

## **RIIA BYLAWS**

### **Elections VIII**

***Section 1.*** Yearly elections shall be held at the annual meeting of the association. Election of all members of the Board of Trustees shall be by secret written ballot.

The ballots shall be in such form as may be prescribed by the Board of Trustees and one (1) ballot shall be issued by the secretary to each voting member. (Voting member is defined as a property owner who has paid all dues and assessments due and owing to the R.I.I.A.) Ballots shall be tallied by a committee of three (3) persons to be designated by the president. Should a trustee be elected to the Board of Officers he shall vacate his position as a trustee. This position shall be treated as a vacancy and a replacement shall be appointed or elected in accordance with ARTICLE IV, Section 7. (Amended September 14, 1998)