



## Macomb County Retirees Association

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Dear Member,

The Macomb County Retirees Association Board of Directors is proposing two Bylaws amendments. These proposed amendments will be voted on at the September 10, 2025, annual member meeting.

The first of the proposed amendments is intended to clarify membership eligibility for spouses and dependents.

The second proposed amendment provides for the disbursement of assets in the case of the organization's disillusionment. State regulations require such a provision to be in place when applying for a raffle license. Unfortunately, the planned 50/50 raffle for the 2025 luncheon will not take place because our current Bylaws lack this provision. By adopting this amendment, raffles can be conducted at future member luncheons.

The language for the proposed amendments is highlighted in **red** below. To review the full Bylaws, please visit the Macomb County Retirees Association website at <https://macombretirees.org/documents/BYLAWS.pdf>

### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 7 MEMBERSHIP AND DUES

A person to be qualified for membership in this Association shall: have an interest in the Macomb County Retirement System if still working or retired; **or, be a designated beneficiary (spouse or dependent), qualified to receive survivor benefits under the ordinance.** A person who applies for membership in this Association and makes payment of the annual dues, is automatically a member of the Association. The dues for all members shall be ten dollars (\$10.00) per year subject to change at each annual meeting of the membership. Dues shall be payable annually on or before the Annual Meeting of that year. Dues paid after the Annual Meeting shall be applied to the following year.

### PROPOSED ARTICLE 9

**Upon dissolution of this Corporation, after satisfying all obligations and paying all debts, the remaining assets will be donated to another nonprofit organization, selected by the Board of Directors.**