



AAC Regional Representative Athlete Qualifications

AAC Regional Representatives/alternates must meet the following qualifications as set by the AAC and USOC by-laws to run for a position that involves voting for governance within an NGB:

- Represented the United States in a Pan American, Olympic Games, or World Championships within the last 10 years.

ABOVE QUALIFICATIONS OR

- within the last ten years, demonstrated that they are actively engaged in amateur athletic competition by finishing in the top half of the NGB's national championships defined as US Nationals, National Golden Gloves and the National Police Athletic League.
(i.e.-winning one (1) bout at the US Nationals, National Golden Gloves or National PAL's in the last 10 years will place an athlete in the top half of finishers).
- Age 18 or over
- Active registered athlete/non-athlete member of USAB (60) days prior to the election.
- Have weekly access to an active personal e-mail account and telephone service.
- Have the time to commit to one physical meeting a year, and monthly telephone meetings.
- Any athlete running for the position will not be eligible to vote.

Each USAB geographic region will be responsible for holding their athlete elections at the Regional Tournament with the stipulation that only athletes can vote for athletes, and the athlete candidates must fulfill the stated requirements to run for a position. Athletes represented in regions that aren't geographic in nature (military, Golden Gloves, PAL's etc) will be eligible to run in the region they are geographically located in.

Regional Directors must submit the completed Regional AAC Representation form to USAB Registration Chair, Lynette Smith **no later than fourteen (14) days prior to the Annual Meeting** for verification of athlete requirements and geographic status.

We are looking for athletes that have the ability to:

- work well within the USAB organization
- to think critically about issues
- to communicate and advocate effectively for athletes
- to dedicate the necessary time, which will be essential in serving USAB athletes
- represent athletes responsibly in voting on issues of governance within the USAB

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you soon! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call me at 914-490-6938.

Angel Bovee
USAB Athlete Advisory Chair