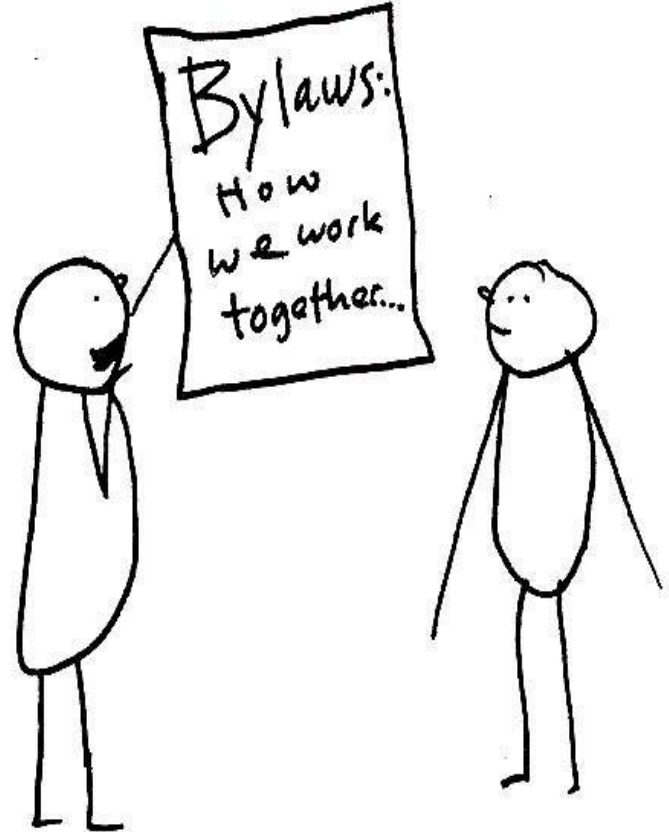


A Primer on Bylaws

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Session 1: Your Branch Bylaws

What You Need to Know
Presented by Janice McCloud,
AAUW Ohio President



A Primer on Bylaws: What You Need to Know

All branches and states are required to adopt a new set of model bylaws by
June 30, 2026.

A Primer on Bylaws: What you need to know:

The national AAUW website offers a set of branch bylaws. (When you access this site, you will note that branches are called affiliates). You can find these by googling AAUW Bylaws Toolkit or accessing aauw.org

A Primer on Bylaws: What you need to know:

Follow the link and download the Word document with the Affiliate Model Bylaws. Edit the document so the title reads:

Bylaws of the American Association of University Women of
YOUR AFFILIATE, OHIO

Read through and insert your affiliate name in the remaining two places on the first page.

A Primer on Bylaws: What you need to know:

If the first 7 articles remain as they are, without changes, we believe that you will be in compliance with AAUW national's request.

Submit updated bylaws to connect@aauw.org (National AAUW) and to Nancy Stellhorn at nstell256@gmail.com (AAUW Ohio)

A Primer on Bylaws: What you need to know:

You are free to add other articles to your bylaws as long as they comply with state and local law requirements and are not in conflict with AAUW national bylaws/and/or policies.

NEXT WEEK: Part 2, FEBRUARY 24, 2025

Bylaws: An Uncomplicated Rulebook.

AAUW Ohio Bylaws Chair Nancy Stelhorn, Presenter

Part 3, MARCH 3, 2025 Policy Books: How to Implement
Bylaws

Carolyn Reams Smith, Bylaws Committee Member, Presenter