Bylaw Language to Consider
for
Votes Per Household & Active Member Status

Voting-Votes Per Household Sample Language:

Note- unable to locate any bylaws that limit number of votes per household.

“Each Committee member appointed by an LEA governing board shall have the right to cast one vote on issues considered by the Committee, to hold office, and to serve on subcommittees as appointed by the Chairperson.” - Santa Cruz County SELPA

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“Every act, or decision, done or made by a majority of the members present at a meeting duly held at which a quorum is present is the act of the CAC unless bylaws require a greater number.” –Santa Clara Unified School District

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“Each voting member shall be entitled to one (1) vote on each matter that is submitted to a vote of the CAC.” – Natomas Unified School District

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Active Member Sample Language:

Note- Active membership appears to be based on attendance in most bylaws.

“Membership of the Community Advisory Committee may be terminated if:

1. Any member may resign by submitting a written resignation to the Chairperson of the CAC.
2. The member is inactive for three consecutive CAC Business Meetings unless approved by the consensus of the Community Advisory Committee.
3. The member moves from the Local Plan Area.” -Santa Cruz County SELPA

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“Any member who misses two consecutive or three total business meetings or three total business meetings in a year must notify the CAC Chairperson at the time of the second missed meeting regarding his or her ability to continue membership. A member who misses two consecutive or three total business meetings who does not so notify the CAC chairperson to express his or her interest and ability to serve as a CAC member may be removed by vote from CAC membership by vote at a subsequent business meeting.” –Poway Unified School District
“Any member who has three consecutive unexcused absences will be contacted by the Recording Secretary and may be declared to have resigned unless an appeal is made to the CAC.” - Modesto City Schools

"CAC representatives are expected to attend all business and work meetings. If a representative is to be absent s/he is encouraged to call the SELPA Administrator or CAC Chairperson. A member who misses three meetings during the course of a year may be excused and replaced at the discretion of the appointing district." -San Luis Obispo County SELPA

"A member shall no longer hold membership should she/he miss two consecutive business meetings without due cause. The member shall be terminated by written notice from the CAC Chairperson with CAC approval." –Santa Clara Unified School District