

Bone Marrow Drive Constitution

Article I - Name and Purpose

Section I

This Organization shall be known as the Bone Marrow Drive.

Section II

The purpose of this organization shall be to 1) Promote the education of the NCSU Students and Faculty on the importance of Bone Marrow Registration, especially minorities, and 2) To plan, fund, and execute an on-campus Bone Marrow Drive each year.

Article II - Membership

Section I

Membership shall be open to all regularly enrolled students who are interested in the education and execution of Bone Marrow related activities.

Section II

Members will be selected via request by the prospective member(s), and approval of existing members.

Article III - Officers

Section I

The elected officers of the organization shall be the 1) President, to oversee the officers and members and provide a figurehead for the organization, 2) Vice President, to provide secondary leadership and take on the duties of the President should (s)he be unable to perform them, and to oversee committees, 3) Secretary, to be responsible for intra-organization communication, correspondence outside of the club, and record-keeping (except for financial records), and 4) Treasurer, to be responsible for all matters financial, including keeping of organization accounts and funds. Other positions within the organization, either temporary or permanent, shall be created at the approval of the majority of the organization's discretion.

Section II

The officers of the club shall be elected by the club members to serve a term of

one year during the fall semester. Prospective officers shall submit their requests for officerhood to the secretary not later than the day preceding the election of officers. Officers shall be limited to 4 (four) years of service, and must be a registered member of the Bone Marrow Drive for not less than 1 (one) month preceding the elections.

Article IV - Dues

Section I

No member of the Bone Marrow Drive shall be required to make any monetary compensation for their continued participation in the organization.

Article V - Amending the Constitution

Section I

Amendments to the constitution of the Bone Marrow Drive shall be presented to the secretary by one or more registered members of the club in writing not less than 1 (one) week before the next regularly scheduled meeting. The secretary shall distribute the prospective amendment to the body of the organization for review. At the next club meeting, the amendment will be discussed and, pending a 2/3 majority vote, added to the constitution. In the event that the amendment is not submitted at least 1 (one) week preceding the next regularly scheduled meeting, the amendment shall be tabled until all registered members have had sufficient time to review the prospective amendment.

Article VI - Meetings

Section I

The Bone Marrow Drive shall meet Wednesday evenings at a location to be determined by the President or Secretary. Other meetings will be scheduled as deemed necessary by the organization.

Article VII - Committees

Section I

Committees shall be formed on an as-needed basis, pending a 2/3 vote by the Bone Marrow Drive. Each committee shall have a committee chairperson, who may not be the President or Vice President. Committee chairpersons shall report directly to

the Vice President.