

SUMMARY of AMENDMENTS and CHANGES

Combat Veterans Motorcycle Association Chapter 27-3 By-laws 3 January 2020.

- **HEADING** -Central of Virginia Chapter 27-3 ~~to~~ Central Virginia CVMA Chapter 27-3
- 27-3 ~~to~~ 27-3, thru out the by-laws
- **Section 1.1-** Central of Virginia Chapter 27-3 ~~to~~ Central Virginia Chapter 27-3
- **Section 1.3-** Central Virginia Chapter 27-3 of the Combat Veterans Motorcycle Association will be located at the following address: ~~to~~ CVMA 27-3 will be located at the following address:
- **ADD Section 3.2 (m)-** Life Membership: 1. Requirements: a) Must be a member of the CVMA for 3 years. b) Must be in good standing for all 3 years. c) Must attend at least 1 sanctioned CVMA event per year, 1 of which must be a National Meeting. Deployment into a hostile fire zone supersedes all sanctioned CVMA events. 2. Cost: a) Cost for life membership is \$100. b) If a Life Member (LM) quits for any reason or the member is removed from the CVMA rolls for any reason, no refunds will be made. 3. An LM that can no longer ride due to health reasons may, at their discretion, remain a member in good standing with full privileges' and may keep their patch.
- **ADD Section 3.3 (f)** Auxiliary members will read and abide by all CVMA National and National Auxiliary Bylaws applicable to them.
- **Section 3.3 (g)-** Auxiliary members cannot hold any officer or director position on the CVMA. ~~to~~ Auxiliary members cannot hold any officer or appointed position in the CVMA.
- **ADD Section 3.3(h) -** Life Membership: 1. Requirements: a) Must be a member of the CVMA for 3 years. b) Must be in good standing for all 3 years. c) Must attend at least 1 sanctioned CVMA event per year, 1 of which must be a National Auxiliary Meeting. d) Member's Sponsor must already be a LM or concurrently applying for life membership. 2. Cost: a) Cost for life membership is \$100. b) If a LM quits for any reason, is no longer qualified as an AM (e.g. divorced), or the Sponsor Member quits or is removed from the CVMA rolls for any reason, no refunds will be made.
- **ADD Section 4.8-** Official Chapter Communication (Google Group Mail)
The Google group e-mail will not be used to express personal disagreements with CVMA 27-3 decisions, talk about personal problems within the chapter, use foul language or make statements that would be offensive or disrespectful to others. Any member(s) of 27-3 who has concerns, grievance or complaint about any action in word or deed by the chapter leadership will address it directly to the appropriate CEB officer either by phone, personal e-mail or in person. Violation of the use of the google group e-mail for any other reason as stated above will result in suspension of the member's access to the group as deemed appropriate by the Chapter Commander. Violation of the use of the google group e-mail can also be a violation of Article 3.7 "Misconduct" for failure to abide by these written Bylaws and bringing dishonor to CVMA 27-3 in written word by means of Google group e-mail.
- **Remove Section 5.4 (c) -** Charter Member names
- **ADD Section 9.11 (e)** Reports to the Chapter Treasurer
- **Section 13.5-**The CEB has the Commander and Executive Officer have individual authority to obligate no more than \$200.00 from the discretionary fund, the treasurer will report set expenditures and to the membership approved by the members at the next chapter posted meeting. The voting members of the CEB will approve / disapprove the expenditure of discretionary funds either electronically or in person. ~~to~~ The CC and XO have individual authority to obligate no more than \$200.00 from the discretionary fund, the Treasurer will report the expenditures to the

Chapter membership at the next Chapter meeting. The voting members of the CEB will approve/disapprove the expenditure of discretionary funds either electronically or in person.

- **Section 16.1-** (a). These Bylaws maybe altered or repealed and changes, new amendments, and/or Bylaws adopted at any properly announced CVMA 27-3 Special meeting by a two thirds, 2/3 vote of the members present. (b). Directors can revise the bylaws for the purpose of clarification of a section and/or conflicting article. ~~-to-~~ a. These bylaws may be altered or repealed. b. Changes and/or amendments must be adopted at a properly announced CVMA 27-3 designated or Special Meeting with a 2/3 vote of the members present. c. CEB can revise the bylaws for the purpose of clarification of a section and/or conflicting article. d. Amendments to these bylaws will be submitted to the NBOD after a Chapter vote of approval for review and approval before inclusion into the bylaws.
- **Section 16.2** Approved and accepted amendments take effect immediately unless a specific date/effective date is called for with the By Law Change or Amendment. ~~-to-~~ Approved and accepted amendments take effect immediately unless a specific date is called for within the bylaw change or amendment.
- **Section 16.3** Any proposed changes to any Article and/or Section of the CVMA 27-3 Bylaws will be discussed and voted on by a quorum at a designated or special chapter meeting. ~~-to-~~ Any proposed changes to any Article and/or Section of the CVMA 27-3 Bylaws will be discussed and voted on by the members present at a designated or Special Chapter meeting.

- **Construction and Terms**

The undersigned certifies that they are the Secretary/Adjutant of Combat Veterans Motorcycle Association Virginia Chapter 27-3, a Virginia nonprofit/non-stock corporation, and that as such they are authorized to execute this certification on behalf of said Corporation, and further certifies that the foregoing Bylaws, consisting of 17 articles and 20 pages, including this page constitute the Bylaws of the Corporation as of this date, duly adopted by the Directors of the Corporation and the Chapter Members at their regular meeting on 12th day of February 2012, as amended from time to time prior to the date hereof.

Amended Date 5 June 2018

Revised Date 3 January 2020

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CVMA 27-3 Secretary/Adjutant

Central Virginia Chapter (27-3)

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