



## **Pacific Northwest Motorcycle Association**

### Constitution

- 1.) The organization shall be known as Pacific Northwest Motorcycle Association hereinafter referred to as the "club"
- 2.) The purposes of the club is
  - a.) To represent the interests of on and off road riding enthusiasts by providing a broad range of activities and to hold, host or schedule varied types of competitive and noncompetitive events to encourage members of all ages and levels of riding interest and capabilities.
  - b.) To foster community spirit through organizing related community sports events.
  - c.) To have no restrictions other than that members interest in working towards club objective.
- 3.) It is a provision of the Constitution that Executive members of the club shall carry on without purpose of gain for its individual members and any profits of accretions to the club shall be used solely for promoting its purposes. This provision is unalterable.

Dated this 29<sup>th</sup> August 2005



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By-Laws

### **ARTICLE 1 - INTERPRETATION:**

1.1.) The Pacific Northwest Motorcycle Association will be referred to in these by-laws as the PN.

### **ARTICLE 2 – MEMBERSHIP:**

2.1.) Membership in the PN shall be limited.

2.2.) Every member shall uphold the Constitution and comply with these by laws.

2.3.) All members are in good standing except a member who has failed to pay his current annual membership fee or any other subscription or debt due and owing him to the PN and the member is not in good standing so long as the debt remains unpaid.

2.4.) PN membership will be terminated

- a.) by delivering a letter of resignation to an Executive Director,
- b.) in the case of a clubs dissolution,
- c.) on being expelled.
- d.) on having been a member not in good standing for three consecutive months.

2.5.) A member may be expelled with cause by a special resolution of the members passed at an executive meeting.

2.6.) The PN's Executive Directors has the discretion to accept or reject an application for membership in the PN.

### **ARTICLE 3 – MEMBERSHIP FEES:**

3.1.) The annual membership fees shall be established by the Executive Directors subject to a majority vote at the Annual General Meeting of the PN. All membership shall be for a period of one calendar year, January 1st to December 31st.

### **ARTICLE 4-MEETINGS:**

4.1.) General meetings of the PN shall be held at such time and place as the

Executive decide.

4.2.) The Directors may, when they think fit, convene an extraordinary general meeting with 14 days notice.

4.3.) A quorum is (5) members present or a greater number that the members may determine at a general meeting.

4.4.) The President, Vice President or, in the absence of both, one of the other Executive Directors present, must preside as chair of a general meeting.

4.5.) Voting privileges at general meetings and all meetings shall be on the basis of one vote per member club in good standing.

4.6.) Voting is by show of hands or proxy.

#### **ARTICLE 5 - DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS:**

5.1.) The Directors and Officers shall be elected for a term of two years by nomination from the floor at the Annual General Meeting and elected by acclamation, otherwise it must be by ballot.

5.2.) Executive Director positions must occur in alternate years.

5.3.) The Executive Directors shall consist of President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer.

5.4.) The Officers shall consist of Pointskeeper, Web Master, and Director of Insurance. Further Officers as required.