

MIDWEST WEAVERS ASSOCIATION, INC.  
Standing Rules to Accompany By-laws

1. The Midwest Weavers Association, Inc. (hereafter referred to as MWA, Inc.) will advance pre-conference expense monies to the host guild(s). This shall be accounted for in the MWA, Inc. Conference (hereafter referred to as Conference) financial report and returned to the MWA, Inc. treasurer.
2. The MWA, Inc. will pay the first class postage for first class conference mailings to the total membership.
3. The MWA, Inc. will provide computer printouts and mailing labels of the complete MWA, Inc. membership for the First Mailing.
4. MWA, Inc. will give the Margaret O'Shaughnessy Award of two hundred dollars (\$200) to a Guild whose name is drawn from those Guilds exhibiting in the Guild Exhibit competition at a Conference.
5. MWA, Inc. will give an honorarium of not less than three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) to be determined by the MWA Board to the host guild of a Conference upon receipt of the financial report and transfer of funds to MWA, Inc. treasurer. These reports must be received by November 30 of the conference year. There will be a five hundred dollar (\$500.00) bonus if the reports are filed before September 30. One half of the honorarium will be forfeit if the reports are not received by December 31 of the conference year.
6. MWA, Inc. will provide three hundred twenty-five dollars (\$325.00) towards awards in the Fashion Show event at each Conference.
7. MWA, Inc. will provide three hundred twenty-five dollars (\$325.00) towards awards in the Member Exhibits event at each Conference.
8. MWA, Inc. will pay registration fees plus room and board to a Conference for two (2) members of the Guild planning to host the next MWA, Inc. Conference.
9. The Host Guild will budget \$10.00 per conference registration for MWA operating expenses.
10. MWA, Inc. will pay registration fees to a Conference for two (2) of the hosts from the previous conference or their designees.

Note: Standing Rules can be adopted by a majority vote at any meeting. After adoption, at any future session the can be suspended, modified, or rescinded by a majority vote.  
(Robert's Rules of Order)