

Formation of the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo District

The Multiple District 2 Council of Governors may authorize the formation of a Leo Multiple District when there are ten (10) or more Leo Clubs in Multiple District 2 with a cumulative membership of one hundred (100) or more Leos sponsored by Lions Clubs and recognized by the International Association of Lions Clubs. The Multiple District 2 Texas Leo District shall follow the International Association of Lions Clubs Standard Leo Multiple District Constitution. The territorial boundaries of the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo District shall coincide with the boundaries of the Lions Multiple District 2. The purpose of the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo District is to advance the purposes and objects of the International Association of Lions Clubs Leo Club Program in Multiple District 2.

Responsibilities of the Council of Governors

The Council of Governors shall be responsible for:

1. Appointing the Multiple District 2 Leo Chairperson and submitting the required signed and completed form to the Youth Programs Department of the International Association of Lions Clubs.
2. Reviewing all rulings made by the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo Council regarding complaints of a constitutional nature raised by any Leo Sub-District, Leo Club, or any member of a Leo Club in Multiple District 2.
3. Approving all levies requested of Leo Club members by the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo Council including provision for funding in the annual Council of Governors budget to enable the efficient operation of the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo Council subject to normal rules of audit.
4. Ensuring that the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo Council turns over any profit at the end of the fiscal year, which is to be deposited into the Leo's Reserve account of the Council of Governors.
5. Providing written notice of withdrawal of sponsorship by the Multiple District 2 Council of Governors to the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo Council President in the event such action becomes necessary.

Texas Leo Club Chairperson

The Multiple District 2 Leo Club Chairperson shall be appointed by the Council of Governors to serve a three (3) year term. This appointment shall be subject to the approval of the Council of Governors each year.

Qualifications:

The Multiple District 2 Texas Leo Club Chairperson shall have the following qualifications:

1. Have a record of successful leadership experience working with students twelve (12) to twenty-nine (29) years of age, with their parents, and other adults.

2. Be a credible and well respected Lion in their Lions Club, district, and in Multiple District 2.
3. Have the willingness, energy, temperament, sense of humor, time, and resources to carry out the responsibilities of the chairperson.
4. Have good verbal and written communication skills and be able to make effective presentations to groups of people who have a variety of backgrounds and experiences.
5. Be familiar with regulations governing student groups on a school campus.
6. Have knowledge about the Leo Club program and the resources which are available from the International Association of Lions Clubs.
7. Have good organizational and planning skills.
8. Have a basic knowledge of team-building and motivational skills necessary to work with students and other adults.
9. Be able to travel within Multiple District 2 and elsewhere if necessary

Responsibilities:

The Multiple District 2 Texas Leo Club Chairperson shall be responsible for:

1. Overseeing the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo Club program development.
2. Providing encouragement, coaching, and motivational aids to all Lions who are actively involved in Leo Club extension and development activities.
3. Meeting at least quarterly and individually with Sub-District Leo Club Chairpersons.
4. Publicizing and promoting the Leo Club Program.
5. Serving as a non-voting advisor to the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo Council.
6. Serving as the official liaison between the Council of Governors and the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo Council.
7. Attending Council of Governors meeting and participating in the deliberations of the Council which concern the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo Council.
8. Reporting to the District Leo Councils all resolutions adopted by the Multiple District 2 Texas Leo conference and approved by the Multiple District 2 Council of Governors.
9. Conducting research to identify areas of possible Leo Club extension activities.
10. Conducting leadership training in Multiple District 2 for District Leo Club Advisors and Leo Club officers in accordance with the International Association of Lions Clubs Board of Directors policy.
11. Maintaining contact with the District Leo Club Advisors and encouraging them to report on the progress of the Leo Clubs in their district.
12. Completing all reports required by the International Association of Lions Clubs and the Multiple District 2 Council of Governors.
13. Submit an Annual Budget for approval by the Council of Governors Elect, for the upcoming fiscal year, prior to the MULTIPLE DISTRICT 2 State Convention.