

DISTRICT II STANDING RULES

NEW MEXICO GARDEN CLUBS, INC. DISTRICT II STANDING RULES

Standing Rules relate to details of administration rather than parliamentary procedure. They may be adopted at any business meeting without notice by a majority vote. They may be amended or rescinded:

1. WITH notice, a majority vote.
 2. WITHOUT notice, requires a 2/3 vote OR the approval of a majority of the entire membership.
- Standing rules remain in effect until rescinded or amended. They do not bind future sessions and may be suspended temporarily with the proper vote. (NMGC, Inc. BYLAWS revised 2013, Section: Standing Rules – page 3.)

1. **Funding District II Meeting:** The District II host club may request a \$200 advance from the District, to be repaid out of any profits from the meeting. The first \$200 profit will be sent to the District Treasurer to replace money advanced for pre-meeting expenses. The remaining profit will be retained by the host club.

District II pays the registration including meals for the District Director, State President and State 1st Vice President when they attend a District II meeting (NMGC, Inc. Bylaws Revised 2013 – Manual Pg. 6 – District Meetings)

2. **Funding Annual Convention/ Fall Board of Directors Meeting:** The first \$200 profit will be sent to the State Treasurer to replace money advanced for pre-convention expenses. The remaining profit will be divided equally between the host district and the state. Likewise, any profit from the Fall Board Meeting will be divided equally between the host district and the state. (Convention Manual Section I pg. 3 and Section II pg. 3; also in the State Manual page 5).

District II will pay for the registration including meals for the District Director, or representative, to the NMGC, Inc. Convention and NMGC, Inc. Fall Board Meeting. Receipts are to be submitted to the District Treasurer within 1 month following the Convention or Meeting.

3. **Ways and Means Funds:** These funds are generated when the District hosts the NMGC, Inc. Convention or NMGC, Inc. Fall Board Meeting and may be used to offset costs of said meetings. Funds generated remain with the host district. (Convention Guide – Section III, pg. 1)
4. **Outgoing District II Director Gift:** The District II Assistant Director shall purchase a State Life Membership for the outgoing District Director prior to the Spring meeting of the election year. If the District Director has a State Life membership, a gift of equivalent monetary value shall be purchased.
5. **District II Scholarship Fund:** Scholarships of up to \$200 per year may be granted to District II members and students attending college in NGC areas of interest. For information and forms contact the Scholarship Chairman. Receipts are to be submitted to the District Treasurer within 1 month after the meeting/purchase.
6. **Flower Show Storage Fees:** \$50 per year is budgeted to store District II Flower Show materials.