

## 2020 PROPOSED BYLAW REVISION

### Current Bylaws

#### Article III – Structure Section 2 – Organization

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#### Article V – Convention Section 4 – National Convention

Districts may authorize one (1) certified delegate from each zone having ten (10) or fewer units and one (1) certified delegate for each additional ten (10) units, or major fraction thereof, as of January 1 in the year of the convention.

#### Article VII – Duties of Officers Section 9 – Treasurer

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#### Article X – Special Appointed Personnel Add – Section -6 Personnel Records Liaison

### If Adopted Will Read

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e. Remit quarterly to the LWML **Financial Secretary** twenty-five (25%) or more of all regular mite offerings.

#### Article X – Special Appointed Personnel Section – 6- Personnel Records Liaison

**The Personnel Records Liaison shall:**

- a. **Be responsible for ordering the Lutheran Women's Quarterlies as requested by societies.**
- b. **Receive and record societies' and zone officers' rosters yearly.**
- c. **Receive and report any changes in the status of societies to the District President and Board of Directors.**
- d. **Maintain, update and report changes in District, and Zone Officers to the District Board of Directors as they occur via e-mail.**

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**Section 1 - Composition**

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**Article XV – Special Committees**  
**Section 3 – Finance Committee**  
Add – d

**Section 5 – Special Gift Fund Committee**  
**“Lydia’s Legacy”**  
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**Conforming Amendments**

If the amendment is adopted, the same change will be made in Article III Section 2; Section 4-b; Article IV – b,c,d,e; Article V - Section 3 -c; Article VII – Section 7- e,f; Article XVIII -Section 1 -a.

**Article XV – Special Committees**  
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Add – d. Monitor gifts received according to policies identified in Leaders Guide.

**Section 5 – Special Gift Fund Committee**  
**“Lydia’s Legacy”**  
Add – e. Promote and monitor the LWML Michigan District Gift Acceptance Policy according to the guidelines approved by the District Board of Directors and printed in District’s Leaders Guide.