

Proposed Amendments
Bylaws Of
Killeen Association of Texas Professional Educators

Proposed Amendment No. 1

Article III

Section 3: Election and Term of Office

- (a) The term of office for each elected officer shall be one year, beginning the first day of August and ending the last day of July the following year, but the incumbent shall hold office until his or her successor shall have been duly elected and installed.
- (b) Only Professional, Administrator, Associate or Retired Members of Killeen ATPE may hold elective office.
- (c) The President shall appoint a nominating committee during the fall semester of each year for the express purpose of suggesting a slate of candidates for each office.
- (d) A list of nominated candidates shall be given to members ten (10) days prior to voting.
- (e) The election will be held during the spring semester General Membership meeting each year. Alternatively, the election may be conducted by mail, email, or other means established by the Executive Committee, provided the election process, as described by these bylaws, is followed.
- (f) During that meeting, but prior to the actual time of voting, additional nominations may be submitted from the floor. Election requires a simple majority vote of the members present and voting.

Rationale: Allows members in the new Administrator membership category the right to serve as officers. Allows the Executive Board to order an alternative method of calling an election in the event it is not possible to hold a physical meeting.