

The purpose of this bylaw change is to add Collector and Pledge Secretary to the list of elected positions for which the Leadership Development and Resource Team (LDR) search and nominate candidates for the Congregational vote at the Annual Meeting. The current bylaws have no mention of Pledge Secretary and the Collector(s) are appointed by the Board. If the bylaw changes are approved, they will go into effect on July 1, 2022.

ARTICLE VI. CONGREGATIONAL MEETINGS, Section 1. Regular Meetings, Item a;

Current: a) Officers, Trustees, Endowment Committee, Leader Development and Resource Committee (LDR), Membership Committee, and Personnel Committee members shall be elected at the Annual Meeting. Terms of office will take effect on July 1st.

Modified: a) Officers, Trustees, Pledge Secretary, Collector(s), Endowment Committee, Leader Development and Resource Committee (LDR), Membership Committee, and Personnel Committee members shall be elected at the Annual Meeting. Terms of office will take effect on July 1st.

Adjust item letter sequence accordingly.

ARTICLE VII. BOARD OF TRUSTEES, Section 3. Responsibilities, Item g;

Remove: g) It shall appoint members as Collectors to receive and deposit funds

Add this new Article;

ARTICLE X. OTHER POSITIONS

Section 1. Collectors

- a) There shall be one or more Collector(s) to receive and deposit funds.
- b) The Collector(s) shall be elected at the Annual Meeting to serve a term of three (3) years. The term will take effect on July 1st.
- c) A Collector must be a member of the congregation.
- d) A Collector shall only hold one elected position at any time.
- e) Collector policies and procedures shall be established by the Finance Committee and approved by the Board of Trustees.

Section 2. Pledge Secretary

- a) There shall be a Pledge Secretary to receive and record financial pledges.
- b) The Pledge Secretary shall be elected at the Annual Meeting to serve a term of three (3) years. The term will take effect on July 1st.
- c) The Pledge Secretary must be a member of the congregation.
- d) The Pledge Secretary shall only hold one elected position at any time.
- e) Pledge Secretary policies and procedures shall be established by the Finance Committee and approved by the Board of Trustees.

Adjust article numeral sequence accordingly.