

Dear Chapter President,

Welcome to the first year of the 2023-2025 Wisconsin State Organization biennium! The WSO Rules Committee is preparing to work with you to review and update your local chapter rules. Each local chapter of DKG is required to have chapter rules which are consistent with the DKG *Constitution and International Standing Rules* and its state organization bylaws (*Constitution, Article V Section B. 3*). The last review of local chapter rules took place in 2019.



The DKG *Constitution and International Standing Rules* were revised in July 2022. The *Bylaws and Standing Rules of Wisconsin State Organization* were revised in May 2023 to reflect those changes. Revisions to local chapter rules are necessary at this time to provide the consistency required by the DKG *Constitution, Article V Section B.3*.

In the next few weeks, a member of the WSO Rules Committee will contact you to explain the review process and timeline. That person will be your contact during the entire review process. She is ready to answer questions, clarify the meaning of specific language, and assist you as needed.

- North West area (Psi and Alpha Tau): **Leslie Bakkum**
- North East area (Gamma, Zeta, Nu, Alpha Eta): **Mary Dettmering**
- Central West area (Theta, Lambda, Alpha Upsilon Sigma, Alpha Omega): **Shari Eberhardt**
- Central East area (Omicron, Chi, Alpha Beta, Alpha Xi): **Beverly Hess**
- South West area (Mu, Phi, Alpha Gamma, Alpha Iota): **Leslie Bakkum**
- South East area (Beta, Delta, Pi, Beta Alpha): **Kathleen Goodwin**

We look forward to working with you to review your chapter rules. Please locate the most recent copy of your chapter rules and have it easily accessible when your WSO Rules contact person calls you. Enjoy the “dog days” of summer!

2023-2025 WSO Rules Chair,

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