



The Perry Street Workshop holds a business meeting on the first Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm Eastern.

Zoom meeting ID: 838 447 1059

Same password as for regular meetings

Procedures for Motions and Discussions

As per [Perry Street Bylaws 4/29/2018](#), Perry Street uses Robert's Rules as a basis for conducting business meetings except when rules conflict with AA principles and the group conscience of the meeting.

Refer to [Roberts Rules Simplified](#).

Adaptations for this first Zoom-conducted business meeting, as drafted by the Perry Street Zoom Committee and approved by group officers, include:

Motions emailed in advance to secretary@perrystreetbusiness.org will take precedence during New Business. The member who emailed the motion must be present at the meeting or the motion will not be discussed.

Chat window will be used to second a motion, provide point of order and point of information, call the question, propose amendments, and other relevant discussion. The Parliamentarian will keep track of the chat window and bring pertinent items to the attention of the chair.

Sharing on a motion will proceed at the discretion of the chair, with a general practice of timed shares and limited sharing to, e.g., up to 3 shares in favor and 3 shares opposed.

Voting: As per Perry Street Bylaws, The Steering Committee is the group's voting membership, consisting of **officers, chairpersons, and anyone who has ever held a service commitment**. Chairpersons are expected and encouraged to attend business meetings. Nonvoting members are welcome to raise issues and take part in discussions. Current chairs of zoom meetings in all time slots will be voted onto the steering committee at the start of the business meeting.