

BYLAWS
of
KOREAN-AMERICAN SCIENTISTS AND ENGINEERS ASSOCIATION
SILICON VALLEY CHAPTER
(“KSEA-SiV”)

ARTICLE 1. Referenced Bylaws

The bylaws of Korean-American Scientists and Engineers Association Silicon Valley Chapter (“KSEA-SiV) shall essentially follow the bylaws of Korean-American Scientists and Engineers Association (“KSEA”) except the modifications and localizations specified in ARTICLE 2 – ARTICLE 6 below.

ARTICLE 2. Membership

A KSEA-SiV member shall be a KSEA member who indicated KSEA-SiV as his/her local chapter regardless where he/she resides.

ARTICLE 3. Meeting of Members (“General Assembly”)

1. **Annual Meeting:** Members shall meet annually preferably in April and no later than June 30 for the purpose of electing Chapter President and transacting other businesses if any.
2. **Special Meeting:** Special meeting, physical or electronic, may be initiated at any time by (i) a majority of Officers or by (ii) Chapter President at the request of at least one-tenth (1/10) of the voting regular members (as defined in the Bylaws of KSEA).
3. **Quorum:** Presence, including signed or electronic proxy and electronic presence (call, video conference, email, etc.) of **one-tenth** (1/10), but **no less than ten** (10), of the voting members constitutes a quorum.
4. **Voting:** Elections and business matters except establishment or revision of the bylaws shall be decided by a **majority** vote of present members (see ARTICLE 3-3). In case of a tie, Chapter President shall have the deciding power.
5. **Voting for Bylaws:** Establishment or revision of the bylaws shall be decided by a **two-thirds (2/3) majority** vote of present members. In case of a tie, Chapter President shall have the deciding power.

ARTICLE 4. Officers and Auditors

Officers of KSEA-SiV consist of Chapter President and Vice Presidents, and shall plan and execute KSEA-SiV activities and official business.

Auditors shall conduct independent reviews of financial records and report at the annual meeting.

1. **Chapter President (“President”):** President shall be elected at the annual General Assembly. President shall have the signing authority.
2. **Vice Presidents:** A number of Vice Presidents shall be nominated by President as needed.
3. **Auditors:** Two (2) Auditors shall be nominated by President.
4. **Term for President:** The term for President is **one year** and, in principle, one person shall serve only **one (1) term** as President. In exceptional circumstances, the same person may be elected to serve two (2) consecutive terms.
6. **Term for Vice Presidents and Auditors:** There is no specified term for Vice Presidents and Auditors.
7. **Compensation:** There shall be **no compensation or salary** for Officers and Auditors.

ARTICLE 5. Special Subsidy of Membership Dues

1. **Membership Dues for Officers and Auditors:** KSEA-SiV shall subsidize the membership dues for Officers and Auditors.
2. **Membership Dues for Volunteers:** KSEA-SiV may, if budget is allowed, subsidize the membership dues for the members or non-members who choose to become members volunteering for KSEA-SiV events.

ARTICLE 6. Expense Reimbursement

A KSEA-SiV member shall be entitled to reimbursement for reasonable expenses incurred while conducting official KSEA-SiV business.