

CHAPTER BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I

The name of this chapter, by authority of the Executive Council, shall be Kansas Kappa Omega Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi

ARTICLE II

Regular meetings shall be held semi-monthly on the following dates: 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month. The hour shall be 7:00 p.m. The chapter shall designate the place of the meeting.

ARTICLE III

The yearly dues of this chapter shall be fixed by the majority vote of the chapter each year.

a. Members on Leave of Absence shall pay chapter dues.

ARTICLE IV

Members of this chapter are expected to attend all meetings. When unable to attend due to illness, illness in the family, being out of town or having to work, a member will call a member of the Executive Board or the Hostess to request an excused absence.

ARTICLE V

The Executive Board when absent from three consecutive meetings without excused absences shall declare a member inactive

ARTICLE VI

Elections:

Nominations for the Chapter officers shall be made from the floor at the second regular meeting in March each year. The President shall call for nominations and nominations shall be made for each office in order:

President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, and Extension Officer. Elections shall be held at the same meeting immediately following nominations. A majority vote shall elect. No less than two and no more than three nominations shall be accepted for each office.

ARTICLE VII

The Executive Board of Kappa Omega Chapter shall consist of the elected officers of the chapter and shall meet at regular intervals, preferably once each month, on dates fixed by it or upon call of the President.

ARTICLE VIII

Committees:

The standing committees of the chapter shall be: Social, Service, Ways and Means, Membership, Publicity/Scrapbook, and Yearbook. The members of the standing committees of the chapter shall be appointed by the President to serve on such Committees during her term of office.

ARTICLE IX

The President shall be ineligible for the Woman of the Year award, but shall be honored with the presentation of a gift selected by the Executive Board. The President shall count the ballots for the Woman of the Year award and not reveal her identity until the presentation of the award at Founder's Day.

ARTICLE X

The chapter shall determine by secret ballot whether or not each candidate possesses the required qualifications that entitle her to an invitation to become a Prospective Candidate.

ARTICLE XI

Each member shall be active in the sorority for one year before inviting a prospective pledge.

ARTICLE XII

The number of pledges rushed shall not cause the chapter to exceed an approximate membership of 16.

ARTICLE XIII

It shall be the duty of each member to read the Constitution and By-Laws and the Standing Rules no later than one month after receiving her yearbook.

ARTICLE XIV

A quorum shall be 1/3 of the active chapter