

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

To The MAFCA ByLaws by Garth Shreading

Every few years, it is necessary to review our bylaws to ensure they conform to current laws as well as best serve our membership. Last year, a group of former MAFCA Directors was tasked with looking at and recommending to the Board of Directors certain items that may need addressed. After careful review by this committee and with some modification from the Board of Directors, it was decided that two areas should be presented to the membership seeking their approval.

Article IV ← Should be Article V Section 1

(A) Qualification of Candidates

Current Reading

To be considered as a Nominee, a candidate must be a MAFCA member in good standing whose membership is not then suspended or terminated, at least 18 years of age, and be familiar with the operations of MAFCA locally, regionally and/or nationally. No candidate shall be eligible for re-election to a third consecutive full term; however, candidates shall be eligible for re-election after at least one year not on the Board. Candidates, other than those running for re-election, shall be requested to provide current references as to their qualifications. Each candidate elected will be expected to attend all scheduled Board Meetings.

Proposed Reading

To be considered as a Nominee, a candidate must be a MAFCA member in good standing whose membership is not then suspended or terminated, at least 18 years of age, and be familiar with the operations of MAFCA locally, regionally and/or nationally. After serving two complete consecutive terms, no candidate shall be eligible for re-election to an additional consecutive full term; however, candidates shall be eligible for re-

election after at least two years not on the Board. Candidates, other than those running for re-election, shall be requested to provide current references as to their qualifications

The purpose for this proposed change is to provide greater opportunities for a variety of members to serve as a director. Therefore, the Board of Directors is recommending increasing the required time off between two consecutive terms from one year to two years. **Notice the last sentence is omitted!**

Article IX Section 1

Current Reading

A Charter shall be granted by the Board of Directors of the Model A Ford Club of America (MAFCA) to each prospective chapter that meets all requirements to form said chapter.

Proposed Reading

A Charter may be granted by the Board of Directors of the Model A Ford Club of America (MAFCA) to each prospective chapter that meets all requirements to form said chapter.

The reason for this proposed change is to provide greater flexibility in the approval process of new chapters. Currently MAFCA has very limited requirements in order to qualify as a new chapter. Because of demands on our chapter liability insurance as well as liability exposure, this change would provide greater latitude in the approval process. MAFCA's Board of Directors is therefore requesting your consideration and approval of this proposal.

Both proposed changes will appear on this year's ballot.

