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BRPP Committee Report

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BYLAWS, RULES, POLICIES, AND PROCEDURES REPORT

The Bylaws, Rules, Policies, and Procedures Committee has been very busy this year. Below is a list of the resolutions relating to the GPUS rules that came out of the BRPP that we passed by the CC.

BRPP Proposal on Committees (was: Proposal to define the various positions on committees) Adopted Mon 07/07/03
<http://green.gpus.org/vote/displayproposal.php?proposalId=41>

Creation and charge of a USGP Dispute Resolution Committee (DRC) Adopted Sun 11/16/03
<http://green.gpus.org/vote/displayproposal.php?proposalId=56>

Mission, Policies, & Procedures of the Bylaws, Rules, Policies & Procedures Committee Adopted Sun 12/07/03
<http://green.gpus.org/vote/displayproposal.php?proposalId=61>

Proposal to Restructure the Steering Committee Adopted Mon 02/16/04
<http://green.gpus.org/vote/displayproposal.php?proposalId=69>

Creation Of An Green Officeholders Network Adopted Sat 03/13/04
<http://green.gpus.org/vote/displayproposal.php?proposalId=78>

Bylaws amendment on caucuses and resolutions Adopted Mon 03/22/04
<http://green.gpus.org/vote/displayproposal.php?proposalId=77>

Currently the BRPP has before the CC

Process for electing the Steering Committee - Option 1
Floor Manager: Greg Gerritt
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<http://green.gpus.org/vote/displayproposal.php?proposalId=104>





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Process for electing the Steering Committee - Option 2

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Process for electing the Steering Committee - Option 3

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Which are the proposed rules for the election of the Steering Committee, replacing some earlier rules that were incomplete. These proposals are included in your packets and will be voted on during the CC meeting in Milwaukee.

Another project the BRPP completed this year was to review the bylaws and make sure they were properly numbered and posted on the GPUS website. BRPP is also looking at the rules and procedures of the GPUS to make sure those are properly posted as well.

The BRPP participated in discussions around the floor rules for the convention. BRPP did not have primary responsibility for this project but participated in discussions that lead up to the rules that were adopted and did have liaisons to the other committees that were also looking at the floor rules.

The BRPP has additional projects that it continues to work on including a further update on how resolutions can be handled by the CC and whether or not to adopt Roberts Rules of Order as the fall back rules whenever the GPUS does not have a set of rules for a particular circumstance. We shall attempt to stimulate discussion on these topics at the CC meeting and are formulating questions for the CC to help us progress in our work on these topics.

The BRPP primarily develops its own projects, but also responds to requests from the CC when there is a need to develop rules and procedures. Additional members are welcome.

