

Florida State Association of
PARLIAMENTARIANS



Bylaws



**CALL TO VIRTUAL SPECIAL MEETING
APRIL 24, 2023 at 7:00 PM**

**CONSIDER AND VOTE TO
AMEND AND RESTATE THE ARTICLES OF
INCORPORATION
REVISION OF BYLAWS**

REGISTER FOR THE FSAP SPECIAL MEETING



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Special Rules here.](#)**

**SPECIAL MEETING FOR THE PURPOSE
OF CONSIDERING AND VOTING ON
THE PROPOSED BYLAWS REVISION
AND THE PROPOSED ARTICLES OF
INCORPORATION**

The Bylaws Committee held two Town Meetings to hear comments and suggestions on the proposed revision to the bylaws. The Committee then met and made further adjustments to the document.

Because a revision to the bylaws can engender lengthy proceedings and because this is a very important document, the Bylaws Committee proposed and the Executive Board concurred the revision should be considered and voted on at a



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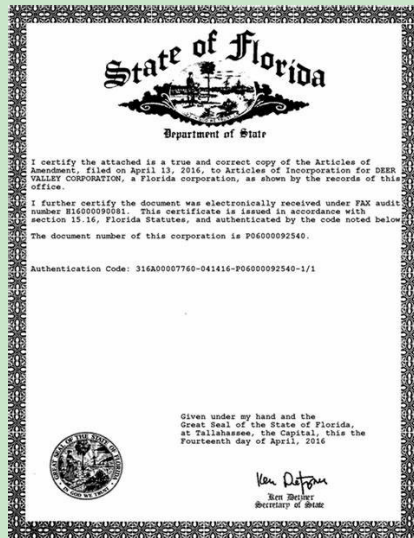
special meeting devoted to this subject to provide the best opportunity for members to participate in this important decision.

In addition, since adoption of the revision to the bylaws would create some inconsistencies between the bylaws and the Articles of Incorporation, it is also necessary to consider the proposed new Articles at this same meeting.

Both documents are provided for FSAP voting members to study and prepare for the meeting.

If you have any questions, contact a Bylaws Committee member:

Edward Nelson, III, PRP Chair	BPBP
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[Download Articles of Incorporation here.](#)

NOTICE OF AMENDING AND RESTATING FSAP ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Just as amending the bylaws allows you to make changes to existing articles and add or strike out others, sometimes it is necessary to amend, add or strike out articles in the Articles of Incorporation.

Because amendments to the Articles are filed with the state of Florida, confusion can arise because the state does not combine these amendments into a single document. Restating the Articles of Incorporation combines everything into one document.

The document submitted for the members of FSAP to consider proposes to Amend and Restate the Articles of Incorporation. This document is similar to a revision of the bylaws.

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- Act now to be eligible for special gifts for the first 25 registered in-person attendees.
- Anticipate random drawings throughout the two-day event for in-person attendees.
- Partake in all-day refreshments on Friday and Saturday.
- Dine on a fabulous lunch on Saturday.
- Congratulate incoming officers at the reception with refreshments.
- Meet members from other units and share strategies for unit success
- Connect with your FSAP officers--those you have only known through Zoom.

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