

District 70 Council Meeting and Voting Proxies

Voting members of the District 70 Council are the Club Presidents, Vice Presidents Education, and the members of the District Executive Committee: District Governor, Lt. Governor Education and Training, Lt. Governor Marketing, the Immediate Past District Governor, Public Relations Officer, Secretary, Treasurer, Division Governors, and Area Governors.

Either the Club President or the Club Vice President Education may designate, in writing, any active member in good standing of the Club to act as a proxy or proxies, and cast one or both ballots of the Club at the District Council meeting. In the event that one of those Officers is not in attendance at the meeting and has not designated, in writing, an active member of the Club to act as proxy or proxies of the Club at any Council meeting, the other Officer in attendance may cast two votes. The intent is to assure that every Club will be able to cast two votes.

A written proxy, to be valid at a District Council meeting, must contain the following details

- (a) District number
- (b) Description of event
- (c) Date and location of meeting
- (d) Club name and number
- (e) Name of Club representative, or proxy holder
- (f) Signature of authorization of Club Officer and Office held, and
- (g) The date the credential/proxy is signed.

It must be delivered personally, by mail, by fax, by E-mail, by electronic transmission, or by other reasonable means to the Club member who will hold the proxy. The Proxy Form below may be used for this purpose. The proxy holder must present the proxy in paper form (i.e., print out an E-mail) to the Voting Rights Desk. If the proxy does not bear a handwritten signature, it must have the typed name of the Club Officer(s) giving the proxy or some other indication that the Club Officer(s) authorized the proxy to be given. A proxy holder cannot transfer or assign a proxy to someone else. A valid proxy delivered to the proxy holder is revoked only if the Club Officer who gave the proxy takes one of the following subsequent actions: he or she destroys the proxy, cancels the proxy in writing, issues another proxy authorized at a later date, or actually attends the District Council meeting.

Each member of the District Council, or Club proxy for the Club President or Vice President Education as authorized above, in attendance is entitled to one vote. Any active member who carries the proxies of both the Club President and the Vice President Education from the Club is entitled to two votes; and any such Toastmaster who is also a member of the District Executive Committee is entitled to three votes. All other Toastmasters shall be limited to a maximum of two votes, regardless of the number of Clubs to which they belong. A Toastmaster belonging to two or more Clubs may cast one vote for each of two Clubs, but again is limited to a maximum of two votes. (The maximum number of votes that any Toastmaster may cast is three, regardless of the number of Clubs to which that Toastmaster belongs.)

Club Name _____ Club No. _____ Area _____ Division _____

I _____ being the President of the above Club nominate

_____ to carry my proxy for the District 70 Council Meeting

to be held on _____ at _____
(insert date) (insert Council Meeting venue)

President's Signature Delegate's Signature _____ / ____ / ____
Date

Club Name _____ Club No. _____ Area _____ Division _____

I _____ being the Vice President Education of the above Club nominate

_____ to carry my proxy for the District 70 Council Meeting

to be held on _____ at _____
(insert date) (insert Council Meeting venue)

Vice President Education's Signature Delegate's Signature _____ / ____ / ____
Date
