

2025-2026 Term		
Ad Hoc Committees:	Description	Charge
Adult Play	Incorporates Tournament play, Social Play, League Play, and Tennis on Campus-(educate providers and players, grow new players and mentor providers)	CHARGE: To Promote and provide recreational and competitive tournament and League play for players 18 and over AND social play opportunities for adults of any age and ability level as well as support and grow the Tennis On Campus programs on college and university campuses across the Section.
Junior Play	Incorporates USTA Junior Circuit (team challenge, team tournament, junior team tennis) and Junior Tour (Levels 1-7) (educate providers and players, grow new players and mentor providers)	CHARGE: To implement a competitive pathway for increased attraction and retention of local play opportunities. The Circuit Pathway will consist of Team Challenge, Team Tournaments, Junior Team Tennis and unranked tournaments, including Activity tracker for 10U and will support the new unified sanctioned ranked tournament system being implemented.
Community OutReach	Outreach to include: wheelchair, adaptive and inclusion across all play with focus on the urban core	CHARGE: To promote greater diversity and inclusion in overall tennis player participation and USTA Missouri Valley services, activities, events and programs by supporting USTA Missouri Valley volunteers and staff in all organizational units and community partners.
Awards	Selection of award winners from district nominations	CHARGE: To recommend awards and recognition that encourages excellence, honors, achievements and contributions of individuals and organizations to tennis within the USTA Missouri Valley.
Hall of Fame	Selection of members to the section Hall of Fame from individual nominations	CHARGE: To recognize and honor individuals who went above and beyond for the game of tennis, and ensuring their continued involvement in the game and the section
Community Play	Incorporates schools, CTAs, NJTL and Parks, USPTA, PTR	CHARGE: To mentor, educate and grow tennis in the communities to feed Adult play, Junior play with a focus on our providers
Coaches Commission	As defined by National Player Development	CHARGE: To create a network of training opportunities that facilitate a network of coaches as well as programs to grow the base of 6-13 year olds in alignment with the USTA Teaching and Coaching Philosophy.
Officials	growing the pool of officials through mentoring;	CHARGE: To maintain an effective program of recruitment, training, evaluation and retention to assure an adequate supply of USTA certified tennis officials to meet the officiating needs of the USTA Missouri Valley Section.
Working Groups	Has a start and a finish each year of term	
Junior Competition Regulations	Levels 1-7; regulations for competitive play; rankings	CHARGE: To recommend policy and monitor competitive play throughout the USTA Missouri Valley that provides opportunities that motivate and encourage all juniors players to develop to their highest competitive potential
Adult League Regulations	Adult league regulations	CHARGE: To recommend policy and monitor competitive league play throughout the USTA Missouri Valley
Adult Tournament Regulations	Adult Tournament Regulations	CHARGE: To recommend policy and monitor competitive tournament play throughout the USTA Missouri Valley
Sanction & Scheduling	Review all tournament and championship bids for entire calendar of events.	CHARGE: To recommend/approve sanctions for Adult, Junior tournaments as well as recommend/approve bids for Section league championships while maintaining a balanced calendar.
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Standing Committees (as defined in current bylaws)		
Executive Committee	Officers of the Board + Immediate Past President and Section Delegate	
Audit Committee	Chair + at least 2 other members that may or may not be directors	
Grievance Committee	Chair + 3 members appointed by the President (no board members may serve)	
Nominating Committee	Chair is Delegate and one rep from each district (appointed by district president)	
Personnel Committee	Immediate Past president + 2 members of Exec Committee (other than the president)	
USTA League Grievance	required in current USTA League regulations	As defined in current USTA League regulations
USTA League Grievance Appeal	required in current USTA League regulations	As defined in current USTA League regulations
USTA League NTRP Appeal	required in current USTA League regulations	As defined in current USTA League regulations