

CHAPTER 24  
PARTICULAR LODGES--BY-LAWS  
UNIFORM CODE OF BY-LAWS  
PARTICULAR LODGES

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

**7.02 Manner and Method of Election.** – In the election of Officers, nominations shall be made in writing to the Lodge Secretary no later than the opening of the first Stated Communication in November and no other nominations will be accepted thereafter. The nominee shall also make a statement in writing stating that he will accept the position if elected no later than the opening of the first Stated Communication in November and no other acceptance letters will be accepted thereafter. Discussions regarding nominees for office may take place among Brethren, but not in open Lodge. A majority of all votes cast, respectively, shall determine. In each succeeding ballot for the same office, when more than two members are voted for, the name or names of the Brother or Brethren having the lowest number of votes, shall, by order of the Master, be dropped; and all votes cast in derogation of said order shall not be counted.

Time of Elections shall be held according to By-Law Section 7.01 of Regulation 24.05 of the Digest of the Masonic Law of Florida, Uniform Code of By-Laws. (2017)

***SUGGESTED* Form for Nomination:  
NOMINEE FOR ELECTIVE LODGE OFFICE**

\_\_\_\_\_ Lodge No. \_\_\_\_\_

**Masonic Year: 20** \_\_\_\_\_

NOMINATION FOR:

- Worshipful Master
- Senior Warden
- Junior Warden
- Treasurer
- Secretary

NAME OF NOMINEE: \_\_\_\_\_

GRAND LODGE MEMBER NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

RESIDENCE ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Address) (City/State/Zip)

RES. PH: \_\_\_\_\_ BUS. OR MBL. PH: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOMINATION BY BROTHER (*Who Must Be A Member of this Lodge*):**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ MEMBER NO. \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that the nominee has agreed to accept the position if elected.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_