

MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA
Green Country Chapter

CONSTITUTION

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Article I – Name and Purpose

Section 1 The name of the organization shall be the Green Country Chapter of the Military Officers Association of America (MOAA), formerly The Retired Officers Association (TROA).

Section 2 The purposes of the Chapter shall be to:

- a. Inculcate and stimulate love of country and flag
- b. Defend the honor, integrity and supremacy of our national government and the constitution of the United States
- c. Advocate military forces adequate to the defense of our country
- d. Foster the integrity and prestige of uniformed service
- e. Foster fraternal relations between all branches of the various services from which members are drawn
- f. Aid and protect the rights and interests of personnel of the uniformed services, their dependents and survivors
- g. Provide useful services for members, their dependents and survivors
- h. Serve the community and the nation

Article II – Status

Section 1 The Chapter shall be a nonprofit organization, an affiliate of the national Military Officers Association of America, operated exclusively for the purposes specified in Article I. above.

Section 2 Officers, Directors and appointive officials shall not receive any stated compensation for their services.

Section 3 Nothing herein shall constitute members of the Chapter as partners for any purpose.

Section 4 The Chapter shall use its funds only to accomplish the purposes specified in Article I. above.

Section 5 In the event of dissolution of the Chapter, and after the discharge of all its liabilities, the remaining assets shall be given to a nonprofit organization determined by the Board of Directors.

Article III – Membership

Section 1 Membership shall be composed of:

- a. General
- b. Auxiliary
- c. Honorary
- d. Life

Section 2 Non-discrimination

- a. There shall be no discrimination in membership or participation in the affairs of MOAA or the Green Country Chapter by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, handicap or age

- b. All members as defined in Section 1 of this article shall be entitled to vote on any matter properly submitted to the Chapter for vote.

Section 3 No member shall become liable to the chapter for any amount other than the annual dues.

Article IV – Board of Directors

Section 1 Management of the affairs of the chapter shall be vested in the Board of Directors as set forth in the Bylaws.

Section 2 The Board of Directors shall be composed of the officers, directors and chaplain.

Section 3 Each elected member must be a member of the Chapter and MOAA.

Section 4 The members of the Board of Directors shall take office at the first regular or special meeting in the calendar year following their election.

Section 5 The President may not serve more than two consecutive terms in office.

Article V – Meetings and Voting

Section 1 There shall be an annual meeting of the Chapter during the month of November.

Section 2 Nominations and Election

- a. The Nominating Committee shall present a slate of candidates for office to the membership at the October meeting.
- b. Election of the candidates shall be held at the November meeting.
- c. The membership present shall constitute a quorum at any meeting of the Chapter.

Article VI – Amendments - This Constitution may be amended by two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors followed by a vote of two-thirds of the members in attendance at any chapter meeting, after the members have been properly notified in accordance with the Bylaws.

This is to certify that this Constitution was adopted by the Green Country Chapter of the Military Officers Association of America of Tulsa, Oklahoma on APRIL 9, 2003.



President



Secretary