# Mutual Aid Box Alarm System – Illinois

# Policy - Practices - Guidelines Manual

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Subject: Reconsideration of MABAS Executive Board Decisions

Functional Area: Governance and Administration

Category: Policy

Approved By:



#### **PURPOSE**

To provide policy guidance to the MABAS Executive Board regarding reconsideration of previously approved or disapproved agenda items.

### **RESPONSIBILITY**

This policy is assigned to the MABAS Bylaws and Elections Committee. Approval authorization and enforcement of the policy is the responsibility of the MABAS Executive Board under the guidance of the MABAS Elected Committee as defined through the MABAS Bylaws.

#### **ACCOUNTABILITY**

Compliance to this policy is the responsibility of the MABAS Elected Committee through facilitation of MABAS Executive Board agendas.

#### REPORTING REQUIREMENT

Executive Board agenda meeting minutes.

## **POLICY**

The Illinois Open Meetings Act and Roberts Rules of Order provide the guiding principles for the conduct of MABAS business at Executive Board Meetings. Decisions of the MABAS Executive Board are binding and generally will not be reconsidered except as outlined below:

- 1. Motion to Reconsider: No agenda item that has been voted upon, whether approved or disapproved, may be reconsidered during the same meeting.
- 2. Elected Committee Action: By its own action, or at the request of an Executive Board member, the Elected Committee may place an item on a future Executive Board Agenda requesting reconsideration of a prior decision that occurred less than one (1) year prior. Information regarding the background and purpose of the repeated agenda item must be distributed to all Divisions a minimum of forty-five (45) days prior to the scheduled meeting. The subsequent vote will require approval from a super-majority of 2/3 of all divisions to succeed.
- 3. Other Actions: This policy shall not preclude the Executive Board from amending policy, directives, or decisions for business that was enacted, approved or disapproved more than one (1) year prior. The routine agenda and adoption process may be utilized for these actions.