

LINN STATE TECHNICAL COLLEGE

Diesel Technology Club

CONSTITUTION

Article I NAME

Section I The name of this club shall be the Linn State Technical College Diesel Technology Club

Article II PURPOSE

Section I The purpose of this club will be to

- a. Stimulate an interest in diesel technology
- b. Aid in obtaining a degree for any member by means of tutoring and providing information through the school or club members
- c. Improves a member's knowledge of
  - (1) Diesel Technology
  - (2) Application of the trade
  - (3) Esprit de corps of LSTC
- d. Foster a spirit of fellowship among its members and others of allied interests

Article III MEANS

Section I The means by which the club shall attain the foregoing purpose shall be by

- a. Meetings for presentation and discussion of educational subjects relating to diesel technology
- b. Technical bulletins
- c. Code practice and proficiency sessions
- d. Field days and field trips
- e. Operating on a non-profit and non-incorporated basis
- f. Social activities

- g. Not endorsing any product, firm corporation, union, or other trade organization unless it may be the LSTC Diesel Technology Club

Article IV MEMBERSHIP

Section I Club membership is open to anyone showing a sufficient interest in diesel technology

- a. A new member must attend at least three (3) regular meetings and be approved by a 2/3 vote of those present at a regular meeting

Section II Officer positions in the Diesel Technology Club shall include President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer. Club members may vote to have co-officers for these positions. All officers shall be 2<sup>nd</sup> year representatives. Officers shall collaborate with committee members to carry out the mission/purpose of the Diesel Technology Club.

Article V DISMISSAL

Section I Any member or officer is subject to dismissal from the club for any of the following reasons

- a. Non-payment of dues

- (1) Two months in arrears will be considered as non-payment

- b. Failure to perform his duties of office in a reasonable manner

- c. Club officers must attend all meetings unless they can show sufficient cause for non-attendance

- d. Knowingly violating a law or rules and regulations of Linn State Technical College

- e. As a result of Advisory Committee action

Article VI ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Section I The Advisory Committee will consist of the following

- a. Two (2) members of the Linn State Technical College administration

- b. Two (2) student members of the Linn State Technical College Diesel Technology Club

c. Two (2) non-student members of the Linn State Technical College Diesel Technology Club

d. The sponsor

Article VI DUES

Section I Dues shall be fixed at a rate as determined by the club's by-laws

Article VII SPONSOR

Section I The club will have a sponsor who shall be a Linn State Technical College faculty member

a. He shall advise and counsel members as needed for proper club functioning

b. He can aid the club or members in giving technical assistance as needed

Article VIII CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

Section I a. Any club member desiring to propose an amendment to this constitution may do so by securing the signatures of 1/3 of the club's members (in good standing at the time of proposal) and presenting to the Advisory Committee for review before presentation at a business meeting

b. The amendment will be announced to two consecutive business meetings and a copy of same given to all members

c. The amendment will be voted on at the third meeting and must have a 2/3 majority vote for adoption to the constitution

Article IX BY-LAWS

Section I The by-laws will be reviewed by the new officers and members of the club each year, and changed (if necessary) by the approval of 2/3 vote

a. Changes to the by-laws will be done as constitutional amendments: Article VIII, Sections I a, b, and c