

**CONSTITUTION
OF THE
OKLAHOMA SECTION
OF THE
AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS**

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ARTICLE I - GENERAL

1.0 Name

The name of this organization shall be the "Oklahoma Section of the American Society of Civil Engineers" (herein after be called the "Section").

The national American Society of Civil Engineers corporation shall herein after be called the "Society".

1.1 Duration

The duration of the Section is perpetual.

1.2 The objective of the Oklahoma Section shall be the advancement of the science and profession of engineering, in a manner consistent with the objective of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

1.5 The Oklahoma Section of the American Society of Civil Engineers shall conform to the Constitution of the American Society of Civil Engineers unless noted otherwise in this document.

ARTICLE II - MEMBERSHIP

2.1 Membership

The membership of the Section shall be restricted to persons who are members of the American Society of Civil Engineers in good standing, of all membership grades, whose addresses, as defined in Article II of the Constitution of the American Society of Civil Engineers, are within the boundaries of Oklahoma, provided that a member who does not subscribe to the Constitution and Bylaws of this Section or who is in arrears more than twelve months in the payment of Section dues shall not vote or hold office in this Section.

2.2 Obligations

All members of the Society must subscribe to the Certificate of Incorporation, Constitution, Bylaws, Code of Ethics and other governing documents of the Society.

3.0 Separations from Membership, Disciplinary Proceedings

3.1 Resignation

Any member of the Society may tender resignation.

3.2 Refer to the Section ByLaws for Actions including expulsion, suspension, or reinstatement.

4.0 Fees and Dues

Refer to the ByLaws for requirements for fees and dues.

5.0 **Management**

The Board of Direction and Executive committee members are defined in the Section ByLaws.

6.0 **Meetings**

Refer to the Section ByLaws for Business Meetings, General Business Meetings, Special Business Meetings, Board of Direction Meetings, and Executive Committee Meetings.

7.0 **Committees, Institutes, Academies, Geographic Units, Foundations, Affiliated and Other Organizational Entities**

7.1 **Organizational Entities**

Committees, Institutes, Academies, Geographic Units, Foundations, Affiliated and other organizational entities of the Section may be established or terminated by the Board of Direction as defined in the Bylaws.

8.0 **Administrative Provisions**

8.1 **Exempt Purposes**

The Section is organized exclusively for charitable, educational, literary and scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Code) (hereinafter, the "Code"). The Section shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

9.0 **Amendments**

9.1 **Bylaws Amendments**

Refer to the Section ByLaws for more information regarding ByLaws amendments.