

Charter and Canons
Resolution 2026-13
Clarifying Standing Committee roles for Diocesan Property
(A Red Resolution)

Whereas the canons of The Episcopal Church assign real property approval authority to Standing Committees therefore

Be it resolved canon 13.5 be amended as follows:

SECTION ~~6-~~5. Execution of Documents. All deeds, notes, mortgages, and conveyances of property of this Diocese shall be executed by the Ecclesiastical Authority, meaning the Bishop, or if there be no Bishop the president of the Standing Committee if the Standing Committee is the Ecclesiastical Authority. Any such execution is to be attested by the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of this Diocese. In the event any of the above are unavailable, the secretary of Standing Committee, ~~the vice chair of Diocesan Council~~ may execute deeds, notes, mortgages, and conveyances of property of this Diocese.