



## **The Star City Chapter of POCI**

### **Constitution**

#### **I. Name, Emblem and Purpose**

1. The chapter shall be known as the Star City Chapter.
2. The emblem shall be a multi-lined (blue and white, if in color) star with the Pontiac crest (red, if in color) at its center with the word "Pontiac" going through both of them, as seen at the top of this document.
3. The purpose of the chapter is: (1) to encourage the preservation, enjoyment, and restoration of Pontiac and Oakland vehicles. (2) to promote membership in POCI. (3) to assist members in the chapter area with technical problems and parts search, and (4) to encourage communications and social events.

#### **II. Members and Dues**

1. Any POCI member, in good standing, may join the chapter.
2. Chapter membership ceases with non-payment of chapter and/or POCI dues.
3. The dues of members shall be \$12.00 annually and changes shall be voted upon by the chapter members.
4. Dues shall be used solely to increase the membership and offset expenses incurred by notifying members of local activities through postage and phone, etc.

#### **III. Officers and Directors**

1. The elected officers of the chapter shall include President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. The office of the Treasurer may be merged with the office of the Secretary if deemed necessary by the majority of the chapter members.
2. The elected officers shall appoint an Activities Chairman and a Newsletter Editor.

3. The elected officers shall appoint directors for a term of one year. Thereafter directors shall be elected by majority vote.
4. The President shall appoint directors/officers to replace those unable to fulfill their full term.
5. Officers and directors shall serve without remuneration.

#### IV. Duties of Officers and Directors

1. President: The President shall preside at all meetings of the chapter. In his/her absence, the Vice-President shall preside. The President shall have all powers and duties usually vested in this office.
2. Vice-President: The Vice-President shall serve in the absence of the President. If the President shall resign or become unable to perform his/her duties, the Vice-President shall be automatically elevated to the position of President.
3. Secretary: The Secretary shall keep minutes of all chapter meetings and shall handle all official correspondence of the chapter. The Secretary will also submit before April 30 of each year an accurate list of membership as of March 1, in accordance with the bylaws of POCI, Section III, Item 4.
4. Treasurer: The Treasurer shall collect and disburse the funds of the chapter for all official chapter business. He/she shall also be responsible for any bank accounts.
5. Directors: The Board of Directors working with the Activities Chairman and the Publication Editor shall conceive and implement activities designed at maintaining member interest, promoting the chapter and attracting new members.

#### V. Chapter Policy

No member shall associate with any commercial enterprise or business or assist in the promotion of a commercial enterprise in a manner implying sponsorship of this chapter or the parent organization, POCI.

#### VI. Amendments

1. The chapter constitution and bylaws may be amended by a majority of the chapter. Voting may be conducted by mail.
2. All amendments must be approved by the POCI Board of Directors.