

## Article VI

Changes made to simplify the affiliate process to grow County Parties quicker in a time without ballot access.

Original Bylaw Language	Marked Up Language	Final Language
Article VI - Local Organizations	Article VI - Local Organizations	Article VI - Local Organizations
Section 1. The party shall only recognize and be affiliated with those county Central Committees which are Ohio Revised Code compliant for major political parties.  Section 2. The Party Bylaws shall specify the minimum legal and internal requirements for county affiliation.	Section 1. The Party -party shall only recognize and be affiliated with those county Central Committees Affiliates which meet the following: are Ohio Revised Code compliant for major political parties. A. Elect a Controlling Committee (normally during even numbered years at a county convention.) i. A County Controlling committee shall consist of at a minimum a Chair, a Treasurer and a Secretary. B. Members of a county affiliate must be members in good standing as defined by Article II.  Section 2. The Party Bylaws shall specify the minimum legal and internal requirements for county affiliation.	Section 1. The Party shall only recognize and be affiliated with those county Affiliates which meet the following:  A. Elect a Controlling Committee (normally during even numbered years at a county convention.)  i. A County Controlling committee shall consist of at a minimum a Chair, a Treasurer and a Secretary.  B. Members of a county affiliate must be members in good standing as defined by Article II.  Section 2. The Party Bylaws shall specify the minimum legal and internal requirements for county affiliation.



## Bylaw 710

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A. Membership-elected Central Committee.	A. Membership-elected Central Controlling Committee.	A. Membership-elected Controlling Committee.
B. Executive Committee elected by the Central Committee.	B. Executive Committee elected by the Central Committee.	B. File campaign finance reports to the appropriate government agencies as required.
C. Regularly file campaign finance reports to the appropriate government agencies.	B.C. Regularly file File campaign finance reports to the appropriate government agencies as required.	C. Report leadership information, Bylaws, and any necessary information to their local Board of Elections as required.
D. Report leadership information, Bylaws, and any necessary information to their local Board of Elections.	C.D. Report leadership information, Bylaws, and any necessary information to their local Board of Elections as required.	D. Provide the Party with a copy of updated Bylaws within 30 days of adoption or amendment.
E. Provide the Party with a copy of updated Bylaws within 30 days of adoption or amendment.	D.E. Provide the Party with a copy of updated Bylaws within 30 days of adoption or amendment.	E. Provide the Party with a copy of the Controlling Committee membership rosters within 30 days of any change.
F. Provide the Party with a copy of the Central or Executive Committee membership rosters within 30 days of any change.	EF. Provide the Party with a copy of the Central or Executive Controlling Committee membership rosters within 30 days of any change.	F. File an annual report with the Executive Committee or its designee on the Affiliate's activities.
G. File an annual report with the Executive Committee or its designee on the Affiliate's activities.	FG. File an annual report with the Executive Committee or its designee on the Affiliate's activities.	G. Communicate to the Executive Committee or its designee a list of all Libertarian and Affiliate-endorsed candidates on the ballot in the
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- I. Communicate to the Executive Committee or its designee the withdrawal of any filed candidate in the Affiliate's county for any reason.
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Section 2 (County Affiliate Loss of State Party Recognition)

The Party, with a two-thirds vote of the Executive Committee, may choose not to recognize a County Affiliate. The reasons for any such vote, and the result of that vote shall be communicated to the Central Committee within 2 business days.

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Section 2 (County Affiliate Loss of State Party Recognition)

The Executive Committee shall approve the formation of any new affiliate. The Party, with a two-thirds vote of the Executive Committee, may choose not to recognize disaffiliate a County Affiliate. The reasons for any such vote, and the result of that vote shall be communicated to the Central Committee within 2 business days.

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