Overview of Bylaw Changes:

Article I.

Section 3. – Added language to include health equity in the functions of KPHA. This language models APHA language.

Article II.

Removed associate member and public health worker member, but included language to allow for discounts.

Article IV.

Updated language to the new board structure.

Article V.

Allows for company or individual. Also adds language to evaluate the contracts.

Article VI.

Adds past president to officers, as we practice this currently.

Article VII.

Adds DEI evaluation to Board of Directors duties

Updated language to align with new board structure. Director at large duties. All must serve on at least one committee, as well as Ex officio members.

Article IX.

Updates language to align with new board structure. Still allows for sections, they must maintain at least 10 members.

Article X.

Approved in December 2022, shortens the required program for annual meetings.

Article XI.

Language allows for electronic voting.

Article XII.

Language states policy and membership chaired by director at large.

Immediate past president no longer the conference planning chair.

Bring back the policy committee.

Article XIII.

Adds language for Emerging Leaders Award as well as grant the awards committee the ability to add awards as desired.