Mid-Atlantic Greater Swiss Mountain Dog Club

Standing Rules

- 1. Membership dues shall not exceed \$35 per year for Individual membership, \$45 per year for Family membership, \$35 per year for Individual Associate membership, and \$45 per year for Family Associate membership.
- 2. The following are the standing committees of MAGS:

<u>Finance</u>- Committee shall assist the treasurer to construct the budget and shall conduct an annual audit of the financial records.

<u>Communication</u>- Committee shall insure that information and news is shared with club members through various formats- website, Facebook, newsletter, etc.

<u>Fundraising</u>- Committee shall research and implement fundraising ideas. <u>Education</u>- Committee shall support opportunities to share all aspects of the breed with the general public. Instructional opportunities for owners of GSMD on an array of topics may be provided.

<u>Social Activities</u>- Committee shall provide events where GSMD owners [with or without dogs] may gather to strengthen relationships, share experiences and knowledge about the breed and have fun.

<u>Working Dog Activities</u>- Committee shall provide information about events that are planned/held by other clubs or plan and provide Board approved MAGS trainings and practice activities. These may include drafting, weight pull, pack hiking, herding, barn hunt, etc.

AKC Activities- Committee shall provide information about trainings and events that are planned and held by other clubs/organizations in Conformation, Obedience, Rally, Agility, Tracking, Earthdog, Herding, Lure Coursing, Scent Work, Fast Cat, Canine Good Citizen (also Advanced & Urban), Temperament Test, Farm Dog and Trick Dog. The committee may also provide Board approved MAGS sponsored opportunities including Conformation Specialties and supported entries in conformation, obedience and rally.