

SUMMARY OF VOTING REQUIREMENTS
UNDER CONVENTION RULES

A majority of delegates present, a quorum being present, is sufficient for the taking of any action except in the following instances:

1. Rule 5- No constitutional provision shall be adopted by the Convention except by the affirmative votes of not less than three-fourths (3/4) of the delegates present in the Convention, with delegates voting only in person;

2. Rule 11- In the event of a vacancy in the office of president, the Convention shall elect a president to fill that vacancy by majority vote of the elected delegates;

3. Rule 12- In the event of a vacancy in the office of any vice-president, the Convention shall elect a new vice-president from the same chartered municipality as that of his predecessor in office by majority vote of the elected delegates;

4. Rule 26- If one-third (1/3) of the elected delegates shall so request, an issue under consideration by a substantive committee shall be taken from its jurisdiction and placed before the Convention;

5. Rule 36- A majority of the total number of elected delegates shall be a quorum for the Committee of the Whole to do business;

6. Rule 42- Any motion to postpone indefinitely shall be decided by the affirmative vote of a majority of all the delegates to the Convention;

7. Rule 50- A motion to adjourn the Convention sine die requires an affirmative vote of a majority of all the delegates to the Convention;

8. Rule 51(c)- A motion to reconsider in Convention shall require an affirmative vote of a majority of the delegates to the Convention;

9. Rule 72- The Convention, by resolution adopted by a majority of all the delegates, shall have the authority to issue rules or regulations with respect to the registration and appearance before it, or before any of its authorized committees, of any lobbyist.