

NORTHWESTERN ILLINOIS GREENS BYLAWS

ARTICLE I

The name of this organization shall be the Northwestern Illinois Greens. The purpose/mission of the Northwestern Illinois Greens is to advance the Ten Key Values of the Illinois Green Party.

ARTICLE II

The Northwestern Illinois Greens shall be composed of members in good standing of the Illinois Green Party who reside in Boone, Winnebago, Jo Davies, Stephenson, Carroll, Ogle, Whiteside, Lee, and counties contiguous to these counties who are not part of another established local of the Illinois Green Party.

ARTICLE III

The Northwestern Illinois Greens shall meet at least quarterly. Decisions at meetings of the local shall be made by members. Decisions will be made by consensus or if a consensus cannot be reached, by a 2/3 vote of said members present.

ARTICLE IV

The highest decision making body shall be the membership meetings of the Northwestern Illinois Greens. A Coordinating Committee will carry out the policies of the Northwestern Illinois Greens between membership meetings. The Coordinating Committee shall be made up of the Northwestern Illinois Greens's representatives to the Illinois Green Party Coordinating Committee, along with the Northwestern Illinois Greens's secretary, treasurer, and elected committee chairs. Decisions of the Northwestern Illinois Greens Coordinating Committee will be made by consensus or a 2/3 vote of Coordinating Committee members present. Coordinating Committee meetings will require a greater than 50% quorum.

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