

DAYTON UNDERGROUND GROTTO

CONSTITUTION

- I. The name of this organization shall be the Dayton Underground Grotto of the National Speleological Society.
- II. The purpose of this organization shall be the same as those of the NSS, with the additional purpose of organizing NSS members in the Dayton Ohio area to better promote the objectives of the NSS.
- III. (1) The Dayton Underground Grotto shall be governed by an Executive Committee made up of the following officers (all NSS members) elected annually by the members:
 - (a) Chairman
 - (b) Vice Chairman
 - (c) Secretary
 - (d) Treasurer
 - (e) Four Directors(2) The Executive Committee shall have complete power to manage the business, to raise funds in any manner not inconsistent with the policies of the NSS; and to perform all other necessary functions.
(3) Decisions or actions of the Executive Committee may be overruled by a two-thirds majority vote of the members.
- IV. (1) Executive Committee and general meetings shall be held at such times and places as determined by the Committee.
(2) A petition signed by two-thirds of the membership shall be mandatory upon the Executive Committee to call a special meeting for the purposes stated in the petition.
- V. Full membership is limited to members of the NSS.
- VI. The Constitution and Bylaws of the National Speleological Society shall be binding on the Dayton Underground Grotto. Any action inconsistent therewith shall be null and void.
- VII. Any NSS or Dayton Underground Grotto property shall revert to the NSS in the event of dissolution.

This constitution was last amended on December 9, 2018.