

Article VI Local Chapters

- Section 1** Any high school is eligible to apply for a charter of a local chapter. Each school shall have its own chapter except in situations where a school's size precludes the formation of a full Faculty Advisory Council. In such cases a chapter can be shared as long as all other constitutional requirements can be met.
- Section 2** Each chapter shall complete a charter application, supplied by the National Office, and pay a chartering fee determined by the National Advisory Council.
- Section 3** Each chapter shall pay an annual affiliation fee determined by the National Advisory Council.
- Section 4** Local-chapter member dues, if any, shall be determined by the local chapter and shall be subject to the approval of the chapter's Faculty Advisory Council.
- Section 5** Duly chartered local chapters shall conform to this constitution as set forth by the National Advisory Council. Failure to do so may result in the loss of the charter.
- Section 6** Each chapter shall submit annually its new-member list and associated fees.
- Section 7** Any chapter that fails to fulfill the provisions of this constitution and bylaws, or which conducts its affairs and business in such a way as to contradict or impede the progress and purposes of NEHS, shall forfeit its charter. In the event that a charter is to be canceled at the request of the local chapter the National Office will recognize and register such cancellation.
- Section 8** A chapter that does not submit annually its (a) new-member information and fees, and (b) annual affiliation fee, shall be deemed inactive. After two years of inactive status, the chapter shall forfeit its charter. The chapter may be reinstated upon submitting reactivation papers and fees, as determined by the National Advisory Council.