

CONSTITUTION OF THE ALASKA CHAPTER AMERICAN STATISTICAL ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I - NAME

This organization shall be known as the Alaska Chapter of the American Statistical Association.

ARTICLE II - PURPOSE

The purpose of this organization shall be to foster, in the broadest manner, statistics and its applications, and to promote unity and effectiveness of effort among all people in the state of Alaska having an interest in or being concerned with statistical problems.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

The membership of this organization shall consist of three categories:

1. Regular Members: Persons holding either Full or Affiliate membership in the American Statistical Association.
2. Associate Members: Persons interested in statistics in general or this organization in particular, who are not members of the American Statistical Association.
3. Student Members: Persons who are full-time undergraduate or graduate students at a local college or university. This will include persons who are ASA student members.

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS

Officers of the organization, who shall be Regular members, shall be President, Vice President, Secretary-Treasurer, and Chapter Representative to the ASA Council of Chapters. The Secretary-Treasurer will be elected for two years by majority vote. The office of Vice President will be elected yearly by majority vote, and the Vice President will become President during the second year. The Chapter Representative will be appointed for a three-year term.

ARTICLE V - EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee shall consist of officers under Article IV, one member to be elected during the annual business meeting, and the previous President. Meetings by the Executive Committee shall be held whenever called by the President, or requested by a majority of committee members. The President shall chair the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE VI - COMMITTEES

Committees of the organization shall consist of such special committees as may be appointed by the President.

ARTICLE VII - MEETINGS

There shall be at least one regular meeting per year; to include the annual business meeting during which election of officers shall be held. The Chapter Year shall run from January through December of each year. The date of the Annual meeting shall be set by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE VIII - NATIONAL CONSTITUTION

Any and all provisions of the Constitution of the American Statistical Association shall be considered included herein for use where applicable and necessary.

ARTICLE IX - AMENDMENTS

This Constitution may be amended by an affirmative two-thirds vote of the Regular, Associate, and Student members present at any meeting of this organization including ballots received by mail prior to the meeting, provided notices of such meeting and of the proposed amendment to be voted upon have been distributed at least two weeks before the meeting. Amendments to the national constitution acted upon and passed by the Board of Directors of ASA shall be herein included.