

Bylaws of the  
**Argyle Community Enhancement Team**

Article 1. Name

The name of this organization shall be “Argyle Community Enhancement Team.” Within these Bylaws it shall be called “the Team.”

The name of the Team may only be used, in promotions or in any other way, by affirmative vote of the Board of Directors.

The location of the Team shall be in Argyle, New York State, at a place to be determined by the Board of Directors.

Article 2. Purpose

The purpose of this Team shall be: To promote and support all businesses and organizations of the Township of Argyle and to enhance the community of Argyle.

Article 3. Membership

There shall be two classes of membership:

1. Full membership shall be restricted to persons who are the designated representative of a business or other organizational association within the town limits of Argyle.
2. Associate membership shall be open to all interested community members, without restriction based on locality.

Article 4. Rights and Responsibilities of Membership

1. Full members shall pay annual dues; attend meetings; participate in work assignments; and present a positive face for the community of Argyle. Full Members may vote and may hold office.
2. Associate members shall pay annual dues, and may accept work assignments. They may attend specified meetings but will have no vote. They will receive special notification of events, including the opportunity for early reservations; a discount for advertising; a newsletter; and may choose to be listed on the website and other such privileges as shall be designated from time to time.
3. Dues shall be set by the Board of Directors annually.
4. The Team reserves the right to terminate the membership and all rights of any member who does not meet these responsibilities. This is done by two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors, subject to a reasonable appeals process.

#### Article 5. Board of Directors

1. The Team shall be governed by a Board of Directors made up of three officers: a President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. There may be up to four members at large. The number of members of the Board of Directors shall not be less than three or more than seven. All meetings of the Board of Directors shall be announced and open to full members.
2. The duties of the Board of Directors shall be: to direct and control the affairs of the Team toward the achievement of its stated purposes; to establish policies and procedures; to adopt rules and regulations governing the actions of the Board and members, except that the purposes of the Team as stated in the Bylaws and in the Certificate of Incorporation shall not be changed ; to raise and manage the funds of the Team, not permitting any part of the funds of the Team to be used to the benefit of any private individual.
3. The President shall call meetings, set the agenda for each meeting, and run the meetings; have general supervision of the affairs of the Team; and represent the Team to the greater world. S/He will keep the Board of Directors fully informed and will freely consult with them concerning the activities of the Team.
4. The Secretary shall keep the records of the Team, write and distribute the minutes of all meetings, and execute any written communications. S/He shall have charge of all the records of the Team and shall see that all reports and other documents required by law are properly kept or filed.
5. The Treasurer shall, under the supervision of the Board, receive and expend all monies in the interest of the Team.
6. The term of each Board member shall be one year. All Board members shall be full members of the Team. Any member of the Board may resign by submitting a resignation in writing to the President, or may be removed for cause by affirmative vote of two-thirds of the remaining members of the Board. No compensation shall be paid to any member of the Board, but they may be reimbursed for reasonable expenditures in the interest of the Team.

Article 6. Roberts Rules of Order shall be followed at all meetings.

Article 7. Amendment of these Bylaws

Aside from the purposes of the Team, these Bylaws may be amended by affirmative vote of two-thirds of the Board of Directors and members present at a meeting called for that purpose, with at least 10 days written notice to all full members.

Article 7. Dissolution of the Team

In the event that this Team shall be dissolved, any monies remaining in the treasury shall be donated to a non-profit 501-C-3 group to be specified by the Board of Directors

Adopted this 12<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2008 by the Board of Directors.