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2017 OFFICER ELECTIONS

Positions open for election

Vice-President

Secretary

DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Vice President - The Vice President shall perform such duties as shall be assigned by the President and the Board of Directors. He shall assume the duties of the President-elect in the event of the President-elect's absence, resignation or disability, but will also continue to carry out the duties of the office of Vice

Secretary - The Secretary shall have charge of keeping the minutes of the Board of Director's meetings and the Annual Business Meeting; executing the general correspondence and, in general, performing all duties as from time to time shall be assigned by the President or the Board of Directors.

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2017 BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTIONS

Positions open for election

Director (2 positions)

DUTIES OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors shall: Supervise all the business and activities of the RCSW within the limitation of the Bylaws. Adopt and rescind standing rules, regulations, policies, and procedures of the RCSW. Perform such other duties as may be necessary or appropriate for the management of the RCSW.

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2017 DELEGATE ELECTIONS

Positions open for election

Delegate (requires previous board of directors experience)

DUTIES OF DELEGATES

The duties of the Delegates shall be as specified in Article VII, Section 3 of the AARC Bylaws. SECTION 3

RCSW OFFICERS

The officers of the Association shall consist of President, President-elect, Immediate Past President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer. All candidates for officer positions must be members in good standing of the AARC/ RCSW.

TERM OF OFFICE

The term of office for President-elect, Immediate Past President, and Vice President shall be one (1) year. The term of office for President, Secretary and Treasurer shall be two (2) years. The term shall begin January 1. Officers shall not hold concurrent elected RCSW positions. The Secretary and Treasurer shall not serve more than two (2) consecutive terms in the same office. RCSW. The President-elect shall complete immediate successive full one (1) year terms for the offices of President-elect, Immediate Past President, and a (2) year term for President before being eligible to serve a successive term in any elected office. The Vice President, President-elect, President and Immediate Past President are not limited to the number of terms they may serve in the same office.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee of the Board of Directors shall consist of the President, President-elect, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Immediate Past President, Delegates and Medical Advisor. The Executive Committee shall have the power to act for the Board of Directors between meetings of the Board and such action shall be subject to ratification by the Board at its next meeting.

COMPOSITION AND POWERS

The executive government of the RCSW shall be vested in a board of nineteen (18) active members consisting of the Officers, six (6) Directors-at-large, five (5) Chapter Presidents, and the two (2) Delegates. Each of these members shall have one vote. There shall be six (6) Directors-at-large. Two (2) Directors-at-large shall be elected each year and such others as necessary in order to fill existing vacancies. Each Chapter shall be represented on the Board of Directors by the Chapter President. The President shall be Chairman and Presiding Officer of the Board of Directors and Executive Committee. They shall invite, in writing, such individuals to the meetings of the Board as they shall deem necessary, who shall have the privilege of voice, but not vote. The Board of Directors shall have the power to declare an office vacant by a two-thirds (2/3) vote upon refusal, neglect, or inability of any member of the Board to perform the duties of office, or for any conduct deemed prejudicial to the RCSW. Written notice shall be given to the member that the office has been declared vacant.

TERM OF OFFICE

The term of office for the Directors-at-large shall begin at the start of the next calendar year following the election and shall be for a three (3) year non-recurring term of office. Board of Directors shall not hold concurrent elected RCSW positions.

DELEGATES

Two (2) Delegates of this RCSW to the House of Delegates of the AARC shall be elected as specified in Article VII, Section 5 of the AARC Bylaws. One (1) Junior Delegate will be elected every other year and will serve concurrently with the third and fourth year of the Senior Delegate.

TERM OF OFFICE

The term of office for the Delegates shall be for four (4) years. Delegates shall not serve more than three (3) successive terms of office. Delegates may not hold concurrent elective offices.

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