



**African Methodist Episcopal Church  
Second Episcopal District  
Women's Missionary Society**



***2023 WMS CONSTITUTION & BYLAWS  
PROPOSED AMENDMENT(S) SUBMISSION TEMPLATE***

**SECTION A**

***Mark with X:***      **Amendment to the Constitution** or      **Amendment of Bylaws**

<b><u>ARTICLE:</u></b>	<b><u>TITLE:</u></b>
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<b><u>CURRENT READING:</u></b>

<b><u>PROPOSED AMENDMENT (State the exact wording as it would appear when presented):</u></b>

<b><u>RATIONALE (Fully explain):</u></b>



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<b>WILL THE PROPOSAL HAVE A FINANCIAL IMPACT ON THE WMS?      YES or ___ NO</b> <i>(Explain why there is or is not a financial impact and describe the magnitude)</i>

<b><u>IDENTIFY THE OTHER ARTICLE/S / SECTION(S) THAT WILL BE IMPACTED:</u></b>



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**SECTION B**

CONFERENCE (Check):  Baltimore  Washington  Virginia  North Carolina  
 Western North Carolina

SUBMITTED BY (Print First Name / Last Name):

SIGNATURE and DATE:

CONTACT #:	EMAIL:
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LOCAL SOCIETY/CHURCH:

LOCAL PRESIDENT'S NAME, SIGNATURE & DATE:

AREA:

CONFERENCE PRESIDENT'S NAME, SIGNATURE and DATE:

CONFERENCE CONSTITUTION & BYLAWS CHAIR'S NAME, SIGNATURE and DATE:

**SECTION C**

**\*\*TO BE COMPLETED BY THE SED WMS CONSTITUTION & BYLAWS CHAIR\*\***

Date and Time Proposal Received:

2nd Episcopal District Constitution & Bylaws Chair's Name and Signature:



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Date Submitted to 2nd Episcopal District President:

2nd ED President's Name and Signature:

Date Submitted to Connectional Constitution & Bylaws Chair:

### **Submission Guidelines of Proposed Amendments to the WMS Constitution & Bylaws**

1. Conference Presidents: establish a deadline for Area / Local level submissions to the Conference Constitution & Bylaws Committee for review.
2. The Conference Constitution & Bylaws Committee reviews all proposals for duplication, grammar, punctuation, in conflict with *The Book of Discipline of the A.M.E. Church? Reference: WMS Constitution- Article XIII, Section 4, pg. 6.*
3. *Note:* No submissions will be officially received by the Episcopal Constitution & Bylaws Committee if not signed and dated by the Conference President and Conference Constitution & Bylaws Chair.
4. Conference Constitution & Bylaws Chair: Submit all proposals prior to the established deadline to the Episcopal Constitution & Bylaws Chair using the email address provided.
5. All references must be provided per the current WMS Constitution and Bylaws. Our current Constitution is dated 2020 - 2024.
6. Use ONE form per proposal submission.
7. Complete ALL sections (Attach additional pages as needed).
8. If any section is not complete; proposals will be returned to the Conference Constitution & Bylaws Chair to be completed / corrected and returned to the Episcopal Constitution & Bylaw Chair within 48 hours.

**ALL proposals for the 2023 WMS Quadrennial are due to  
Sister Regenia Melvin, Episcopal Constitution & Bylaws Chair by email at  
[2ndwmsparliamentarians@gmail.com](mailto:2ndwmsparliamentarians@gmail.com) by **11:59 pm on Monday, October 1, 2022 (10/01/2022)!****

- **Any questions? Please send an email to the above address or call Sister Regenia at 919-272-5674 and please leave a message.**

**Thank you for adhering to the new guidelines and deadlines!**

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