Michigan Beekeeper's Association
2018 Ballot

Each single membership in good standing may submit ONE ballot. Each family membership in good standing may submit TWO ballots. Candidates listed in alphabetical order.

Officers serve a 2 year term.

Vice President - Vote for One
☐ Rich Wieske
Write In:

Treasurer - Vote for One
☐ Gary Ester
Write In:

Member Communications - Vote for One
☐ Jen Blackburn
Write In:

District Representatives serve a 2 year term.

District 2 - Vote for One
☐ David Pearce
Write In:

District 4 - Vote for One
☐ Ray Browers
Write In:

District 6 - Vote for One
☐ Rodney Bear
Write In:

Member at Large - Vote for One
☐ Chuck Bauer
Write In:

THIS BALLOT MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2020.

STUB MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH BALLOT.

Print Member Name

Member Signature (if submitting by mail) or Member Email Address (if submitting by email)

To submit your ballot by email...
1. Enter your name in the "Print Member Name" field provided above.
2. Enter your email address in the "Member Signature" field provided above. This email address must match that under which you submit this ballot.
3. Then click the "Submit by E-mail" button below.

To submit your ballot by mail.
1. Print this ballot by clicking the "Print Ballot" button below.
2. Print your name in the field provided above.
3. Sign your name in the field provided above.
4. Mail ballot(s) to:
   Sheldon Schwitek
   MBA President
   1738 Commonwealth Ave.
   Kalamazoo, MI 49006

email ballot to: pastpresident@michiganbees.org

5. If you wish to maintain anonymity, detach the ballot from this stub and put the ballot in a separate envelope. One ballot per envelope. Then enclose the ballot envelope(s) inside another envelope to mail. Put the ballot stub(s) in the outer envelope.
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Constitutional Amendments

Article III – Meetings
Section 1: There will be at least three two General Membership meetings held each year; one in the spring, one in the summer, and one in the fall. The Governing Board shall announce the date and time of all business meetings at least thirty days before each one respectively.

This section has been updated to reflect the fact that summer meetings have proven to be poorly attended, MBA will continue support “summer picnics” for districts, should they wish to host an event for members.

Approve ☐  Disapprove ☐

Article X – Election Procedures
Section 2:- Ballots
   g. Electronic Balloting can be utilized as an adjunct to paper ballots with voting able to take place prior to the Annual meeting. Electronic voting will close at the same time as in person voting (Article X Section 2:d).

This section has been added to accomodate future electronic voting.

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Article XI- Membership and Dues
Section 3: Membership dues in the MBA shall be due January 1 and payable through December 31 of each year on the month and day they originally became a member.

This section has been updated to reflect new procedures implemented when we changed our database.

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Article XII – Appointive Committees
Section 10: Communications Committee:
   a. The Member Communications person is a standing member of this committee

This section is added to include the Member Communications as a standing member of this committee.

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Article XVI - Local Associations
Section 3: Local Associations may retain a portion of each member’s MBA dues for the Local Association as described in Article XI, Section 5.

This section is no longer valid as we have removed Article XI, Section 5 in a previous amendment.

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