

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS
Of the
AMERICAN STREET ROD ASSOCIATION
INCORPORATED
January 25, 2010

ARTICLE I – NAME

Section 1. The name of the organization shall be; “American Street Rod Association”, Incorporated.

ARTICLE II – LOGO

Section 1. The Logo of the organization shall be as described; two triangles Red and Blue, back to back on a White background with the name of the Association below it and the web site address.

ARTICLE II – OFFICE

Section 1. The business address of the organization shall be P.O. Box 3572, Shawnee, Kansas 66203.

Section 2. A.S.R.A. of Kansas, is a member corporation under the laws of Incorporation In the State of Kansas.

ARTICLE III – FISCAL YEAR

Section 1. The fiscal year of this Association shall be from January 1 to December 31 to coincide with the calendar year.

ARTICLE IV – OBJECTIVES

Section 1. The objectives of the Association shall be as follows:

- A. To provide an organization for all people interested in the sport of street rodding and retaining the pre-1949 vehicles as part of it.
- B. To promote interest in all forms of safe motoring with street rods and be Dedicated to Safety.
- C. To promote camaraderie among street rodders from all over the United States and foreign countries.
- D. To incorporate as a profitable corporation to promote and enhance the activity of street rodding of pre-1949 vehicles.
- E. To up hold the principals and deeds of good organization.
- F. To conduct business functions and activities in a manner befitting the members of this organization. And promote a better understanding to the general public about the sport of street rodding.
- G. To provide an organization with access and input from the General Membership as to how the Association is managed and maintained.

ARTICLE V – MEMBERSHIP

- Section 1. Application for membership in the A.S.R.A. must be upon the A.S.R.A.'s standard form.
- Section 2. Every member of the association shall receive a membership Card signed by the President or Chairman of the Board.
- Section 3. Every member will receive a corporate logo identification with their paid dues in the form of a window decal and t-shirt until December 31st, 2010 after December 31st, 2010 every member will receive a window decal only.
- Section 4. Any member who joins the Association in the first year of Existence, will be referred to as a Charter Member of the American Street Rod Association.
- Section 5. Anyone can join this organization who is interested in the sport of street rodding and the preservation of the pre-1949 automobiles for the sport.

ARTICLE VI – DUES

- Section 1. The cost to join this Association shall be \$25.00, the dues are payable at the time of membership application.
- Section 2. The annual dues for a member is \$ 25.00, and are payable by the date of membership, for the following fiscal year.
- Section 3. During the first year of the Association, a Life Time Membership will be offered until December 31, 2010. The cost will be \$300.00. After this date, the cost will be \$500.00 for a Life Time Membership.
- Section 4. Members will be notified 2 months in advance of the date of termination via E-mail or the U.S. Postal Service for dues payment.

ARTICLE VII – ASSOCIATION MEETINGS

- Section 1. All regular meetings for the Associations, Officers and Board of Directors will be held in various locations, and will meet four (4) times during the fiscal year.
- Section 2. A regular meeting during the fiscal year will be held at the Association's yearly event, and will be open to all members. Questions may be submitted by the membership in writing, two weeks in advance of the meeting. These questions will be addressed during the meeting.
- Section 3. A special meeting can be called by the President at any time. Changes to the By-Laws may be made with input from the general membership.
- Section 4. Standard Roberts Rules of Order will be applied during the meetings and will prevail unless amended by the By-Laws.
- Section 5. A quorum will consist of (10) founding members in good standing in the Association.

Section 6. Committees of this Association are:

- A. By-Laws & Constitution
- B. Membership
- C. Activities/Ways & Means
- D. Public Relations

ARTICLE VIII – OFFICERS & DUTIES

Section 1. The officers for this Association shall be elected by the founding members of the organization.

Section 2. The officers of this Association will consist of; President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and Chairman of the Board.

Section 3. The President will preside over all regular & special meetings of the Association; He will cast the deciding vote in case of a tie. He will act as an ex-officio member of all committees. And will carry-out any executive orders on behalf of the Association.

Section 4. The Vice-President will perform all duties of the President in his absence.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall collect all dues, and have custody of all monies of the Association, and shall pay all bills, and claims against the Association and approved by the Board. He shall keep full and accurate records of all transactions and disbursements and shall issue a full financial statement at the end of the fiscal year. He will be required to be bonded. The Bond will be paid for by the Association.

Section 6. Checks may be written by either the Treasurer, Chairman of the Board, President, Vice-President and one Director at large. All names will appear on the Association's account.

Section 7. The Secretary shall keep full and complete records of the proceedings at all of the meetings of the Association. All such records shall be preserved in books provided by the association.

Section 8. The Board of Directors shall consist of (15) members, of which 2/3 will constitute a quorum of the Executive Board of the Association. They will be responsible for the execution of the authorized policies; by majority vote, fill any vacancies, in any office and submits to the Association during any regular meeting any recommendations affecting the policies of the Association, that have been previously approved.

Section 9. All Officers and Board Members of the Association shall be Liable to the Association, only to the extent of any unpaid portion of membership dues, or any assessments, which the Association may have legally imposed on them. Any Officer or Board member holding a valid membership card shall not be liable for any damages or costs incurred from outside sources, other than the Associations commitments.

Section 10. Currently, there is no compensation for any members of this Association. This could change in the future depending upon the structure of the organization and the direction chosen by the Board.

ARTICLE IX – GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 1. All contracts and agreements authorized by any Officer, and all checks, drafts, notes, bills of exchange and orders of payment of the amount of more than \$50.00 without authorization from the Association and the Board will be the responsibility of the writer.

Section 2. No loan shall be contracted on behalf of the Association without prior approval of the Board and the Officers of the Association.

Section 3. All deposits of the funds of the Association shall be deposited in an account approved by the Officers and Board of Directors.

Section 4. No State seal is required for the operation of the Association.

ARTICLE X – AMENDMENTS

Section 1. The Associations' Constitution and the By-Laws may be amended by a special vote called for by the President and announced to the General Membership by magazines, website or a special mailing to vote on specific changes or issues to the By-Laws or structure.

Section 2. Approved membership changes and amendments are effective immediately.

ARTICLE XI – DISSOLUTION

Section 1. If the Association should dissolve for any reason, the balance in the treasury after payment of all outstanding debits, liabilities, contracts or other expenses, would be distributed to the Founding Members or to a charitable group, pursuant to the Articles of Incorporation of Kansas.

ARTICLE XII – INDEMNIFICATION

Section 1. Any persons or Organizations extending credit to or contracting with this Association or having claims against this Association, shall look only to the funds or property held by this Association for payment. The Association shall indemnify all founding members who are either; Board Member, Officer, present or future, from any and all personnel liability from the Associations liability, for any contract, claim, debt, judgment, damage or cause of action that may be due, and payable from the Association.

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