

1 Proposed Amendment to NTEA Bylaws #1

May 22, 2024

2 **Title:** In Case of Rep Council Vacancy during the Term

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4 **Intent:** On occasion a building or site rep seat becomes vacant mid-term. This Bylaws
5 amendment addresses the process for filling that seat.
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7 **Cost implications:** None

8 **Recommended amendment language:**

9 NTEA will revise the Bylaws Article IX, and add Section 5:
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11 5. In the event a building site / group Representative Council seat is vacated during a
12 term due to resignation, ineligibility, moving, or recall, a special election will be held
13 within 30 workdays. Vacating member must notify the Chair of the Nominations and
14 Elections Committee and Executive Board immediately. Nominations will open upon
15 notification of vacancy. Nominations and Elections Committee will inform members at
16 the site or group. Nominations will close 15 workdays after the announcement of the
17 vacancy. A special election will be held for that site or group no later than 15 workdays
18 after the close of nominations. If the vacancy occurs within 60 workdays of an already
19 scheduled Rep Council election, then the election will occur in May as scheduled.
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22 The NTEA Executive Board recommends a “DO PASS”

23 APPROVED May 22, 2024 by the NTEA Representative Council