

# BARODA AREA BUSINESS ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS

## **Article I - Name**

The name of this organization shall be the Baroda Area Business Association (BABA).

## **Article II - Object**

To engage, promote and support the Baroda area businesses and community.

## **Article III - Limitation of Methods**

Sec 1: The BABA organization shall be nonpartisan and nonsectarian, and shall take no part in the nomination, election, or appointment of any candidate for office in city, county, state or nation.

Sec 2: The BABA organization shall be permanently operated as a nonprofit organization.

## **Article IV - Meetings**

Sec 1: The Board of Directors will hold on a monthly basis, but in no case shall the Association meet less than, four times a year. Meetings shall be on the second Tuesday of each month unless otherwise decided.

Sec 2: Notice of all regular and special meetings shall be posted on the BABA Facebook page and BABA Website ("Ilovebaroda.com") at least three days in advance of the meeting.

## **Article V- Parliamentary Procedure**

The proceedings of the BABA Organization shall be governed by and conducted according to the latest edition of the Robert's Manual of Parliamentary Rules.

## **Article VI - Board of Directors**

Sec 1: The government of the BABA organization, the direction of its work and the control of its property shall be vested in a board of directors consisting of not less than four members to be elected every other year at the Annual Meeting in November, or at a special meeting called for the purpose.

Sec 2: Nominations for President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, and Trustees will be submitted to the Secretary and presented to the BABA Board in the October meeting.

Sec 3: The Board of Directors shall have power to fill all vacancies on the Board. They may adopt rules for conducting the business of the BABA organization.

Sec 4: Elected members shall serve on Board of Directors for a term of two (2) years without compensation. Elected Board Members may be reimbursed for expenses related to conferences, mileage, or other business directly related to the activity of the Association as approved by the Board of Directors.

Sec 5: The Board of Directors shall keep minutes of the meetings. Finances and planned activities shall be reported upon in each monthly meeting.

Sec 6: Voting may be by voice, a show of hands, or paper or digital ballot.