

Summary of Changes to 2017 By-laws

Section	Line Number	Notes
Article I	16-17	Provided dates of succeeding MOUs
Article I	20	Includes Cal OES as an original non-voting member
Article I	23-25	Description of expiration dates of MOUs
Article II	32-35	Deletes closed grant programs and adds 2017 date
Article III	47	Updates MOU date
Article IV	57	Moves Officer elections to Jan meeting
Article V	81	Removes advisory group and adds working groups reporting to GM
Article VI, 6.2	96-99	Defines when meetings are held
Article VI, 6.6	122-124	Defines publication and distribution of meeting materials
Article VII, 7.1	240, 243	Updates the date of the MOU
Article VII, 7.1 b	238, 240	Removes "either direct or indirect" language
Article VII, 7.1 f	247-249	Defines new hires and any compensation changes
Article VII, 7.3	271-273	Updates MOU date
Article VII, 7.4 a	288	Updates MOU date
Article VII 7.4 c and f	299 and 309	Removes "advisory groups"
Article VII, 7.6	325	Add "and/or his designee"
Article VII, 7.6	335	Changes quarterly to periodic financial reports
Article VIII, 8.2 c	355	Changes National Preparedness Guidelines to National Preparedness System
Article VIII, 8.2 d	356-359	Updates alignment from Homeland Security Strategy to Goals and Objectives and THIRA
Article VIII, 8.3 b	373-376	Deletes language about regional initiatives since all projects are treated the same way in the application
Article VIII, 8.3 d	382-385	Defines that Approval Authority approves all allocations in the grant application
Article VIII, 8.4 a	398-399	Defines the GM's reporting of grant award allocations
Article VIII, 8.4 b-c	402-407	Deletes closed grant programs
Article VIII, 8.5	412-420	Deletes section on Allocation of UASI Regional funds
Article VIII, 8.5		New numbering due to deletion of original 8.5
Article VIII, 8.5 a	428	Changes Homeland Security Strategy to Goals and Objectives
Article VIII, 8.5 b	434,435	Changes Homeland Security Strategy to Goals and Objectives and adds GM designee as a reporter for budget changes
Article VIII, 8.5 c	443	Adds GM designee as a reporter for timeline changes
Article VIII, 8.5 e	448, 451	Changes Title of Manual from Policies and Procedures to Grants Manual and adjusts language about sub-recipients wishing to return funds
Article VIII, 8.6 b iii	491-497	Updates language describing titles of federal guidance documents and updates Homeland Security Strategy to Goals and Objectives
Article VIII, 8.6 b v	503-506	Updates Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) numbers

Article VIII, 8.7	523-524	Changes Title of Manual from Policies and Procedures to Grants Manual
Article IX	534-536	Updates dates of MOU
Article X	541	Change two-thirds vote to a majority vote
Appendix A	548-593	Updated Approval Authority Agenda Item Template