D2-RR Electors of Liberation Officers Young Greens Standing Orders 2020/2021

Proposer: Rosie Rawle (Oxfordshire Green Party)

Title

Change to:
Ensuring that Liberation Officers and Officers representing Special Interest Groups on the Executive are elected by the members that they represent

Motion Text

Insert from line 314 to 315:
E4.1 Every Young Green is eligible to vote at the Annual General Meeting and associated elections where they have 1 vote, except in the case of the elections for Liberation Officers and Officers representing a Special Interest Group on the Executive Committee, where only members of a those relevant groups may vote for their representative officer.

Reason

The purpose of Liberation Officers is that they represent the members of these groups on our Executive, bringing these voices to the centre of decision making in our organisation. Likewise, where we have Officers representing Special Interest Groups, (such as the Under 18s officer), it is important that these individuals represent the voices of their membership base. It is therefore important that these officers are elected by their relevant memberships, and held to account by those same members.

This motion seeks to make it clear that members of a liberation group or special interest group are the only members who can vote for their relevant representative officer.

Supporters

Jane Baston (York); Chris Jarvis (Oxfordshire Green Party); Kelsey Trevett (oxfordshire green party); Neve Fields (Loughborough and North West Leicestershire Green Party); Dylan Lewis-Creser (North Northamptonshire Green Party)