Please let me know if there is further action that I need to take so that these changes can be considered and voted upon at our annual meeting. Please post this proposal on the CVBS web site.

This email is a written notice of two choices for a proposed alteration of the Chippewa Valley Blues Society bylaws Article IV: Dues and Fiscal Year, Section 1. My reason for this proposed alteration is to simplify. As of now, the current wording of this article and section has not been adhered to by the society.

Buck Barrickman 1/24/2012

Annual dues for membership shall be determined by the General Membership. Annual dues shall be payable by February 28th of each year and shall be considered delinquent if not paid by March 1st. All membership privileges shall lapse thirty (30) days after becoming delinquent. Members who allow their membership privileges to lapse shall be treated as new applicants, if applying for membership at a later date.

Annual dues for membership shall be determined by the General Membership. Annual dues shall be payable by January 1st of each year and shall be considered delinquent if not paid by that date. All members paying dues within a year will be considered members for that entire year. Members who allow their membership to become delinquent shall be treated as new

applicants if applying for membership at a later date. A waiting period of 30 days after membership dues are paid is required for new applicants to obtain their member privileges.

Annual dues for membership shall be determined by the General Membership. Annual dues shall be payable by January 1st of each year and shall be considered delinquent if not paid by that date. All members paying dues within a year will be considered members for that entire year and members paying dues after September 30th will be considered members for that

entire year plus the entire following year. Members who allow their membership to become delinquent shall be treated as new applicants if applying for membership at a later date. A waiting period of 30 days after membership dues are paid is required for new applicants to obtain their member privileges.