

Bylaw Amendments Proposed and Approved in 2022.

| ISSUE/RATIONALE FOR CHANGE: | CURRENT PROVISION: | APPROVED CHANGE: |
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| <p>1. Council vacancy is automatically created if a practicing registrant and seated Councillor “retires” from the practice of agrology prior to the expiration of their term on the Council. The amendment clarifies that Councillors in the “elected” category are current registrants (i.e. “members”). The clarification aligns to Section 7 (2) of The Agrologists Act concerning vacancies.</p> <p>2. Bylaw amendment of Article VIII, Elected Councillors-Terms of Office, confirms that while temporary absence (non-attendance) from Council duties may be allowed, the term of a councillor who is temporarily absent cannot be extended.</p> | <p>1. Article II – DEFINITIONS Councillor – a voting member of the Council.</p> <p>2. Article VIII(1)(a) – ELECTED COUNCILLORS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. shall form the majority of total Councillors; ii. shall, in so far as possible, be representative of regional diversity; and iii. shall be elected in such a manner so as to ensure that the terms are staggered as much as possible. <p>3. Article VIII(2) – ELECTED COUNCILLORS-Terms of Office Elected and Appointed Councillors may hold office for no more than two consecutive terms of three years and shall not be eligible for re-election or re-appointment until two years have elapsed since the end of the previous term as Councillor.</p> | <p>1. Article II – DEFINITIONS Councillor – an elected and regulated or appointed voting member of the Council.</p> <p>2. Article VIII(1)(a) – ELECTED COUNCILLORS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. shall form the majority of total Councillors; ii. shall, in so far as possible, be representative of regional diversity; iii. shall be elected in such a manner to ensure that the terms are staggered as much as possible, and iv. shall be regulated and in good standing in accordance with the bylaws, policies, and procedures <p>3. Article VIII(1) – ELECTED COUNCILLORS-Terms of Office</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Elected and Appointed Councillors may hold office for no more than two consecutive terms of three years and shall not be eligible for re-election or re-appointment until two years have elapsed since the end of the previous term as Councillor. b. the term of a Councillor who is temporarily absent cannot be extended. <p style="text-align: right;">[Approved June 07, 2022]</p> |
| <p>3. Clarify the intention of objective (e). Some interpreted the bylaw to mean one of Agrologist Manitoba’s purposes includes supplying professional development/ continuing competence events, activities and educational opportunities for registrants so they can meet their individual requirements. The bylaw, as amended, is intended to be in better alignment with the public interest aspects of the legislation (information about the organization, powers, registered agrologists, requirements for registration and practice).</p> | <p>1. Article III – OBJECTIVES e) providing continuing education about the practice of agrology to the public, employers, clients and regulated members.</p> | <p>1. Article III - OBJECTIVES e) providing information about the practice of agrology to the public, employers, clients and regulated members.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">[Approved September 8, 2022]</p> |