Southwest Ohio Rocketry Association
Bylaws for an NAR section #624

Article 1: Name

The name of this organization shall be the Southwest Ohio Rocketry Association, Section # 624 of the National Association of Rocketry.

Article 2: Purpose

It shall be the purpose of this Section to (a) aid the aims and purposes of the NAR in Southwest Ohio, (b) to operate and maintain a rocket range in accordance with NAR standards, applicable regulations, and the NAR Safety Code(s), (c) to hold meetings for the purpose of aiding and encouraging all those interested in rocketry, and (d) to engage in other scientific, educational, or related activities as the NAR, the Section, or the Section Board of Directors may from time to time deem necessary or desirable in connection with the foregoing.

Article 3: Membership

The Club will be open to all those who have an interest in the sport of Model Rocketry and Rocketry related activities.

Article 4: Dues

No Dues will be required at this time. Funds for the section will come from donations and Grants. This can be changed at a later date by the President and/or board members if the need arises or circumstances warrant it.

Article 5: Meetings

Meetings of the Section shall be held approximately 12 times per year at times and places designated by the Section Board of Directors. Operation of the rocket range shall not be considered a meeting. A quorum shall consist of 2 members..

Article 6: Board of Directors

The Board of Directors of this Section shall include the officers and the Senior Advisor.

Article 7: Officers

The officers of this Section shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer, all of whom shall be members of the Section and of the NAR.

Article 8: Elections

Elections of officers shall take place at the first meeting of the calendar year. All officers shall serve a term of one year. Vacancies in office shall be filled by nomination and election of a Section member to fill the unexpired term of office and shall take place at the Section meeting at which the vacancy is announced. Nominations for all elections shall be made from the floor, and the candidate having the largest number of votes shall be elected.

Article 9: Committees

There shall be two Standing Committees of the Section, plus such additional committees as the Board of Directors may from time to time deem necessary or desirable. The Standing Committees are as follows:

(a) ***The Launch Operations Committee*** shall be in charge of the Section's rocket range, including the procurement and maintenance of launch equipment and the safety of launch operations. The Chairman of the Committee shall be a Senior member of the NAR in good standing.

(b) ***Activities Committee*** shall be in charge of making all arrangements for Section meetings and social events, for conducting membership campaigns, and for carrying on public relations.

(c) The Section President shall be an ex-officio member of all committees.

Article 10: Amendments

These bylaws may be amended by a two members vote of those Section members present and voting at any meeting of the Section, providing written notice of the pending amendment has been sent to the membership of the Section at least five days in advance of such meeting.

Adopted: Date: _____

Signed: President _____

Senior Advisor _____