

Article VIII ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE OF THE GPOC
Sec 1: County Councils

Paragraph A: Members

i. When county councils elected.

At each direct primary election, members of county councils shall be elected in each county. Counties are encouraged to hold caucuses to choose a slate of gender-balanced candidates.

ii. Grounds for removal

Any member of the county council may be removed if they:

- a) Register as a member of another political party, or
- b) Violate the bylaws of the state plenary or county.

Paragraph B: Election Instructions

i. Registration figures.

For the purposes of this section the registration figures used shall be those taken from the statement of voters and their political affiliations transmitted by the county clerks to the Secretary of State on the 135th day prior to the next direct primary election.

ii. Number of members to be elected.

If the county has less than 150 registered Green Party voters, the number of members to be elected in that county will be three.

Otherwise, the number of members of the county council to be elected shall be the greater of:

- a. The number seven, or
- b. The integer nearest the resulting quotient obtained by dividing 100 times the number of Green Party registered voters in the county by the number of Green Party registered voters in the state.

iii. Method of electing members.

In each county where the number of members of county councils to be elected is 7 or less, the members shall be elected in a countywide, at large district.

In each county where the number to be elected is 8 or greater, and there exist supervisorial districts, the members shall be elected by supervisorial district.

iv. Optional county council selection process

Counties may choose to modify the method of selecting their county council or the size of their county council by notifying the State Coordinating