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Gentlemen:

You have requested an opinion on the "legality of the Mass Convention requiring unanimous approval at the Mass Convention meeting before the delegate is allowed to be slated as a neighborhood representative."

Committees and Boards upon which neighborhoods have representatives in the Mass Convention are:

- 1. Credentials Committee
- 2. Program Committee
- 3. Boundaries Committee
- 4. Organization Committee
- 5. Nominating Committee
- 6. Resolutions Committee
- 7. Constitution and By-Laws Committee
- 8. Steering Committee
- 9. Executive Board Neighborhood Program

The neighborhood membership of the first seven committees listed are elected in neighborhood caucus. No approval is required by the Mass Convention.

The Vice Chairman of the Steering Committee and the neighborhood representative for the Executive Board of the Model Neighborhood

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Program are elected by their respective neighborhood caucuses subject to approval by a <u>majority</u> of qualified members of the Mass Convention <u>present and voting</u>. If approval is not granted, then that neighborhood shall re-caucus for the purpose of another election and for resubmission to the Mass Convention of another person for the position to be filled.

Yours very truly,

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