

SOUTHERN REGIONAL COUNCIL MEMBER

QUALIFICATIONS:

Active member of NRPA and of state Association or branch
Commitment to promoting parks and recreation and goals of NRPA
Willingness to devote time and energy in serving as liaison between council and members being represented.

ELECTION AND TERM:

Members from state are elected by NRPA members within the state. Branch representatives appointed by branch president. Three year terms begin and end with respective state election process.

COUNCIL MEMBERS TASKS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Report state/branch issues and information to NRPA
- Report actions and issues of NRPA to state/branch
- Communicate with governing body of state or branch
- Serve on regional and national committees of NRPA
- Assist NRPA in reviewing national concerns, issues and problems and provide regional, state and branch input
- Assist in the promotion and development of regional and national programs and projects
- Assist in membership development
- Assist the national and states in promoting a high level of public awareness of recreation and parks
- Accept the responsibility for being informed about the national association and the regional council and their interpretation to current and potential members
- TRPA elected SRC representatives vote and serve on TRPA's elected board of directors
- Meetings you are expected to attend:
 - ◊ Southern Regional Council (beginning of April)
 - ◊ NRPA's National Congress (mid-late October)
 - ◊ All TRPA Board meetings

SOUTHERN REGIONAL COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE - PROFESSIONAL:

CHARTER AND BY-LAWS ENABLING BASIS:

Charter, Article VI: Section 1 (is a member of the TRPA Executive Board, voting privilege)
By-laws, Article II: Section 2 (election and responsibilities)
By-laws, Article V: Section 9 (term of office, duties)

OTHER DUTIES:

- ◊ Attend all meetings of the NRPA Southern Regional Council
- ◊ Coordinate with other SRC representatives to provide NRPA updates to Southern Region Council, Executive Director and magazine editor
- ◊ Provide a written report on NRPA activities for each Executive Board meeting
- ◊ Notify Awards and Citations Committee Chair of NRPA awards specifics and other opportunities for TRPA recognition
- ◊ Attend all board meetings
- ◊ Submit goals and objectives for the year by the President's Assembly
- ◊ Prepare annual budget by the President's Assembly
- ◊ Review entire Board Manual for thorough understanding of Association goals and procedures
- ◊ Submit an annual report to President prior to annual meeting

SOUTHERN REGIONAL COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE - CITIZEN

OTHER DUTIES:

- ◇ Should attend all TRPA Executive Board meetings.
- ◇ Should attend all meetings of the NRPA Southern Regional Council.
- ◇ Coordinate with other SRC representatives to provide NRPA updates to the Southern Region Council, TRPA Executive Board and magazine editor.
- ◇ Submit goals and objectives for the year by the President's Assembly.
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- ◇ Review entire Board Manual for thorough understanding of Association goals and procedures.
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