

Standing Rules for Meetings For the 48th LD Democrats

Rule I Maintaining Order

A Sgt. At Arms may be appointed for General meetings, including virtual meetings to maintain reasonable order, under the direction of the Chair. Members retain their right of appeal, guests may be removed immediately. See Section 61 of Robert's Rules, current version.

Rule II Agenda Amendment Proposals

All major agenda items requiring document review and voting must be suggested to the Chair or the Executive Board 8 days prior to the meeting in order to be considered. This includes any votes on documents that have been previously sent out for review at prior meetings.

Rule III Default Agenda

Opening and Meeting Rules Reminders*
Adoption of Consent Agenda (published 7 days before)*
Elected Officials reports & Guest speakers
Officer Reports
Major item votes (published 7 days before)
Good of the Order
Adjourn*

*Required

Rule IV Timer

A timer shall be appointed as needed.
The default for speakers shall be 2 speakers for, 2 against, 1 minute time at Chair's discretion.
Amendments are not considered part of the debate for or against.

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