

# **Troy Elite Football Club Constitution**

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### **Article I: Name & Address**

- Section 1: The name shall be "Troy Elite Football Club". It is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization
- Section 2: The address shall be:
- Troy Elite Football Club  
P.O. Box 444  
Troy , MI 48099

### **Article II: Purpose**

- Section 1: The purpose of the Troy Elite Football Club (hereinafter referred to as the T.E.F.C.) is to develop, administer, and promote a competitive Premier and Select soccer program for the residents of Troy and surrounding areas.
- Section 2: The primary goals of T.E.F.C. are:
- a) To provide the highest quality coaching available
  - b) To provide a soccer club that stresses teamwork, sportsmanship, and skill training at the highest level.

### **Article III: Colors & Affiliation**

- Section 1: The representative colors for the T.E.F.C. shall be royal blue, red, & white.
- Section 2: T.E.F.C. shall be an affiliated soccer club with MYSL, MSPSL, MSYSA, US Club Soccer, USYSA, USSF, and FIFA

### **Article IV: Membership**

- Section 1: Membership shall include the T.E.F.C. Board of Directors (hereinafter referred to as B.O.D), all coaches, & T.E.F.C. players/parents.
- Section 2: The voting membership shall consist of the B.O.D., T.E.F.C. coaches, and Parent Representative.
- Section 3: The term of membership for players and parents shall be one year beginning with the effective date of the player contract.
- Section 4: Selection and term of membership for T.E.F.C. B.O.D. and T.E.F.C. Coaches is defined in the T.E.F.C. By-Laws.
- Section 5: Members agree, as a condition of membership, to abide by the T.E.F.C. constitution, bylaws, operating manual, and other adopted rules and regulations
- Section 6: Selection for membership is open to all people with an interest in T.E.F.C.. Player membership must maintain a minimum of 75% Troy residents.

## **Article V: Authority**

- Section 1: T.E.F.C. shall be governed by its constitution, bylaws, operating manual, and other adopted rules and regulations.
- Section 2: The governing authority of T.E.F.C. shall be vested in the Board of Directors.
- Section 3: The Board of Director positions are:
- a.) President
  - b.) Vice-President
  - c.) Treasurer
  - d.) Secretary
  - e.) Director of Coaching -Boys
  - f.) Director of Coaching - Girls
  - g.) Technical Director - Boys
  - h.) Technical Director - Girls
  - i.) MSPSL Head Manager
  - j.) MYSL Head Manager

## **Article VI: Meetings**

- Section 1: T.E.F.C. Manager meetings shall be held the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of every month. These meetings shall be informal with the President presiding.
- Section 2: T.E.F.C. Coaches meetings shall be held the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month. These meetings shall be informal with the President presiding.
- Section 3: Board of Directors meetings shall be held the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month. These meetings shall follow Roberts Rules of Order 10<sup>th</sup> edition, Parliamentary Rule.
- Section 4: An Annual General Membership (AGM) meeting shall be held annually in the month of March in place of the Board of Director meeting for that month.

## **Article VII: Committees**

- Section 1: An Advisory Committee shall be established annually to deal with fields, refs, promotions, and Troy Parks and Recreation.
- Section 2: A Banquet Committee shall be established annually to run the club banquet(s)
- Section 3: A Tournament Committee shall be established annually to run the club tournament(s)

## **Article VIII: Amendments**

- Section 1: The voting membership can amend the T.E.F.C. Constitution with a 75% vote.