

# Metro District Constitution and By-laws

February 2017

## ARTICLE 1. NAME

The name of this organization shall be the "Metro Youth Soccer District". Here after referred to as MYSD.

## ARTICLE 2. PURPOSE

The purpose of this organization shall be to provide the youth of Milwaukee County and the Metro area competitive and recreational soccer.

## ARTICLE 3. TERRITORY

The territory shall include Milwaukee County and the Milwaukee Metro area.

## ARTICLE 4. AFFILIATION

The MYSD is an affiliated district of the Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association. This means that the MYSD is affiliated with the Wisconsin Soccer Association, the United States Youth Soccer Association, and the United States Soccer Federation.

## ARTICLE 5. HEADQUARTERS

The MYSD headquarters are located at 6520 West Layton Avenue, suite # 201, Greenfield Wisconsin 53220; within the office with the Wisconsin Soccer Association,

## ARTICLE 6. OFFICERS

The Officers of the MYSD will make up the Executive Board of the MYSD, and shall be the President, the Vice President, the Secretary the Treasurer, Game Commissioners , and District Registrar.

6.1 President: The President of the MYSD shall be elected to a 2 year term in even numbered years. The President will be the presiding officer at all MYSD meetings. The President of the MYSD shall represent the MYSD on the Metro Amateur Board.

6.2 Vice President: The Vice President of the MYSD shall be elected to a 2 year term in odd numbered years. The Vice President shall assume the duties of the President when the President is unavailable.

6.3 Treasurer The Treasurer shall be elected to a 2 year term in odd numbered years. The Treasurer shall keep records of all money taken in by the MYSD, and all money spent by the MYSD district. He/She will prepare a budget for the District and any leagues the MYSD runs.

6.4 Secretary The Secretary will keep track of any correspondence that involves the MYSD. The MYSD Secretary will be elected to a 2 year term in even numbered years. The MYSD Secretary will take minutes of the MYSD meetings.

6.5 Game Commissioners: The Game Commissioners will be appointed by the MYSD membership. They will be the MYSD representatives to the Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association Board of Trustees. The MYSD will send the Game Commissioners to the USYSA Workshop in the spring of the year. The Game Commissioners will schedule the league games. They will arrange for referees to be assigned to MYSD League games.

6.6 Registrar: The Registrar will be appointed by the MYSD membership. He/she shall be responsible to Registration of all players, and coaches. It will be the responsibility of the registrar to forward the players and coaches registration information to the Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association.

ARTICLE 7. **MEMBERSHIP**

All Soccer Clubs residing in the domicile of the Metro Youth Soccer District, and the Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association 1989 Grandfathered Clubs, held in good standings.

ARTICLE 8. **AUTHORITY**

This organization shall be governed by this constitution and by its approved By-laws, Rules and Regulations, all of which are subject to the rules and regulations of the Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association and the USYSA. The authority of this organization, except where otherwise delegated herein, is vested in the Executive Board, and the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors consists of one representative from each MYSD Club.

ARTICLE 9. **MEETINGS**

The MYSD Board of Directors will meet twice per seasonal soccer year. The meetings shall be in the fall, and in the spring. All member clubs must have a representative present at the meeting or a \$50.00 fine may be assessed against the club.

ARTICLE 10. **AMENDMENTS**

This constitution may be amended by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the entire voting power of the Board of Directors and the Executive Board.

### **By-Laws Rules and Regulation**

ARTICLE 1. **RULES OF ORDER**

All meetings of the MYSD shall be conducted in accordance with Robert's Rules of Order.

ARTICLE 2. **QUORUM**

50% plus one voting member of MYSD Clubs of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE 3. **ANNUAL DUES**

***No Longer Apply***

ARTICLE 4. **DISCIPLINE (FINES)**

Any fines leveled against a club shall be the responsibility of that club.

ARTICLE 5. **NEW MEMBERS**

Any club wishing to join the MYSD must do so in writing to The Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association State Board. Included in this mailing must be a copy of the club's Constitution and By-Laws, and a one time application fee.

ARTICLE 6. **UNSPECIFIED MATTERS**

The MYSD Executive Board is fully empowered to decide matters not specifically provided for in this Constitution, By-Laws, and Rules and Regulations of this association.

### **Information**

*Registered Clubs:*

Bavarian Soccer Club, Club Deportivo Azteca, Club Latino Soccer Club, Croatian Eagles Soccer Club, Football Club Wisconsin, Milwaukee Sport Club, Parkland Soccer Club, Polonia Sport Club, Racine Spartans Soccer Club, United Serbian Youth Soccer Club, Washington County Football Club.

*Fees:*