

Resolutions proposed by GAMA 2014 executive committee and passed in General body on Dec 27th 2014.

1. Regarding excess funds at end of operating year:

"Excess account balance up to \$1000/- at the end of the operating year could be handed over to the new committee for the following year's operation. The remaining funds must be deposited in a CD for the purpose of building fund and shouldn't be used for any other purposes".

2. Regarding GAMA members as delegates to National Malayalee organizations:

- a. First preference shall be given to current Executive committee members & family if choose to be a delegate
- b. Second preference to the immediate previous Executive committee members & family
- c. Immediate past three years membership of GAMA is a requirement to be a delegate
- d. To be eligible as a delegate, no simultaneous membership can be held at the same time with GAMA and other rival Malayalee organizations competing with GAMA.
- e. Delegates would have to submit an application/affidavit certifying that they meet the above mentioned eligibility criteria.
- f. Approval based on first come first served.
- g. Final approvals are at the discretion of Executive Committee and assume full authority to decide.
- h. Any financial obligation towards annual dues or delegation shall be the responsibility of individual delegates and GAMA assumes no liability on this matter.

3. Regarding GAMA members contesting in National Malayalee organizations:

"In the event of GAMA members contesting to National Malayalee organizations, GAMA will approve the candidacy of all eligible candidates"

4. Regarding tournaments etc.:

"For GAMA sports tournaments/talent hunt GAMA will have rolling trophies. For sports, participation is open to GAMA members and their guests of Indian origin"

5. Regarding an advisory board for GAMA.

"General body approves the suggestion to establish an advisory board comprising of five former presidents to preserve and protect the constitution, assets and adhere to the long term goals of GAMA. An ad-hoc committee with former GAMA presidents George Koovakkada, Abraham Augustine, Biju Thuruthumalil, Anu Sukumar & Thomas Eapen as members, is appointed by the general body to outline details like tenure, roles and responsibilities of such an advisory board and present to general body for approval and then select advisory board members"