

Ohio Columbia Association Constitution

Article I

The name of this association shall be Ohio Columbia Association

Article II

The objects and purposes for which this Association is formed are and shall be:

To support, strengthen and advance the objectives, purposes and programs of the Columbia Sheep Association of America through united action of the Ohio Columbia Association.

To encourage, promote and aid the breeding, improvement, distribution and use of high quality Columbia sheep in the state of Ohio through support and use of such recognized agencies as research, publication and circulation of literature, sales, shows and other means.

To advance, equally, the interests of all members of this Association.

To raise funds for the purpose of this Association and to acquire and have money to spend for any purpose not contrary to law.

Article III

The affairs of this Association shall be vested in a board of nine directors, six of whom shall be elected for terms of three years each, along with the President, Vice-President, and Secretary – Treasurer of the Association who shall serve con-currently with their elected terms to each respective office.

Article IV

The principal place of business shall be the Secretary's office, or such other place as the Board of Directors may designate.

Article V

Any member of the Ohio Columbia Association in good standing who resides in the state of Ohio shall be eligible for membership in the Association upon payment of the required membership fee.

Article VI

Any part of this Constitution may be altered or amended by a two-thirds vote of all active members of the Association. Any part of the By-Laws which governs the functioning of the Association, may be altered or amended by a majority vote of all members present in person or by proxy at the regular annual meeting of this Association.

Article VII

By signatures affixed, we the organizing members, declare the Ohio Columbia Association duly formed under this Constitution and By-Laws to be developed and attached.