

AAA Advisory Council Bylaws Changes from 2015 Version to 2022 Version

Overall Change: Font changed to Arial, 10 pt. font

Article I Changes:

- Name
 - Changed to Sonoma County Area Agency on Aging Advisory Council to better match officially recognized name
- Authorization
 - Fixed grammar and added clarity

Article II Changes:

- Article is now Called “Duties and Powers”
- Removed Section Number Titling
- Simplified into Eight “shall” statements
- Content remains the same, language was modified for grammar and clarity

Article III Changes:

- Removed Section Number Titling; changed to list
- A. Added language from Federal 2020 Older Americans Act Amendment to A-4
- Added B. - D. previously comprised Article IV
- E. Previously existed in Article V; has been shortened and added to Article III
- Added F. as new guidance
- G. Previously existed in Article XII; has been shortened and added to Article III
- H. Previously existed in Article XIV; has been shortened and added to Article III

Article IV Changes:

- All previous content from Article IV has been clarified and relocated to Article III
- New Article Heading: Meetings of the Council and Committees
- Combines, edits, and clarifies language previously found in Articles VIII and XI

Article V Changes:

- All previous content from Article V has been clarified and relocated to Article III
- New Article Heading: Election and Duties of Officers
- Combines, edits, and clarifies language previously found in Article VI

Article VI Changes:

- All previous content from Article VI has been clarified and relocated to Article V
- New Article Heading: Committees
- Combines, edits, and clarifies language previously found in Article XIII

- Removes titles of Standing Committees from Bylaws to allow for changes in standing committee names as the work of the council evolves without requiring changes to bylaws.
- Further clarifies the role and status of Council Workgroups

Article VII Changes:

- All previous content from Article VII has been removed
- New Article Heading: Amendments to Bylaws
- Replaces and simplifies language previously found in Article XV

Article IX – Article Removed. Content moved into Article IV

Article X - Article Removed. Content simplified and moved into Article II

Article XI – Article Removed. Content clarified and moved into Article IV

Article XII – Article Removed. Content clarified and moved into Article III

Article XIII – Article Removed. Content clarified and moved into Article VI

Article XIV – Article Removed. Content clarified and moved into Article III

Article XV – Article Removed. Content simplified and moved into Article VII