

Bylaws Redesign Task Force

First, I would like to thank those of you agreeing to participate in this redesign project. I am excited to be participating in a process that will shape and prepare our medical staffs for now and probably for a decade or more to come. Feel free to communicate with the members of the Task Force. The more involved we and our peers are the greater the result.

The members of the group joining me in this initiative are:

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We will be meeting on three separate occasions: July 13, 27 and August 24.

During those meetings we will be discussing and codifying the inclusion of the many parts of our bylaws. These include: governance, investigations, corrective actions, hearing, appeals, credentials procedures, function and responsibilities.

This is a complex process. On the conclusion of these retreats we will have a document for review and approval by the Medical Staffs of both Heywood and Athol.

Sincerely,

Bruce Bertrand