2. Rights and Benefits

DELETES Individual Members right to vote for NAESP Vice- President.

At-Large Directors would be elected by the Board of Directors

Article IV. Board of Directors/ Section 1. Composition

Board of Directors will now have power to review/establish/change Membership zones by Board of Directors VOTE.. (Previously would have reported to Delegate Assembly for approval)

Article IV. Section2. Election of Zone Directors

Eliminates NAESP Nominating Committee

Screening and Voting Procedures are handled by Zone Directors and State Reps.

Voting Procedures are NOT spelled out but left at the discretion of that group?

Article IV. Section5.Power and Duties

All policy decisions would be made by Board of Directors (Previously Delegate Assembly)

Approval of the budget would be made by Board of Directors (Previously Delegate Assembly)

Eliminates right for members to individually vote for Vice-President of NAESP (formally President-Elect)

Eliminates members rights to set membership dues (Board of Directors)

Gives Board of Directors the power to Adopt Amendments to Bylaws and revisions to the platform.

Article V. Power and Duties/Section.3/Election of Vice President

Eliminates Nominating Committee- Potential Candidates screened by BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Eliminates individual members right to vote- Elected by Board of Directors and State Reps through new General Assembly "electoral college" rules. (Article VI Sect 5d. Powers & Duties)

Article XI. Amendments/Section1/By-laws

Petition for members to propose by-law amendments is difficult at best...(400 Signatures/Four States)

Amend or repealing of amendments moves from the Delegate Assembly to the Board of Directors.

"The Board of Directors may amend or repeal the bylaws by a two-third vote at a meeting at which a quorum is present." (Article XI. Section 1/Procedures/b)