



Proposed Bylaws Changes 2024

PROPOSAL 1:

TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF STANDING COMMITTEES WHICH ANY COMMUNITY MEMBER CAN SERVE ON TO FIVE (5) FROM THREE (3)

EXPLANATION: DUE TO THE INCREASE IN NUMBER OF STANDING COMMITTEES FROM TWELVE (12) TO NINETEEN (19), THE ORIGINAL PARTICIPATION CAP OF THREE (3) STANDING COMMITTEES FOR ANY MEMBER OF THE COMMUNITY IS NOW INSUFFICIENT AND RESTRICTS VOLUNTEERISM.

PROPOSAL 2:

TO ADD A TWO CONSECUTIVE TERM LIMIT FOR COMMITTEE CHAIRS

EXPLANATION: TO PROMOTE NEW LEADERSHIP AND PARTICIPATION, WHILE INSTILLING CONTINUITY THROUGH MENTORSHIP. THIS PROPOSED CHANGE WILL FACILITATE FRESH IDEAS AND ENERGY.

PROPOSAL 3:

TO ADD A TWO-TERM LIFETIME LIMIT FOR CHAIRMEN OF SYNAGOGUE BOARDS

EXPLANATION: TO BE CONSISTENT WITH THE UMJCA BYLAWS, ARTICLE 3, SECTION 4.A "ANY PERSON MAY ONLY SERVE AS PRESIDENT OF THE CENTRAL BOARD FOR TWO (2) TERMS IN HIS LIFETIME."

PROPOSAL 4:

TO MODIFY THE ANNUAL BUDGET APPROVAL AND REPORTING TIMELINE

EXPLANATION: THE VAST MAJORITY OF OUR ANNUAL BUDGET IS PLEDGED DURING THE HIGH HOLIDAYS. ADJUSTING THE BUDGET APPROVAL DATE TO AFTER THE HIGH HOLIDAYS ALLOWS THE CENTRAL BOARD MORE CLARITY IN ALLOCATING REQUESTED FUNDS.

vote YES this

sunday,

november 19th at

Shaare Shalom

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