BFA Bylaws Committee Motion
Amend the BFA Bylaws and Standing Rules to have uniform committee membership and chair service intervals. “Three shalt be the number thou shalt count, and the number of the counting shall be three.”

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Moved forward by the BFA Bylaws Committee to the BFA Executive Committee on 2019 February 4
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With 42 votes in favor and one vote in opposition, the motion carried on February 7, 2019

Whereas the current BFA Bylaws and Standing Rules define and allow non-uniform terms for membership on non-ad hoc committees, and standing committee chairs;

Whereas this non-uniformity leads to unnecessary record keeping and general confusion within the BFA membership;

therefore, the BFA Bylaws committee now

Moves, that:

1. the BFA Bylaws and Standing Rules immediately define all non-ad hoc committee membership and committee chair terms to be three years in duration; and
2. until unnecessary, a current committee member or chair in their first year of committee service be allowed an automatic two year extension to bring their service term to three; and
3. until unnecessary, a current committee member or chair in their second year of committee service be allowed an automatic one year extension to bring their service term to three; and
4. the Bylaws and Standing Rules documents be changed, as appropriate and necessary, to reflect these uniform three-year service intervals on non-ad hoc committees.