



Association for Middle Level Education
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AMLE Initiative Petition

Submitted by: _____

Date Submitted: _____ AMLE Membership #: _____

Each member must have raised the issue addressed in this initiative petition with an “appropriate trustee,” i.e., one of the regional trustees, the teacher, or diverse cultures trustee) within the member’s region prior to submitting an initiative petition in order that available channels for board consideration have been exhausted prior to the commencement of this process.

AMLE Trustee(s) contacted prior to submitting this petition:

The initiative petition must meet the following criteria for Board of Trustees consideration:

- 1) The petition has been submitted in compliance with the prerequisites of this policy.
- 2) The petition is consistent with the mission statement and primary positions of AMLE.
- 3) The petition does not seek any specific management action(s).
- 4) The petition addresses a previously adopted resolution or addresses a priority, value, opinion, belief, conviction, and/or position that is appropriate and helpful for the education of young adolescents.

The initiative petition must be signed by 25 active members, 12 of whom hold individual membership. Include a signature sheet with the 25 member signatures when submitting the initiative petition.

The completed initiative petition form must be submitted to the president, executive director, and the appropriate AMLE trustee no less than 30 days prior to the board meeting for placement on the agenda.

Additional information regarding this process can be obtained by calling 800-528-6672. Mail the initiative petition, signature sheet, and one supporting memorandum (if desired) to:

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Initiative Petition Process
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