

# BPO Elks Grand Lodge Resolution, Voting Results

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2024 Austin, TX		Ballots Cast		2485
Number	Description	YES	NO	% Messages
2024-01	To remove the word indoctrination, which has negative connotations linked to forced acceptance of certain values or beliefs and amend it to the term orientation, which is a familiarization with the organization's principles and beliefs.	2164	291	88% PASS
2024-02	1) To move the control of the assets from the Grand Exalted Ruler's appointed Defunct Lodge Trustees to that of the State Sponsor(s). 2) Lodges and State Associations are both 501(c)(8)s. This change will allow funds to be given to State Associations without placing a restriction on their use if so deemed by the State Sponsor(s).	2203	249	90% PASS
2024-03	To remove the word indoctrination, which has a negative connotation linked to forced acceptance of certain values of beliefs and amend it to the term orientation, which is a familiarization with the organization's principles and beliefs.	2183	275	89% PASS
2024-04	To allow the ability to download and print a current membership application directly from Elks.org.	2239	220	91% PASS
2024-05	To make participation in the physical loss and crime coverage policy procured by Grand Lodge optional for the local Lodges.	970	1470	40% FAIL
2024-06	To allow a Lodge to satisfy the bond requirement for the Lodge Secretary through an outside insurance company.	1072	1384	44% FAIL
2024-07	To allow a Lodge to satisfy the bond requirement for the Lodge Treasurer through an outside insurance company.	1079	1379	44% FAIL
2024-08	To REMOVE the requirement for the Lodge Treasurer to attend all District Deputy Clinics.	1577	869	64% PASS
2024-09	To give the Local Lodges the opportunity to add or not add the Secretary and Treasurer to the Board of Directors.	1892	567	77% PASS
2024-10	To clarify and make uniform the standard of proof at trials before the Grand Forum resulting from any appeal of an Executive Order.	2265	186	92% PASS
2024-11	To clarify and make uniform the standard of proof at trials before the Grand Forum resulting from any appeal of an Executive Order.	2247	203	92% PASS
2024-12	The purpose of this resolution is to clarify and make consistent the process for nominations following the requirement that two meetings be held.	2222	233	91% PASS
2024-13	To make the year-round entry of the charitable service statistics a formal duty of the Secretary.	2139	316	87% PASS
2024-14	Add Section 13.025 - To formalize a standing Government Relations Committee.	2019	437	82% PASS
2024-15	Amendment to Section 13.020 - To formalize a standing Government Relations Committee.	2017	432	82% PASS
2024-16	Amendment to Section 13.021 - To formalize the Soccer Shoot Program within the Laws of the Order.	2153	298	88% PASS
2024-17	Amendment to Section 18.020 - To formalize the Soccer Shoot Program within the Laws of the Order.	2141	306	87% PASS
2024-18	To clarify the role of the Exalted Ruler as an ex officio member of the Board of Trustees and a voting member of the Board of Directors of an incorporated lodge.	2243	211	91% PASS
2024-19	To provide a right of due process, hearing, and appeal to a member who is subject to expulsion from membership for an undisclosed felony conviction.	1962	273	88% PASS
2024-20	To clarify the appellate jurisdiction and review process of the Grand Forum over appeals of an Order entered under the revised GLS 9.090.	1986	233	89% PASS
2024-21	To make a record of the preliminary hearing	2124	89	96% PASS