

**VOTING METHOD**

The board shall take action by way of motions. No motion may be acted upon until it has been duly seconded by a member of the board. The vote on all motions shall be by "yes" and "no" and will be taken by a show of hands. Following each vote, the president shall announce that the motion carried or failed by a vote of \_\_\_\_\_ affirmative votes to \_\_\_\_\_ negative votes. The minutes shall indicate whether a motion passed or failed. Each board member shall have the privilege of explaining for the record any vote, be it affirmative, negative or abstaining.

Any abstaining vote shall be counted as a "no" vote. (See KSA 72-8205)

Any member may declare a conflict of interest in a particular issue and shall leave the meeting until the matter is concluded. The minutes shall reflect the fact that a particular member has declared a conflict of interest and left.