

**To:** SMJFL Club Presidents & Secretaries

**From:** Jamie Howden, CEO

**Date:** Wednesday, 16 October 2024

**Re:** SMJFL 2024 Bylaw Review

Good afternoon SMJFL Club Presidents, Secretaries, Club Football Operations Personnel,

As part of our post-season review the SMJFL has turned its attention to a review of the 2024 Bylaws ahead of the 2025 Season and now invites feedback and proposed amendments from Member Clubs.

Please find below an indicative SMJFL Bylaw Review timeline. Clubs are invited to submit their feedback on proposed changes and are encouraged to submit their own proposed changes through an online JotForm for ease of management: [HERE](#)

#### SMJFL Bylaw Review Project Timeline

DATE	ACTION	RESPONSIBLE
16 October 2024	Copy of current 2024 Bylaws and proposed amendments received (from Clubs) across the season sent to Member Clubs & FPT Committee for review  Member Club JotForm opens for feedback	SMJFL Management & Member Clubs
06 November 2024	First Round of 2025 Bylaw feedback closes	SMJFL Management
13 November 2024	FPT considers Member Club feedback on 2025 Bylaws including specific proposed changes from clubs – as submitted through online form	FPT Committee & SMJFL Management

02 December 2024 To 20 January 2025	Draft 2025 Bylaws circulated to SMJFL Clubs for further feedback	SMJFL Management
20 January 2025	Second Round of Feedback on proposed final 2025 SMJFL Bylaws due from SMJFL Clubs	SMJFL Clubs
20 January 2025 To 05 February 2025	FPT Committee considers final round of SMJFL Club Bylaw Feedback	FPT Committee
12 February 2025	Final Draft 2025 SMJFL Bylaws circulated to SMJFL Board	SMJFL Management
19 February 2025	Board considers final draft 2025 SMJFL Bylaws	SMJFL Board
By 28 February 2025	SMJFL Bylaws circulated and loaded to SMJFL Website. Note: subject to Board approval	SMJFL Management
Date TBC	SMJFL 2025 Club Conference & Season Launch	SMJFL Administration

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