

**WOODWARD GTO TIGERS
CONSTITUTION & BY-LAWS
(Revised January, 2010)**

**WOODWARD GTO TIGERS CONSTITUTION
OFFICIAL CHAPTER OF THE GTO ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA**

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the organization shall be: Woodward GTO Tigers.

ARTICLE II - PURPOSE

This organization is formed pursuant to the authority granted by the Board of Directors of the GTO Association of America.

The purpose of this organization shall be to promote the preservation, enjoyment, and restoration of Pontiac GTO automobiles; to educate both public and legislative bodies at all levels of these cars' extraordinary contributions to the world's automotive, social and industrial history.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

Membership in this organization shall be open to any GTO enthusiast; GTO ownership is not a prerequisite. Initial membership is subject to approval by the Chapter Officers. Each member must conform to all rules of the organization, and conduct themselves in a manner that promotes the goals, purposes, and good will of the organization. Continuing membership is also subject to Chapter Officers review.

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS

The officers of this organization shall be President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer.

The duties of the officers shall be as described in the By-Laws.
The officers shall be elected in the manner prescribed by the By-Laws.

All officers must be members in good standing with the GTO Association of America during the entirety of their term in office.

ARTICLE V - AMENDMENTS

This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds majority vote of the members present at a regularly called meeting. The call of the meeting must include the proposed amendments.

WOODWARD GTO TIGERS BY-LAWS

SECTION I - CHAPTER ADDRESS WOODWARD GTO TIGERS
643 Woodingham
WATERFORD, MI 48328

SECTION II - DUTIES OF THE OFFICERS

a. President: The President shall preside at all meetings, and shall be the Chief Executive of the Chapter. He shall have general supervision over the development of its entire program. He shall make all Committee appointments subject to approval by the General Membership of the Chapter.

b. Vice President: The Vice President shall perform the duties of the President in his or her absence, and other duties as may be prescribed by the Members.

c. Secretary: The Secretary shall keep minutes of the meetings and maintain a file of reports, a file of correspondence, and maintain an up-to-date record of any business of the Chapter.

d. Treasurer: The Treasurer shall be responsible for the collection of Chapter fees, and the maintaining of financial records regarding the Chapter's receipts and expenditures.

SECTION III - MEETINGS

a. The meetings of this Chapter shall be held monthly. Times and dates for the meetings will be announced in the Chapter's newsletters.

b. Special meetings of the Chapter shall be held on the call of the President, or upon a written call to the Chapter Membership.

SECTION IV - ELECTIONS

a. Only members or associates in good standing by the end of the August membership meeting of each year shall be eligible to hold an office for the new term.

b. Offices open for election each year are: President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer.

c. Nominations for officers shall begin at the September membership meeting of each year and end at the October membership meeting of each year.

d. A member or associate can only accept a nomination for one office.

SECTION IV - ELECTIONS (CONTINUED)

e. If two or more members or associates have accepted a nomination for an office, an election will take place for that office. Ballots will be mailed within one week after the October membership meeting. Ballots must be received by the November membership meeting to be counted. Ballots will be opened and counted at the end of the meeting. The member or associate with the most votes in each office will win their respective office.

f. If only one member or associate has accepted a nomination for each office by the end of the October membership meeting, a vote of affirmation shall be taken by all members present at that meeting. After said vote of affirmation is successfully completed, these nominees will become the new officers.

g. The new officers shall assume their positions immediately after the November membership meeting.

h. Only members or associates in good standing by the end of the August membership meeting of each year shall be eligible to vote in the upcoming election. Each dues paying member or associate will be entitled to cast only one ballot.

SECTION V - COMMITTEES

a. Committees shall be appointed by the President as outlined in Section II (a).

SECTION VI - CLUB DUES

a. The Club Dues shall be \$30.00 per year per member. Dues are not refundable.

b. The full payment of dues will entitle a member to full voting and participation privileges in all chapter functions, and the published issues of the Chapter's newsletter.

c. Membership expiration will occur at the end of the February meeting of each year for each member. If no dues are received before or during that monthly meeting, the membership will be considered lapsed.

d. Club Dues shall be pro-rated for members joining after the February meeting at the rate of \$1.50 per month for the remaining months until the next February meeting.

e. Associate memberships are available for immediate family members who live in the same household of a WGT member.

1. The Club Dues shall be \$10.00 per year per associate.
2. The full payment of dues for each associate member will entitle associate to full voting and participation privileges in all Chapter functions

SECTION VI - CLUB DUES (CONTINUED)

3. Associate membership expiration will occur at the February meeting of each year for every associate member. If no dues are received before or during that monthly meeting, the associate membership will be considered lapsed.
4. Club Dues shall be pro-rated for associate members joining after the February meeting at the rate of \$0.50 per month for the remaining months until the next February meeting.

f. Club Dues shall be waived for the following officers and staff: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, GTOAA Chapter Representative and Newsletter Editor.

SECTION VII - CLUB DISSOLUTION

Should the Woodward GTO Tigers dissolve, all assets, and real and personal property of the Woodward GTO Tigers, will revert to a non-profit organization.

SECTION VIII - AMENDMENTS

a. The By-Laws may be amended by a majority vote at any regularly scheduled meeting.

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