

Any State Council Bylaws

Article I Name

The name of the corporation is Any State Council, Inc. as prescribed by the Articles of Incorporation and hereinafter referred to as the "council."

Article II Purpose

The purposes of the council are those prescribed by the Articles of Incorporation and the Constitution of Vietnam Veterans of America, Inc.

Article III Members

Each chapter shall be entitled to one delegate for each 25 members and one alternate. Any chapter with less than 25 members shall be entitled to one delegate and one alternate. The members-at-large shall be entitled to one delegate for each 50 members-at-large.

Article IV Board of Directors

- 1 Composition. The officers and three elected directors shall constitute the board of directors.
- 2 Board's duties and powers. The council board shall have general supervision of the affairs of the council between its regular meetings, make recommendations to the council and perform other duties specified in these bylaws. The council board will manage all council fundraising activities.
- 3 Board meetings. Regular meetings of the council board will be held the second Saturday of every odd month.

Article V Officers

The officers of the council shall be a president, vice-president, and a secretary-treasurer. These officers shall perform the duties prescribed by these bylaws, the Constitution of Vietnam Veterans of America, Inc. and by the parliamentary authority adopted by the Vietnam Veterans of America, Inc. Council officers who are not elected chapter delegates are authorized voting privileges on all business that comes before the council.

Article VI Meetings

Regular and special meetings of the council shall be called and conducted as described in the Constitution of Vietnam Veterans of America, Inc.

Article VII

Parliamentary Authority

The rules contained in *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised (most current Edition)* shall govern the council in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these bylaws and any special rules of order and standing rules the council may adopt.

Article VIII Amendment of Bylaws

These bylaws may be amended at any meeting of the council by a two-thirds vote provided the amendment has been given to the members within thirty to sixty days before the meeting.

Bylaws as amended, October 16, 2015.