



## LOUISIANA FEDERATION OF REPUBLICAN WOMEN

P.O. BOX 12728, NEW IBERIA, LOUISIANA 70562-2728 (225-205-4428)

### **LOUISIANA FEDERATION OF REPUBLICAN WOMEN 2020 STANDING RULES**

In addition to the provisions contained in the *Bylaws of the Louisiana Federation of Republican Women*, the following Special Rules of Order shall be adhered to for the conduct of this meeting:

#### **VOTING BODY:**

The voting body of this Board meeting shall consist of the certified delegates who hold the following positions: Elected Officers of the LFRW, LFRW Immediate Past President, Presidents of each LFRW member club or their proxy holders and the Chairmen of each Standing Committee or, in their absence, their Vice Chairmen.

#### **QUORUM:**

A quorum for this meeting shall be 30% of the voting members or their proxy holders of - the LFRW Board of Directors who are present.

#### **MOTIONS:**

All motions, except on matters of procedure, shall be written and signed by the maker of the motion. The maker of the motion shall also include the name of the club she is an Active member of, as well as the office she holds which qualifies her as a voting member at this meeting. This form shall be presented to the Board's presiding officer.

#### **DISCUSSIONS:**

Only Active members of the voting body shall speak during debate. Speakers must obtain recognition. They must give their name, the office they hold, and their LFRW Club. Discussion on a motion shall be limited to one [1] minute for each speaker. General consent shall be required if additional time is to be granted. If there is an objection to general consent, a formal vote shall be taken and a two-thirds [2/3] vote shall be required. No speaker may speak more than twice on the same question without unanimous consent of the voting body.

#### **PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY:**

The newest edition of Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised shall be the parliamentary authority.

#### **ADOPTION OF RULES:**

These rules shall be adopted by a two-thirds vote & may be amended, suspended, or rescinded by a two-thirds vote.