

Proposed changes to the STA Constitution

Changes to the STA Constitution are underlined.

Article 6 Elections and Standing Committees

(New Amendment)

Section 15

The Executive Board will appoint a member of the STA to serve as New Member Liaison for the following year (July 1 – June 30). The New Member Liaison shall be in their first ten (10) years of teaching. He/she shall act as a liaison between the Executive Board and the Non-Professional status members of the Association. The term of the New Member Liaison shall be one year. He/she may be re-appointed by Executive Board, on an annual basis until said representative reaches ten (10) years of teaching. Annual local dues reimbursement shall be given to the New Member Liaison who attends at least 70% of the year's executive board meetings.

Article 8 Dues

Section 5

(Current Language)

The dues of the following positions shall be paid by the Association: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Negotiating Committee Chairperson, IA Negotiating Chairperson and the Professional Rights and Responsibilities Committee Chairperson[s].

(New Language)

The dues for the following positions shall be reimbursed in June at either the Executive Board meeting or the Annual Meeting: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Negotiating Committee Chairperson, IA Negotiating Chairperson and Professional Rights & Responsibilities Committee Chairperson(s).

Article 8 Dues

Section 6

(Current Language)

The Norfolk County Teachers Association representative will have both Sharon Teachers Association dues and Norfolk County Teachers Association dues paid by the Association.

(New Language)

The NCTA representative will have their STA and NCTA dues reimbursed by the Association at either the June Executive Board meeting or Annual Meeting.

Section 7

(Current Language)

During contract negotiations, members of each Negotiating Committee representatives will have their Sharon Teachers Association, Inc. dues paid by the Association for the year of negotiating. If negotiations continue beyond the first year, dues will be reimbursed on a prorated basis.

(New Language)

During contract negotiations, members of each Negotiating Committee will have their Sharon Teachers Association, Inc. dues reimbursed by the Sharon Teachers Association in June at either the Executive Board meeting or the Annual Meeting. If negotiations continue beyond the first year, dues will be reimbursed on a prorated basis.

Section 9

(New Amendment)

"In no case shall dues reimbursement occur more than one time annually for any member."