

The LIFE of a MACD RESOLUTION

June 2009

Resolutions are created & passed by a District before the Area meeting, usually at the July, August, or September District meeting

- Send an electronic copy to the Area meeting Host and MACD as soon as your resolution passes

**In July of each year the Host of the Area Meeting should send out a reminder to Districts in the Area seeking resolutions.
At the Area Meeting...**

- May be passed, killed or amended by a simple majority vote
- MACD sends all resolutions to each District after the last Area mtg.

At the Board of Directors and Committee Chairs conference call...

- Resolutions are assigned to the committee that will hear the resolution; a copy will be sent to the committee chair and committee members

At the Committee Meeting during the MACD convention...

- May be amended or combined with others, but cannot be killed if it was passed at area meetings
- Committee makes recommendation “in favor” or “opposed”
- A resolution may be introduced by a Supervisor at this Committee meeting. The resolution should be previously approved by a District.

On the floor at the Business Session at the MACD convention...

- May be passed, killed, or amended
- No new resolutions may be introduced on the floor

At the Board of Directors and Committee Chairs meeting after the MACD convention...

- To determine what action should be taken