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Special Meeting Votes To Refuse **Purchase Of Commercial Property**

At its peak some 200 Takoma and Greenbelt members attended the special GCS meeting last Friday night, although a quorum did not materialise until the middle of the evening. The membership voted to accept as offered the proposals of the board of directors regarding the sale of the commercial property, and the motions presented by the auditing committee in its spcial report..

Debate on the question of GCS purchase of the commercial properties in Greenbelt was limited to forty-five minutes. Reports from Walter Bierwagen, chairman, and Henry Walter, GVHC liaison committee member, from the Board, and of general manager Sam Ashelman, agreed in substance that (1) the PHA price of \$628,000 is too high; (2) the buildings under consideration are in many cases obsolete; (3) GCS ought to be flexible financially, especially in view of the possible opening of a new commercial center at the super-highway cloverleaf at the Glenn Dale-Branchville roads; and (4) if GCS bought all the real estate, the estimated deficit would run from \$20-000-\$33,000 a year. Thomas Ritchie, finance chairman of GVHC, after remarking that "this was strictly a Greenbelt problem,' said there were several "gimmicks" in Ashelman's figures and wanted to know why there had been no attempt to form a special corporation to buy the real estate, thereby alleviating the income tax which Ashelman's report stated it would be difficult to cope with if GCS should buy. He also objected to the exclusion of the possibility of sales expansion in Greenbelt on the charts of estimated expenses prepared by management for the

meeting. Board Motions Passed

Despite some difference of opinion also about PHA's intentions to renegotiate the present favorable GCS lease, the following motions. which had originated with director Morris Solomon and were seconded by directors George Davidsen and Sam Schwimmer, were passed:

"It is the unanimous recommendation of your Board of Directors,

"1. Greenbelt Consumer Services inform the Greenbelt Veterans Housing Corporation that GCS does not desire to purchase the commercial property as offered at the present price by Public Housing Administration; and

That GCS should negotiate further with PHA, either thru GVHC, so long as they are the preferred purchaser for the commercial property, or thereafter directly, regarding the renewal terms of the GCS lease and purchase of the land under the supermarket, and possibly other parcels."

The second portion of the agenda, concerning the manner of filling a board vacancy, provoked sharp discussion, evidencingamong other things-unexpected hostility between Greenbelt and Takoma members. At its outset. president Walter Bierwagen yielded the chair to past-president Dayton Hull of Kensington, in order to permit his own participation in debate. Although Ralph Hirshtritt of 19-M Ridge questioned the parliamentary legality of Bierwagen's appointment, the matter was dismissed when Mrs. Lib Siegal of Takoma volunteered the information that the procedure was legal according to Roberts' Rules of Or-

Audit Report

Mrs. Carnie Harper, auditing committee chairman, read the report which had been occasioned in large measure by the June 6 election to the board, during the absence of 3 members, of a new director as an interim replacement

for a defaulting Takoma member. The four board members involved in the election (Harry Zubkoff, Morris Solomon, Cal Winegarden and Sam Schwimer), maintained through statements by Solomon and Schwimer, that (1) the absence of two of the directors from that meeting (Bierwagen and Walter, who attended a liaison meeting with Council and GVHC after being excused, they said, from the GCS board) was "improper"; (2) an interim appointment required a person of experience and marked interest, such as Mrs. Eleanor Ritchie, who had attended every board meeting of the year and is a past director, had shown; (3) Bierwagen's continued absences from exexecutive meetings made it difficult, if not impossible, to cooperate with him about agendas, for which that committee is responsible; and (4) the legality of the proceedings on June 6, as attested by the auditing committee after consultation with by-laws and legal counsel.

Bierwagen, replying to charges of his frequent absences, stated "there is no merit in their mentioning my absences from board functions." No one, he intimated, possible attend all the meetings Mr. Solomon, as chairman and only other committee member, could call. (The defaulting director, Charles Bicking, was on the executive committee). On two occasions members from the floor asked the board "why all the haste" in holding the election when three driectors were absent. In his allowed twenty-minute statement, Schwimer maintained that members had waited until the last minute for the return of Bierwagen and Walter to vote on a matter of, as one board member put it, "top priority."

Audit Motions On Trial

William C. Arntz, who had missed the meeting in question, emphasized his position as the only Takoma director, although, he said, it was "less significant that a Takoma member was not elected" to fill the gap and "more significant that I was not there." He thought it "unusual," he claimed, "that the board did not try to get the best qualified candidate," although he was not questioning Mrs. Ritchie's ability. "Given the facts of an unadvertised election and the board members' refusal to reconsider it (at a special board meeting two weeks ago)," he said, "it seems to me that the members concerned may not be competent to be board members."

After it was pointed out that the audit committee had erred in reporting that Bierwagen and Walter had been absent in order to attend a meeting concerning the sale of the commercial property, member Hirshtritt wanted to know if "it is legal for the board to reconsider" the act of an election. He was told by the chair the board must decide and can consult legal authorities. Discussion was terminated by vote shortly after the attainment of a quorum, and the following two motions were adopted in rapid suc-

1) Since, in the election of a director at the board meeting on June 6. (a) not all board members were advised of the impending election or of the existence of a vacancy on the board, and (b) a director See GCS, Page 4

New Vicar Robt. Jones Replaces E. Birner

Robert Jones, the new Lutheran vicar, arrived in Greenbelt last Tuesday morning. He will assume the duties of Edward Birner, who leaves Greenbelt to finish his schooling at Concordia Seminary in St. Louis.

Mr. Jones, a native of Kansas City, Mo., is also a student of Concordia Seminary. He has finished three years of Seminary work after completed his preparatory work at St. Paul's College in Concordia, Mo. Majoring in the field of education Mr. Jones has also matriculated at Kansas City University. He comes to Greenbelt after serving a year of vicarage in Billings, Montana.

Included in his plans for this parish are a Vacation Bible School to start during the latter part of July, and a kindergarten. Both of these schools will be held in the new church building.

July Fourth Program

10 a.m. - Parade; Units will form at Southway and Ridge. The line of march will be down Southway through Centerway onto Crescent at the gas station; thence out Crescent to the Lake Entrance. The reviewing stand will be located beyond Parkway on Crescent. Grand Marshal Austin Green will lead the parade. Leading units will be U. S. Marine drill team, U. S. Navy Color Guard and Greenbelt Band, followed by floats, drill teams and rolling equipment of various local civic and commercial organizations, visiting fire departments and rescue squads and many others. Prizes will be awarded for the best in the following catego-

Best-appearing fire apparatus, Unit from farthest point, Oldest piece of motor equipment, Bestappearing rescue squad, Ladies auxiliary unit of greatest number. Best commercial float, Best civic float, Best youth float, Best horsedrawn vehicle, Best decorated bicycle, Best decorated tricycle, Best decorated scooter, Best decorated wagon, Best costume (girl), Best costume (boy).

Note: All children entering in the above categories, (bicycle, tricycle, wagon, scooter or costume) must come to the police station Thursday evening and get your identifying number.

10:15 a.m. - U. S. Marine drill team exhibition

11 a.m. - Speaker

11:15 a.m. - Opening concessions and games, Pony rides

1 p.m. - Track meet (events for all ages, 2 to ?, Girls, Boys, Men,

Women and Families,) 2 p.m. - Opening of giant Bingo S p.m. to 5 p.m. - Exhibitions by Greenbelt Majorettes at each hour 6 p.m. - Band Concert

9:30 p.m. - Spectacular Fireworks Display over the Lake. If you are in Greenbelt, don't miss

this big day.

PLAYGROUND

Some playgrounds will open with the cooperation of mothers who are willing to contribute to a fund for their own playground supervisor. One of them is at the 14 court on Hillside Road, to open Monday with a junior supervisor working with preschool age children for 5 days a week from 10-12 a.m.

If other courts desiring to organize a playground are willing to contribute fifty cents a week with not less than ten families joining, they may contact Mrs. J. H. Elder at 5251 or the Recreation Department.

Bordenet Seeks Special Meeting; **Petition Underway For July 15**

By Carolyn Miller

Petitioning for a special membership meeting of Greenbelt Veteran Housing Corporation to be held July 15 or earlier, four GVHC board members, four city councilmen and nearly fifty other members have requested membership approval of the terms of the contract to purchase Greenbelt.

B. Barker First Co-Op Kindergarten Teacher

By Miriam G. Johnson

Still asking for applicants for the position of kindergarten teacher at the North End school, the Greenbelt Cooperative Kindergarten is proud to announce the engagement of Mrs. Curtis F. Barker as incumbent for that position in the Center school beginning with the fall term. Well-known for her previous community activities, Mrs. Barker is the mother of two Scout-age boys, Curtis Jr., 131/2, and Brent, 11, as well as being a qualified teacher.

Mrs. Barker attended Michigan State Teachers College, majoring in special education for orthopedies. She spent a year packed with poignant experiences caring for a group of ten stricken children in Home for Crippled Children located just outside of Detroit.

In 1950 and 1951, Mrs. Barker taught third and fourth grade at the Greenbelt North 2nd School, and at various other times has substituted in first and fifth grade both Greenbelt schools. The attractive young matron anticipates with great pleasteaching kindergarten-age children. She is an accomplished pianist and handicraft worker. The Barkers have been Greenbelt residents for 131/2 years. Mr. Barker is a legal coordinator in the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

Qualified teachers interested in the North End school position are asked to contact City Manager Charles T. McDonald.

2 Greenbelters To Aid Co-op Institute Staff

Walter Volckhausen and Benjamin Rosenzweig are two Greenbelters planning to contribute to the discussion leadership at the twenty-third annual Cooperative Institute, to be held at the University of Massachusetts in Amherst July 20-26.

The week-long session will be highlighted by such speakers as Murray D. Lincoln, president of the Cooperative League-USA and the Farm Bureau Insurance companies, and noted credit-union leader Roy Bergengren.

Bob Treyz will conduct the program of folk-dancing and group activities which aids instituters to combine their recreation with the making of new friendships.

Conference sessions and roundtables will be held. Adult expenses for the week will be \$42.50, including tuition, room and board; \$32.50 for children over 6, and \$22.50 for children under 6. Reservations, with \$10 deposit per person, should be sent at once to the Cooperative Institute Association, 167 Albany St., Cambridge 39, Mass. Car pools will be arranged from Greenbelt, as GCS plans to send half-adozen of its employes to take advantage of the session.

ST. HUGH'S PICNIC

According to Committee Chairman Robert Myers, plans for the St. Hugh's Parish Picnic, to be held Sunday, July 13 on the Church grounds, have been completed.

(A copy of the petition and a statement from board member Bordenet and President Mike Salzman will be found elsewhere in The Cooperator.)

Complies With Rules

At Monday night's board meeting, President Mike Salzman read GVHC's submission to PHA in which it presented evidence of compliance with the conditions required by PHA prior to entering into a contract of sale, and requested PHA to send GVHC a proposed contract of sale.

The submission states that GVHC wishes to buy the dwelling units, exclusive of the apartments, and the undeveloped land, exclusive of undeveloped land reserved for commercial use.

GVHC also asked that PHA "reexamine the time limitation" of 90 days between signing the contract to purchase and closing the sale so that an "adequate period" could be agreed upon. In explanation of this request, GVHC cites the need for time to secure credit ratings on prospective purchasers and the selection of units by the

Rent Increase

The submission states that it is the understanding of GVHC that PHA "now proposes to file with the Office of Rent Stabilization an aplication for rent increases (to be put into effect at the time of the transfer of title) so that purchasing members will not be placed in a position of subsidizing Greenbelt residents who elect not to join in the purchase but continue to rent.' In other words, PHA is to ask ORS for rentals equal to the monthly payment schedules of

As evidence of adequate financing for the undeveloped land and the unsold units, the submission was accompanied by a copy of a letter of understanding with Peoples Development Company whereby PDC will advance up to \$300,000

The "letter of understanding" with PDC was read to the board by Salzman and approved by the board subject to certain clarifications and modifications.

Roy Davis reported on preliminary talks with real estate brokers concerning handling the sale of the remaining units.

The board voted to secure credit ratings on non-resident applicants. The GVHC office at 40-A Crescent will be closed for the threeday weekend.

MIDNIGHT SWIM

On July 4 the swimming pool will open its doors to the public starting at 10 p.m. and closing at 1 in the morning. Music will accompany the swimming-all for the benefit of the Boy's Club. This is in conjunction with the holiday celebration. All tickets will be on sale by the Boy's Club advisory board at the lake, or you may buy them at the swimming pool.

The pool will close its doors at 6 p.m. Friday the Fourth and reopen at 10 that evening. The weather man has promised a hot night and the recreation department hopes everyone takes advantage of the special swim.

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Thursday, July 3, 1952

GVHC Petition

Pursuant to the By-Laws of Greenbelt Veteran Housing Corporation the petitioners hereby request that (1) a special membership meeting of the Corporation be held on or about July 15th, 1952, or earlier if it be possible to give legal notice thereof for an earlier date, (2) that the officers and directors of the Corporation refrain from taking any action to commit the Corporation by contract or otherwise to any course of action inconsistent with the propositions set forth herein, and (3) that all actions necessary to give legal notice to all members of the Corporation be taken, for the purpose of having the membership vote on the following propositions

1. Amend the By-Laws to provide: "All members of the Corporation shall have the right to inspect and copy the record of the names and addresses of all members of the Corporation at any time during regular office hours of the Corporation."

2. The Corporation shall not enter into a contract to purchase the undeveloped land under conditions whereby the investments of members who purchase houses in Greenbelt might be directly or indirectly jeop-

3. The Corporation shall not enter into a contract to purchase Greenbelt except upon the condition that at least ninety (90) percent of the housing units involved be sold before consummation of the purchase

In order that members of the Corporation will not have their investments jeopardized or have to pay additional amounts to cover any deficiencies as a result of houses financed and rented by the Corporation, the Corporation shall not enter into a contract to purchase Greenbelt unless the rent to be received by the Corporation for such units is sufficient to cover all expenses of purchase and operation of such units.

Bordenet's Statement

The Board planned to sign the contract to purchase before consulting the membership about the terms and conditions under which Greenbelt would be purchased, which would have precluded the membership of the corporation from having any voice in determing those terms and conditions. In order that they might have a voice in determining some of the matters which would vitally affect their pocket-books, I thought they should have an opportunity to consider the matters involved before the contract was signed. The board refused to make the signing of the contract contingent upon the membership approving the terms. Therefore, the only thing to do was to go ahead and petition for a meeting."

Little League Leader Stopped

Greenbelt's Little League got five games this past week after a whole scheduled week of rain or wet grounds postponements. Feature of the week was the initial downfall of the hitherto unbeaten College Park Legion cohorts.

DeWayne "Sammy" Barron bested Ronnie Newman 2-0 in a hot pitchers' duel Tuesday, June 24, Greenbelt Bowling Alley over Co-

Ellsworth Byers pitched the Indians to a 7-4 win over Barry Petroff and his Post 136 Redbird mates two evenings later. Byers helped his own winning cause by hitting 2 for 2.

David Allen hit and pitched Bernie Emmert's Co-op to a 8-7 victory over Bob Kelly's hard-trying Redbirds in the first game last Saturday morning. David Goldfaden, third Cardinal flinger, was charged with the loss. Allen singled safely three times while Rex McGill's two hits topped the Birds.

Second game of the morning brought the stunning upset of the season. George Preston's defending champion Izaak Walton League team, off to a rough start this season, rose up in fury and smacked down the proud College Park Legion by 13 to 3. It was the first loss in seven games for the "For-

eign" Legion. Ironic twist to the game was that

SALZMAN'S STATEMENT

The Board of Directors of the Greenbelt Veteran Housing Corp. has already voted to call a special membership meeting after the preliminary contract to purchase had been signed with PHA in order to bring many questions regarding the actual acquisition before the membership for determination by the membership.

The petition for a special membership meeting is ill-advised and premature, for the principles contained in items 2, 3, and 4 of this petition were specifically included among the questions the board of directors had agreed the membership should decide. In fact the board of directors had already taken action to restrict the purchase of Greenbelt if it was determined that rentals from units, to be rented by GVHC, were not sufficient to cover expenses. The board has also taken action to restrict the purchase of Greenbelt unless a specified percent of housing units involved were sold prior to consummation of the purchase.

Vacation Bible School

All boys and girls between the ages of 3 and 14 are welcome to attend the Trinity Lutheran Vacation Bible School. School begins on Monday, July 7, and will close on Friday, July 18. Classes are held Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. until noon.

The Trinity Lutheran school bus will transport the children to and from the school. The bus route will be from Southway, on Ridge to Research to Hillside to Edmonston Road on Crescent. The bus is due in Greenbelt at

Bobby Taylor was the pitcher who stopped his Dad's winning streak. Young Taylor rubbed it in with a couple of safeties too. Largest offensive contribution was the perfect 3 for 3 by Tommy Iveson, all three doubles! Brent Barker and Bernie Emmert, Jr. kicked in with three hits apiece. Fred Johnson and Don McDonald had two hits apiece for the Legion.

Tuesday evening found a rebounding Taylor's Legion blasting Jim Ewing's Greenbelt Bowling Alley. The Bowlers could have tied the Legion with a victory but failed by a few runs—they lost 23

COMMUNITY CHURCH PROTESTANT

Eric T. Braund, Minister Telephone 7931

Saturday, July 5 - Landscape Bee. Sunday, July 6 - Services at 9 and 11 a.m. Sermon by Rev. Eric T. Braund, who returns from the General Council of Congregational Churches in Claremont, Calif. Sunday School Hours, 9 a.m., Nursery and Primary; 9:50, Juniors through Adults; 11 a.m., Nursery and Beginners. Monday, July 7 - 8 p.m., Board of Trustees Meeting in Church Office.

Every Sunday evening during July and August the Washington Federation of Churches and others are sponsoring a program of recreation, picnics, vespers and concert in the Carter Barron Amphitheatre and the adjoining recreation area in Rock Creek Park. The recreation program is for youthservicemen— and young adults; the Community Vespers for all

Time Schedule: 4 p.m., Recreation (directed by YMCA, YWCA and USO); 6 p.m., Picnic, sandwiches and soft drinks may be purchased: 7 p.m., Community Vespers in Carter Barron Amphitheatre; 8 p.m., Service Band Con-

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C. R. Strausburg, Minister Telephone 4987

Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Classes for all ages. Richard Hoffman, superintendent. 11 a.m., Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, conducted by the Pastor and assisted by the choir. Reception of members and baptism of infants at this service. The public is invited to share this subject with us.

ST. HUGH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. Victor J. Dowgiallo, Pastor Greenbelt 5911

Saturday: Confessions, 4 to 5:30 p.m. for children, 7 to 9 p.m. for adults. Sunday: Masses, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m. This Sunday is Holy Communion Sunday for all members of the Sodality, at the 7:30 Mass. Junior Sodality members will receive Communion at the 8:3\$ a.m. Mass.

Baptisms: Sunday 1 p.m. Anyone wishing to have a baby baptized should notify Father Dowgiallo beforehand.

Wednesday: Novena Services,

Father Dowgiallo will be away from July 6 through July 13. During his absence a Trinitarian will serve the Parish.

GREENBELT LUTHERAN CHURCH Edward H. Birner, Vicar

Telephone 3703

Friday, July 4 - Members of the congregation will meet on the Church property at 8 a.m. to help landscape and clean the property. A picnic lunch will also be served. Sunday, July 6 - Sunday School and adult Bible class at 9:45 a.m. Classes are held for all ages. Raymond Carriere, superintendent. 11 a.m., Church Service. This will be our last service in the Center School. Visitors are always welcome. The nursery will be under the supervision of Mrs. Carriere and Mrs. Winterhak. Monday, July 7 - Hyattsville Vacation Bible School be-



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Tommy Burke, five-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Burke, 2-A Research Road, remains in a very serious condition at the Prince Georges Hospital in Cheverly, Maryland. His playmates wish him a speedy recovery.

On his fifth anniversary as pastor of St. Hugh's, the people of St. Hugh's presented Father Dowgiallo with a purse of \$400. Charlie Wright, chairman of the parish committee, made the presentation. Refreshments were served by the ladie's, accompanied by songs from Bob Brady and Jim McHugh.

Bob and Jane Volckhausen, Forestway, left this week with Janet Rose and Paul for their vacation at Monterey, Massachusetts.

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Letters To Editor

GCS Meeting

Mr. Ashelman and his loyal stalwarts counted on the long-proven apathy of GCS's Greenbelt membership to keep them from the special meeting last Friday, and were not disappointed. Greenbelters stayed home, and so credit for the quorum goes to our fellow cooperators of Takoma Park, who impressed me with their intelligence and alertness. The outcome of that meeting, as everyone knows, was to figuratively slap the wrists of the GCS Board for a supposedly intemperate and undemocratic act in electing Eleanor Ritchie for an interim 90-day term of office on the Board. Whatever the fate of Mrs. Ritchie, there remains the obvious paradox of labeling as undemocratic a Board which for the first time in years has some members on it who take the initiative. The raison d'etre of the Board in the past was solely to put the official stamp of approval on whatever ideas Mr. Ashelman came up with. Membership meetings have been very cut and dried, even dull, with Mr. Ashelman glibly rationalizing away all possible criticism. I'm told that at one time meetings were very well attended, and interesting. What has caused this, decay, and indifference on the part of once active members? Have Greenbelters decided to turn their business over to Mr. Ashelman for use in his empire-building? There is certainly no objection to expansion as such, and the spread of the Cooperative ideal, but there is great resentment at the manner in which the present manager, thru the help of yes-men on the Board, present faits accomplis to the membership.

There is a way to revitalize our Co-op, of which Greenbelters and Takoma Park cooperators could be proud if it were first and foremost a Co-op instead of simply another big business. That is by resolving, every one of us, to attend all membership meetings in the future and to look in on Board meetings as well, to find out what's going on. It is the responsibility of every member to participate in the operation of his business, in other words, to COOPERATE.

Miriam Solomon

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residing in the Takoma Park area was replaced without consultation with the remaining director from the Takoma Park area or with other active members from that area; therefore the membership requests that the board reconsider its action in filling the said vacancy.

2) The membership is of the opinion that, when a vacancy occurs on the board of directors, the board should in filling that vacancy be certain (a) that all board members have been notified of the existence of the vacancy and of the meeting at which it is proposed that the vacancy shall be filled; and (b) that the views of all board members have been solicited as to qualified candidates.

"Sectionalism"

The final audit committee motion, involving "particular consideration to candidates living in the same geographic area as the director whose post has been vacated," pinpointed the serious nature of this portion of the meeting. As was pointed out in the Cooperator last week, the publicity for the meeting varied in Takoma Park and Greenbelt, with extensive activity in the former. Major emphasis of the Takoma flyer appeared to have been on the necessity for members from that area to rally and save their "stake in the co-op," apparently threatened by the replacement of a Takoma director with a member from Greenbelt, whose experience and interest no one at the meeting denied. Director William Arntz insisted that geographical representation allowed "administrative convenience." But at least three Takoma members, including Milton Kramer, a former director, felt that the motion "highlights sectionalism.'

Ben Rosenzweig, auditing committee member, maintained that if the electorate had decided, according to proportional representation as used at the general membership election meeting, to choose two Takoma representatives, the proportion ought to be kept intact. The motion passed, by a slim margin.

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From the Record

In reference to matters of legality which came up at the GCS special membership meeting last Friday, the following applicable rules from both the co-op's by-laws and Roberts Rules of Procedure, which govern GCS meeting, are presented for general information:

1. On the yielding of the chair. GCS By-laws, Art. X, Sec. 14 -The president shall act as presiding officer at all meetings of the membership and the board. In his absence the vice-president shall so act. Of if both are absent other directors shall select a chairman. Roberts Rules (1943) - Art. X, Para. 58, page 240-The president may relinquish the chair to the first vicepresident . . . If no vice-president is present the chairman sometimes calls a member to the chair. . . . Nothing can justify doing so in a case where much feeling is shown. . .

2. On reconsideration of action already taken.

Roberts Rules (1943) - Article VI, Para. 37, pages 169-70-A motion to rescind or reconsider can be applied . . . with the following exceptions . . . : After an action has been taken as the result of a vote; . . . when a resignation has been acted upon, or one has been elected to or expelled from membership or office and the person was present or has been notified of the acceptance or expulsion.

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