

Voting Script

Beginning of business meetings:

If a member objects, I will direct the Tech Team to open the polls using Election Buddy.

If, on the other hand, no one objects within 20 seconds, the motion will be adopted.

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During vote:

VOTE President	There is an objection to <i>adopting the credentials report</i> using general consent. <u>Tech Team, please open the voting.</u> The question is on <i>the adoption of the Credentials Report</i>. Delegates please go to your Election Buddy link and submit your vote. If you have not yet clicked “Next Vote,” do so now. Do not forget to click the “submit” button when you have finished preparing your ballot. There will be a warning prior to the vote closing.	
Tech Team	The link for the vote has been sent. <i>[Pause]</i>	
Tech Team	[Checks on the number of ballots received, and verbally reports on the progress of voting (number of voters voting) to President.] <i>Tech Team and President will compare the number of voters to the number that voted in the previous ballots and when it appears that most have voted who intend to,</i> <i>President will say:</i>	

President	Has everyone voted who wishes to do so and is entitled to vote? <i>(Assuming there are no questions or problems....)</i> <u>Tech Team, Please close the polls and give us the results.</u>	
Tech Team	There were ____ votes cast. Of those, ____ were in favor <i>of adoption of the Credentials Report</i> and ____ were opposed to <i>the adoption of the Credentials Report</i>.	
President	<i>[repeat report]</i> There were ____ votes cast. Of those, ____ were in favor <i>of adoption of the Credentials Report</i> and ____ were opposed to <i>the adoption of the Credentials Report</i>.	
President	A majority is in favor, and the <i>Credentials Report is adopted. There is a quorum present.</i> OR A majority is not in favor, and <i>the Credentials Report is not adopted. The Secretary will call the roll of the delegates registered to establish a quorum.</i>	