

**Tellers Committee  
Charter Description  
Alabama Division, SAF**

**Established Date:**

1 August 2007

**Objective:**

The objective of the tellers committee is to certify the results of elections to the Division chair and executive committee.

**Organization:**

The committee shall be chaired by the Division secretary and consist of at least one ~~two~~ other members, appointed by the Division chair. Appointees shall serve one-year terms and may be reappointed for additional terms at the discretion of the Division chair.

**Activities:**

1. The committee shall coordinate with the SESAF Business Manager to certify the results of elections by December 1 (as stated in the **SAF Standard Minimum Bylaws for State Societies**) of each year.
2. Plurality or simple majority of those voting shall determine the outcome of all elections. In the case of a tie vote, a run-off election shall be held within one month. The Tellers Committee will notify the Division chair and Executive Committee of the election results by December 8 (as stated in the **SAF Standard Minimum Bylaws for State Societies**).
3. All of these results shall be reported by the secretary to the Division chair, the nominees, the editor of *The Southeastern Forester* newsletter, and the SAF National Office.

**Duration:**

Standing Committee

**Amendments:**

This charter may be amended by majority vote of the executive committee.

**Date Approved:** 10 June 2008

**Dates Amended:** 18 August 2011