

THE REPUBLICAN CLUB

OF ALLENDALE

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

OF

THE REPUBLICAN CLUB OF ALLENDALE

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of this club shall be THE REPUBLICAN CLUB OF ALLENDALE.

ARTICLE II OBJECT

The object of this club, through the means of educational, social, and political activity, is to promote the cause of good government and the principles of the Republican Party; to defend the concept of Home Rule; to aid in the development, selection, nomination, and election of qualified Republican public officials; to act as a forum on public issues; to facilitate communication between residents and public office holders at all levels of government; and to support planning programs commensurate with the desire for a general rural atmosphere in the Borough of Allendale.

ARTICLE III MEMBERSHIP

A. CLASSES OF MEMBERSHIP

There shall be three classes of membership in this club: ACTIVE, ASSOCIATE, and SUSTAINING.

<u>ACTIVE MEMBERS</u> shall be entitled to vote at regular and special meetings, to hold office and to exercise all other privileges of membership in this club. Active members shall be expected to regularly attend meetings and participate in club projects and activities. An Active Member who is Mayor, Councilman, school board trustee or chairman of a board, appointed by the Mayor and Council, shall be excused from assignments on projects and activities but shall be expected to attend club meetings and events when conflicts do not exist.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS shall be subject to the same obligations and entitled to the same privileges as Active Members except they shall not be entitled to vote or hold office in the club. Associate members shall be transferred to ACTIVE member status, on application, at such time as they meet all the qualifications for active membership.

<u>SUSTAINING MEMBERS</u> shall be invited to all regular meetings and events of the club and shall be mailed all information which is mailed to Active and Associate Members. Sustaining Members shall be welcome, but not expected, to take active part in club projects and activities. Sustaining Members are not entitled to vote or hold office in the club.

B. QUALIFICATIONS

ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

Any citizen of the United States, 18 years of age or over, residing in the Borough of Allendale, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, who is a registered Republican and agrees to support the Republican Party and actively work for the objects of this club shall be eligible for ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP in this club.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Citizens meeting all of the above requirements, except that of being a registered Republican, shall be eligible for ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP in this club.

SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP

Any resident of Allendale who wishes to financially support the objects of this club is eligible for SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP in this club.

C. PROCEDURE

Application for Active or Associate Membership must be made by submitting a completed membership application form to member of the Membership Committee. The application will be announced, and the applicant introduced as part of the Membership Committee report during the first regular meeting of the club, following receipt of the application, at which the applicant is present. Meeting notices for each meeting must include names of applicants for Active and Associate Membership announced at the previous meeting.

Members opposing the granting of membership to any announced applicant may submit a written objection to the Membership Committee prior to the regular meeting following the announcement. Objections from one-fifth (20%) of the total Active Members shall require rejection of the application by the Membership Committee.

The Membership Committee shall determine the eligibility of all applicants based on the standards specified in this Article. Applications of persons determined ineligible shall be rejected by the Membership Committee. Whenever possible, applicants shall be given the opportunity to withdraw rejected applications prior to the regular meeting in which their application would be reported on.

At each regular meeting, the Membership Committee shall report on each application announced at the previous meeting. A member of the Membership Committee shall propose for membership all eligible applicants whose applications have not been rejected or withdrawn. The members present shall vote on each proposal by open show of hands. At two-thirds majority of members present and voting shall be required for acceptance. An accepted applicant shall be declared an Active or Associate Member subject to payment of dues for the current year. Additional dues for current year are not required of Sustaining Members in good standing. Withdrawn and rejected applications may be resubmitted no less than 90 days after such action.

Sustaining Memberships may be solicited and accepted in accordance with procedures established from year to year by the Membership Committee.

ARTICLE IV DUES AND CONTRIBUTIONS

Annual dues shall be established on a year-to-year basis at the Annual Meeting each year by majority vote. Annual dues are payable at the time of the Annual Meeting and on the acceptance of a membership application. Members are delinquent in dues if payment has not been made after the second regular meeting following the Annual Meeting.

Active members who are delinquent in dues shall be transferred to the class of Associate Membership without notice; and restored to Active Membership on payment of same. All members delinquent over one year shall be dropped from the membership role after being given thirty (30) days notice.

Contributions may be made by members of any class, for the general purposes of the club up to, but not exceeding, \$25 per year.

ARTICLE V MEETINGS

The Annual Meeting of the club for the election of officers, the establishment of dues for the following twelve (12) months, and other business shall be held on the third Tuesday of January, each year.

Regular meetings shall be held on the third Tuesday of every month except January (Annual Meeting), June, July, and August.

Special meetings may be called, for the purpose of conducting specific business, by and at the discretion of the President; or by any member of the Executive Committee, with written request of a majority of the Active Members. All members must be notified of Special Meetings, and their purpose, no less than five (5) days nor more than fifteen (15) days prior to such meetings.

All meetings will be held at the Allendale Municipal Building unless all members are notified otherwise, by mail, at least three (3) days, but not more than fifteen (15) days, prior to such meetings.

Meetings of the Executive Committee shall be called by the President or by any five (5) members of the Executive Committee by notifying every member of the Executive Committee at least three (3) days in advance.

ARTICLE VI QUORUM

Ten Active Members shall constitute a quorum at the Annual Meeting and any regular meeting.

Fifteen Active Members shall normally constitute a quorum at a Special Meeting except this requirement may be reduced for a specific Special Meeting to any number greater than six Active Members by a two-third (2/3) majority vote of members present and voting at the regular meeting preceding the specific Special Meeting.

ARTICLE VII ELECTIONS

The President shall appoint, not later than two (2) months before the term of office expires, a Nominating Committee of five (5) members to nominate officers for election at the next annual meeting of the club.

The recommendation of the Nominating Committee shall be submitted one (1) month before the Annual Meeting. Nothing in this paragraph, however, is to be interpreted to prevent nominations of officers from the floor at any time after the Nominating Committee has submitted its report. The President, Vice-Presidents, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, and Treasurer shall be elected by the club at the Annual Meeting in January for a term of one (1) year.

Election of officers shall be by secret ballot, unless on a call for nomination of an office, only one (1) person is nominated therefor. Absentee voting or voting by proxy shall not be permissable.

A majority of votes cast for any office shall be necessary to an election.

Vacancies in any office of the Executive Committee shall be filled for the unexpired term by the club at the next regular meeting following the announcement to the membership of the Executive Committee vacancy by nominations from the floor and election of the membership.

The Executive Committee may fill any vacancies until an election is held. If, for any reason, there be a failure to elect any officer at the Annual Meeting, the officer of officers then in such office shall hold over until an election shall be held as in the case of a vacancy.

ARTICLE VIII EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The President, the first and second Vice-Presidents, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, Chairman of the Municipal, Committee, and the immediate Past President shall constitute the Executive Committee who shall direct the affairs of the club, subject to the Constitution and By-Laws. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to submit to this club the names of prospective candidates for coming Borough elections. These names must be endorsed by a majority vote of the members at a meeting of the club. The Executive Committee shall appoint the Campaign Manager for the current campaign. A current campaign shall consist of a Primary Election and its ensuing General Election.

The Executive Committee shall have charge of properties of the club.

The Executive Committee may adopt rules and regulations for conducting the business of the club, including the order of the meeting agenda, subject to the approval of a majority of the members present.

The President of the Club shall also be Chairman of the Executive Committee. No elected official of the Borough of Allendale shall be a member of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE IX OFFICERS

The elected officers of this club shall be the President, First Vice-President, Second Vice-President, Corresponding and Recording Secretaries, and Treasurer, all of whom shall be elected annually as heretofore provided.

<u>President and Vice-Presidents:</u> The President shall preside at all meetings of the club and at all meetings of the Executive Committee, shall appoint all Committees (except the Executive Committee), shall be ex-officio member of all Committees, and shall generally perform such other duties as the executive head of the club.

The First Vice-President shall perform the duties of the President in his (her) absence. In the absence of both the President and the First Vice-President, the Second Vice-President shall perform the duties of the President. In the absence of the President and the First and Second Vice-Presidents, a member of the Executive Committee shall be chosen to act temporarily.

<u>Treasurer:</u> The Treasurer shall have charge of all the funds of the club and shall furnish a bond if so required, the amount to be fixed by the Executive Committee and the premium to be paid by the club. He (she) shall make a report to the Executive Committee and to the club at their regular meetings and shall disburse funds exceeding twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for any one purpose only when approved by a majority of the Executive Committee or membership. He (she) shall deposit all funds in such bank or banks as shall be designated by the Executive Committee.

<u>Recording Secretary:</u> The Recording Secretary shall preserve all books and documents and maintain an accurate record of the proceedings of the club and the Executive Committee. He (she) shall perform such duties as may be incident to his (her) office, subject to the direction of the Executive Committee. <u>Corresponding Secretary:</u> The Corresponding Secretary shall provide for the mailing or other communication of notices of all meetings to members and shall also conduct the official correspondence of the club, at the direction of the President or the Executive Committee.

At the expiration of their term of office, each officer and member of the Executive Committee shall deliver to the duly elected Executive Committee all books, papers, and property of the club in their possession.

In the absence of the Treasurer, the Recording Secretary or the Corresponding Secretary from any meeting, the presiding officer shall appoint any member to act temporarily in the absentees' place for that meeting.

No elected official of the Borough of Allendale shall be an officer of the club.

ARTICLE X COMMITTEES

The President shall appoint all committees except the Executive Committee. There shall be the following standing committees: Finance, Membership, Publicity and Program, which shall be appointed annually at the first meeting of the Executive Committee following the annual election and each committee shall consist of at least two (2) members. The Executive Committee shall have the right to authorize such other committees (standing or temporary) as may seem necessary.

<u>Finance Committee</u>: The Finance Committee shall have supervision of the finances of the club and shall call on any members at large to assist in devising ways and means of raising funds for the club. The Treasurer of the Club shall be Chairman of the Finance Committee.

<u>Membership Committee:</u> It shall be the duty of the Membership Committee to solicit new members, to receive all membership application forms, to see that all members remain in good standing, to maintain and increase the membership of the club and to maintain an up dated roster of active and inactive members which will be available for inspection at all meetings.

<u>Publicity Committee:</u> It shall be the duty of the Publicity Committee to take charge of all press notices, advertising and dissemination of general information. At the time of election campaigns for public officials, there shall be close cooperation between this committee, the Campaign Manager, and the candidates for election.

<u>Program Committee:</u> The Program Committee will suggest the agenda of the meetings of the club and shall provide such programs as may seem necessary to maintain proper interest in the club and its work. There shall be close cooperation between this committee and the President. The Chairman of this committee shall be privileged to solicit assistance from members at large.

ARTICLE XI SUSPENSION OF MEMBERS

Any Active Member may request the Executive Committee to consider suspension of any member of any membership classification. The request must be in writing and include a specific example of misuse of membership privileges, conduct contrary to the object of the club as stated in Article II, or failure to meet membership obligations or qualifications as specified in Article III.

A special meeting will be scheduled by the President, not less than ten (10) days, nor more than sixty (60) days, after receipt of the request, for the purpose of consideration of suspension by the general membership if the Executive Committee, after due investigation and consultation, finds the request reasonable. The member subject to suspension must be sent a special meeting notification and copy of the suspension request by registered mail. The Executive Committee must notify the requesting member of their disposition of the request within fifty (50) days after receipt of the re-If the Executive Committee rejects the request for suspension, quest. it may be presented for consideration by the General Membership, from the floor, at a regular meeting. If by vote, two-thirds of the Active Membership present find the request reasonable, the President shall be required to call a special meeting, to be held within fifty (50) days for the purposes of considering suspension of the specified member.

At a special meeting, called for the purpose of considering suspension of a member, the member subject to suspension, and any other member, shall be given an opportunity to state reasons why subject member should not be suspended. A two-thirds majority vote of Active Members present is required for suspension of a member.

A suspended member shall not be entitled to vote or hold office. Not less than three (3) months nor more than eight (8) months after suspension of a member, the Executive Committee shall determine appropriate disposition of the suspension and take one of the following actions:

- 1. Reinstatement
- 2. Transfer to Associate Membership
- 3. Drop from Membership roll.

ARTICLE XII PARLIAMENTARY RULE

The rules contained in "Roberts Rules of Order Revised" shall govern the organization in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the Constitution and By-Laws of this organization.

ARTICLE XIII AMENDMENTS

This Constitution and By-Laws may be altered or amended by a two-thirds vote of the Active Members present at any regular or special meeting of the members of this club, provided that written notice of the proposed change has been sent by the Secretary to each member of the club at least five (5) days prior to the date of the holding of said meeting. The undersigned, Recording Secretary of The Republican Club of Allendale, Inc., does hereby certify that the foregoing is the Constitution and By-Laws of The Republican Club of Allendale, Inc., as amended and supplemented to , 1975.

Sincer, Therein

Secretary

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