

## RESOLUTION 22R-02

To request the RI Board to consider including the vice president of the club among the officers listed in the Official Directory and also providing him/her with the same access to resources and services available to the club president on My Rotary

**Proposer(s):** Rotary Club of Tandil Oeste, District 4921, Argentina

1 WHEREAS, the vice president, as a member of the club board, is elected by the  
2 members, and

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4 WHEREAS, the vice president plays a very important role since he/she would  
5 take over the duties of the club president in the event of any absence,  
6 impediment, or vacancy, and

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8 WHEREAS, he/she supports the club president throughout his/her term of office  
9 in a joint governance position, and

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11 WHEREAS, the vice president is not listed in the Official Directory and does not  
12 have the same level of access to My Rotary as the club president and other club  
13 leaders

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15 IT IS RESOLVED by Rotary International that the Board of Directors of Rotary  
16 International consider including the first vice president of the club among the  
17 officers listed in the Official Directory and also providing him/her with the same  
18 privileges and access to resources and services available to the club president on  
19 My Rotary.

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### **PURPOSE AND EFFECT**

20 Article 4, section 4 of the Recommended Rotary Club Bylaws defines the vice  
21 president as the person who presides at club and board meetings when the  
22 president is absent and performs other duties incidental to the office.

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24 Most clubs have one or more vice presidents on their boards.

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26 The important role and responsibilities of vice presidents should be clearly  
27 recognized by including them in the Official Directory and facilitating their access  
28 to My Rotary.

## **FINANCIAL IMPACT**

- 1 If implemented, this resolution would have a financial impact on RI which cannot
- 2 be determined at this time. Cost would be dependent on the scope and extent of
- 3 support provided by the RI Board to include the first vice president of the club
- 4 among the officers listed in the Official Directory and provide him/her with the
- 5 same privileges and access to resources and services available to the club
- 6 president on My Rotary.