

## ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE OF THE ARIZONA REGION

### A. Organizational Chart

The Arizona Region addresses most issues facing the region as either adult or juniors' issues. As a result, the organizational structure seeks to provide a voice to both groups. The organizational chart indicates that the Executive Board of Directors addresses adult issues while the Junior Division addresses the juniors' issues. The Juniors Division of the Arizona Region consists of two groups: the Junior General Assembly and the Junior Division Board of Directors.

#### 1. Composition of the Executive Board of Directors

Members of the Arizona Region of USA Volleyball elect an Executive Board of Directors to oversee all of the region's volleyball activities. The members of the Executive Board of Directors consist of the Commissioner, the Commissioner Emeritus, the Secretary/Treasurer, the Adult Division Coordinator, the Officials' Division Coordinator, and the Junior Division Coordinator. Terms of service are 2 years.

#### 2. Composition of the Junior Division

##### a. Junior General Assembly

The Junior General Assembly consists of one voting representative from each junior club volleyball program that has been in existence for a minimum of one year. Members of the Junior General Assembly elect the members of the Junior Division Board of Directors. The "quorum" required for the Junior General Assembly to operate consists of a simple majority of the registered junior club teams.

##### b. Junior Division Board of Directors

The Junior Division Board of Directors is comprised of six elected members from three different geographic regions in the state. Terms of service are 3 years. The Junior Division Board of Directors is chaired by a member of the Junior Board who is elected by the members of the Junior Division Board of Directors. The Junior Board of Directors also elects their representative to the Executive Board who becomes the Junior Division Coordinator. The Junior Division Board of Directors is charged with policy-making decisions regarding junior volleyball in the Arizona Region. Issues that are of concern to the Club Directors are usually presented to the Junior Division Board to discuss and bring to resolution unless

the Junior Division Board is of the opinion that the issue is so important that it should be discussed by the Junior General Assembly.

Members of the Junior Board are elected from each of the three different geographic regions. Only members of that region may elect the representative from that particular region. The three geographic regions consist of the Northern Region, the Southern Region, and the Metro Region. A single representative is elected from each of the Northern and Southern Regions while the Metro Region elects four representatives. The Metro Region will also be divided into Northeast, Southeast, Northwest and Southwest sub-regions.

Each Club will fall into one of the four sub-regions based on the location of most of the Club's activities. Once again, each sub-region will elect one of the four Metro Region representatives to the Junior Division Board of Directors.

## B. Board Meeting Times

### 1. Executive Board

The Executive Board of Directors meets at least once per quarter. If possible, meeting times will be established at the beginning of the season for the entire year. Otherwise, dates and times are determined by the members at the end of each meeting unless the Commissioner calls an emergency session.

### 2. Junior Division Board

The Junior Division Board of Directors meets at least once per quarter. If possible, meeting times will be established at the beginning of the season for the entire year. Otherwise, dates and times are determined by the members at the end of each meeting unless the Chairperson calls an emergency session.