# By-Laws <br> of <br> Carolina Dreamers <br> Bluffton, South Carolina 

## Article I.

Name and Insignia
Section 1. The Name of the Club Shall Be "Carolina Dreamers."
Section 2. This club shall have such official insignia as the membership determines.

## Article II.

Purpose
Section 1. To promote interest in various types of special automobile activity.
Section 2. To create fellowship and sportsmanship.
Section 3. To uphold the principals of good government.
Section 4. To conduct club operations and activities in such a manner as to bring about a clearer understanding of the public press and law enforcement agencies of organized special interest auto activities.

Section 5. To promote safety in automobile maintenance and operation.

Article III
Meeting
Section 1. A majority of the active members in good standing shall constitute a quorum.
Section 2. Regular membership meetings shall be held on the second Wednesday of each month.

Section 3. Special membership meetings and special board of directors meetings must be called by the president.

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## Article IV

## Officers

Section 1. The elected officers of this club shall be president, vice president, secretary, and treasurer.

Section 2. The board of directors, consisting of three members, are appointed by the president for that term.
Section 3. The executive committee consists of the officers and the board of directors

## Article V

## Elections

Section 1. All nominees for office and appointees by the president, must be active members, in good standing.

Section 2. All elected and appointed officers must remain active and in good standing during their term of office.

Section 3. Nominating committee will consist of three of the executive committee, appointed by the president, in November.

Section 4. All offices will be filled by election in December. Nominating committee will give their list of officers. Then the floor will be open for nominations. Elections shall be by majority vote of all members in good standing. Voting will be by secret ballot.

Section 5. New officers will assume their office at the regular January meeting. Term of office is one year. (January through December.)

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## Article VI

Duties of Officers
Section 1. The president shall preside over all meetings of the club; appoint such committees as necessary to carry out the activities of the club; act as an exofficio member of all committees; issue the call for regular and special meetings; and see that regular elections are held in accordance with a club constitution.

Section 2. The vice president will perform all duties of the president in his absence.
Section 3. The secretary will record and maintain the minutes, membership records, and take charge of all correspondence.

Section 4. The treasurer will take charge of all financial meetings and records, with all checks countersigned by the president.

## Article VII

Membership and Qualifications
Section 1. There will be two types of membership: active and inactive. A member must attend at least 6 regular meetings per year to remain active.

Section 2. All applicants for membership must be sponsored by a member in good standing and must fill out an application form when he is introduced at a regular meeting as a guest.

Section 3. At regular meetings when voting of new members is necessary all guests are excused where voting may take place before the close the meeting. Acceptance of applicant must be by quorum.

Section 4. New members must read and understand fully the club by-laws and sign for copy received.

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Section 5. Honorary members must be voted in by quorum. They have no voting privileges.

Section 6. Single membership has one vote. Family membership has two votes. No proxy voting. You must be present to vote.

Section 7. Upon passing all qualifications, applicants must pay one year's dues in advance. Renewal dues will come due every year thereafter.

Section 8. Any member who commits unsafe driving or whose conduct is otherwise detrimental to the purpose and standing of the club may be suspended or expelled by a quorum vote.

## Article VIII

## Dues

Section 1 Dues are $\$ 25.00$ for a family membership and $\$ 15.00$ for a single membership. Any change in dues will be determined by the membership.

Section 2. Any member whose dues are sixty days past due, will be automatically dropped from the roster of the club and can only be reinstated to full membership upon payment of past dues and a vote of the membership.

Section 3. All dues and fees paid to club will not be refunded under any circumstances.

## Article IX

## Club Moneys

Section 1. All proceeds from projects and dues will go to the club treasure.
Section 2. All money spent for personal use of club members must be approved by a majority vote of members

Section 3. All disbursements must be approved by the executive committee.
Section 4. If a member or an immediate member of a club member's family passes away, flowers will be sent, not to exceed $\$ 25.00$.

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## Amendments

Amendment 1. - Amendment Made March 10, 1993, to:
Article III, Section 2. "Regular membership meeting shall be held on the second Thursday of each month."

This was changed to read: "Regular membership meeting shall be held on the second Wednesday of each month."

Amendment 2. Incorporation of Amendment 1 and format change.
Amendment Made June 10, 2022:
Due to the inferior quality of the paper copy of the Amendments, the Amendment was retyped to form new paper copies and have a digital record. Content was not changed except to incorporate Amendment 1 and to add the word "Amendments" to the amendment page. Format may vary slightly.

