

California Teenage Republicans Committee Charter

Article I: Name

The name of this committee shall be the California Teenage Republicans (Hereafter referred to as "TARS")

Article II: Affiliations

Section 1: This committee shall be affiliated with the California College Republicans and the National Teenage Republicans.

Article III: Purpose

The purpose of this organization shall be:

- A. To bring teenagers into the Republican Party and provide an opportunity for them to participate in the political process.
- B. To foster and encourage the activities of the Republican Party and to promote its ideals.
- C. To collect, analyze, discuss, and disseminate information concerning political issues, events and philosophy.
- D. To coordinate and promote the activities of the Teenage Republican clubs in California.

Article IV: Membership

Section 1: The TARS shall consist of all members of each club chartered in accordance with Article VI of the Charter.

Section 2: Members shall be those individuals who apply for membership in TARS who are between the ages of thirteen and nineteen.

Section 3: All members of clubs of Teenage Republicans chartered in accordance with the provisions of this Charter shall be entitled to membership in TARS and all rights and privileges granted to members by this Charter.

Article V: Officers

Section 1: The officers of the Committee shall be appointed by the Chairman of the California College Republicans.

Section 2: The officers of the Committee shall be as follows:

- A. Chief Advisor: The Chief Advisor shall serve as the Chair of the Committee. The

Advisor shall be responsible for assisting the setup of TARS clubs throughout the state. He shall work with advisors at campuses on any concerns. He shall report committee activities to the California College Republicans and the National Teenage Republicans as required. He shall work with the Communications Director to maintain a website and social media for the California TARS. He shall work with the Communications Director to maintain and provide resources for the TARS clubs throughout the state.

- B. Communications Director: The Communications Director shall maintain the website and social media for the California TARS. He shall work with to maintain and provide resources for the TARS clubs throughout the state. He shall report committee activities to the California College Republicans and the National Teenage Republicans as required.

Article VI: Chartering

Section 1: The executive board of the California College Republicans and the CCR Credentials Committee shall have the authority, by majority vote, to charter all clubs of Teenage Republicans, which have submitted the following documentation to the executive board:

- A. A copy of the club constitution and bylaws
- B. A copy of the club membership list including: names and phone numbers and/or email addresses of each member.
- C. A list of each club's officers and advisor

Section 2: Each chartered club for TARS, by accepting its charter, agrees to be bound by this Charter and its provisions.

Section 3: The California TARS shall prepare and recommend to each petitioning TARS club a model form of constitution and bylaws which may be adopted by said club in whole or in part.

Section 4: Each chartered club shall keep the Advisor of TARS informed of its activities. It shall promptly forward to the Advisor, upon his request, all information necessary to keep him advised as to the club's activities.

Section 5: No chartered TARS club may endorse a candidate during the primaries of the Republican Party.

Article VII: Chartering

Section 1: A chartered club of TARS shall be in good standing if it is in compliance with the Charter of the California TARS.

Section 2: A chartered club of TARS may use such names as it sees fit, but it is recommended that, whenever possible, it uses the words "Teenage Republicans" as a part of its name and that it is carried on any literature or public announcement the statement that it is a chartered club of the TARS.

Article X: Amendments

Section 1: This Charter may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the Executive Board of the California College Republicans.

Article V. Parliamentary Authority

Section 1: Robert's Rules of Order shall be the parliamentary authority for all matters or procedures not specifically covered by this committee charter.