



National Lieutenant Governors Association

1 **SETS A SUNSET CLAUSE OF THREE YEARS ON ALL NLGA POLICY RESOLUTIONS**

2 **WHEREAS**, a sunset clause is a provision providing that a resolution will expire on a particular date,
3 unless it is reauthorized by the membership, and

4 **WHEREAS**, without a sunset clause a resolution of the National Lieutenant Governors Association
5 (NLGA) continues indefinitely as a binding statement of the NLGA, and

6 **WHEREAS**, the NLGA membership changes over time, and

7 **WHEREAS**, the nature and circumstances surrounding an issue at a given time may change profoundly
8 with the passage of time,

9 **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT**, as NLGA began in 2009, NLGA continues to place a
10 sunset clause of three years on all NLGA policy resolutions, and

11 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, expiration occurs three years from the time of passage at the next
12 regularly scheduled meeting during which resolutions can be passed, and

13 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED**, the staff of NLGA shall make NLGA members aware of resolutions,
14 by title, which will expire at the next regularly scheduled meeting, and

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