## **Proposed Section VI**

### VI. Officers

## A. Types

- Elected Officers are President and the Board of Directors.
- Appointed Officers are: Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer. They are appointed by the President yearly.

## B. All officers shall:

- Act in the best interest of the club at all times
- Be knowledgeable of club by-laws
- Be knowledgeable of club finances
- Sign a conflict of interest form for the club

## C. Eligibility

All Officers shall be members in good standing for at least one year before beginning their term of service. A member in good standing shall pay dues and act as an interested, contributing member of the Club.

### D. Officer Duties

### 1. President

- Accept and maintain responsibility for the actions of the club
- Develop an agenda and preside over the General Membership Meeting
- Present all club related issues for discussion at meetings and follow through with majority approval
- Make club by-laws accessible to the general membership
- Develop long term and short term goals and lead the club to achieve its goals
- Organize and direct the work of the club's officers and committees
- Assign the responsibility to purchase and distribute volunteer apparel
- Resolve conflicts within the club
- Serve as the "face" of the club

## 2. Vice president:

- Substitute in the absence of the president or as requested by the president
- Work closely with the president in defining the agenda and executing the goals of the club
- Oversee club equipment and storage facility, reporting inventory and any issues to the club
- Advise and establish guidelines for club races and race directors
- Maintain list and applications of future races and submit list to newsletter and website

### 3. Treasurer:

- In accordance with the Club's insurance agency, Road Runners Club of America, the treasurer shall have and pass a financial and criminal background check in order to assume the role
- Maintain financial records
- Conduct financial transactions
- File tax documents
- Collect membership dues and applications
- Forward membership applications to membership coordinator

## 4. Secretary:

- Maintain club by-laws
- Record notes from all meetings
- Submit notes from general meeting to newsletter
- Keep a running operations manual on all club procedures that do not raise to the importance of a bylaw change
- Maintain updated membership application (approval of officers required)

## 5. Board of Directors

- Support the President in developing and achieving the goals of the club
- Organize meetings and methods for conducting the business of the Board
- Meet in February, May, August and November, or as otherwise agreed by the Board
- Shall invite club president to Board meetings
- May invite other club members to Board meetings when appropriate
- Shall require five directors for a quorum
- Shall allow remote attendance for Board meetings
- Directors shall not miss more than 2 board meetings in a 12-month period. Doing so means removal from the Board.

## E. Committee Members

The club may create committees or empower individuals to coordinate specific functions or tasks for the club. Club members in these roles are not officers of the club.

# **Proposed new Section XI**

## XI. Elections

- The club shall conduct an election each year for elected officers. Terms of elected service begin on January 1 and end on December 31.
- The President is elected for a 1-year term.
- Directors on the Board are elected for 2-year terms. There are 9 Directors. Directors' terms are staggered, such that 4 or 5 Directors are elected each year.
- Directors may serve up to 3 consecutive terms. They may serve again after a break of 1 year.
- At the general meeting each September, the club shall specify procedures for nomination and voting in the election. The club shall also appoint a person or persons to implement these procedures.
- Election results shall be announced at the November general meeting.
- All dues-paying club members are eligible to vote in the election.