

**Proposed Changes to
INTERLOCKED SQUARES BYLAWS**
for consideration at the November 30, 2023 Annual Meeting

Proposal One

Change “Membership Chairman” to “Membership Chair” in all instances.

Proposal Two

Existing Language:

Article II MEMBERSHIP

Section 2. Application procedures: Membership application forms shall be made available on the Club's public website. Applicants for admission or re-admission must dance at least three Club dance nights in a two-month period after submission of a Membership application. The Membership Chairman shall review applications and make recommendations to the Board. Members shall be admitted to the Club by a simple majority vote of the Board. Membership shall begin immediately upon approval. The Membership Chairman shall notify applicants of the results as soon as possible.

Article IV EXECUTIVE BOARD

Section 8. The Membership Chairman is responsible for reviewing Membership applications, making recommendations to the Board, and notifying applicants of the decisions of the Board regarding their Membership status.

Proposed Changes (revised language for these two sections):

Article II, Section 2. Application procedures: Membership application forms shall be made available on the Club's public website. Applicants for admission or re-admission must submit a Membership application form to the Membership Chair who will review applications for completeness and bring the applications to the Board as soon as possible. The Board, with input/opinions from the Staff Callers, will determine admission based on each applicant's level of dance experience (examples of dance experience are: a) having completed an Interlocked C1 class; b) dancing regularly at other Challenge clubs, tape groups, or events; or c) formerly being members of the Club). Applicants shall be admitted to the Club by a simple majority vote of the Board. The applicant's Membership shall begin immediately upon approval. The Membership Chair shall notify applicants of the results as soon as possible.

Article IV, Section 8. The Membership Chair is responsible for reviewing Membership applications for completeness, bringing the forms to the Board, and notifying applicants of the decisions of the Board regarding their Membership status.

Proposal Three

Existing Language:

Article IV EXECUTIVE BOARD

Section 2. The Board shall meet as needed to conduct business, in person or online via an electronic meeting application which allows for real-time discussion among Board members. Meetings shall be scheduled by the President at his/her discretion or upon a request from three elected officers. All officers shall be notified of an upcoming Board meeting at least one week prior to the meeting, unless all Board members waive this notification time period. The quorum for the Board to conduct business shall be three elected officers. Decisions of the Board shall require a simple majority vote of the Board members present at the time of the vote.

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Article IV, Section 2. The Board shall meet as needed to conduct business, in person or online via an electronic meeting application which allows for real-time discussion among Board members. Meetings shall be scheduled by the President at his/her discretion or upon a request from three voting Board members. All Board members shall be notified of an upcoming Board meeting at least one week prior to the meeting, unless all voting Board members waive this notification time period. The quorum for the Board to conduct business shall be three voting Board members. Decisions of the Board shall require a simple majority vote of the voting Board members present at the time of the vote.