

ARTICLE IV: GEOGRAPHIC BOUNDARY

The Association will generally consider Los Angeles County as the area for its approved horse shows with the following exceptions:

- a) A show **proposed to be** held just outside the **mapped** boundary of Los Angeles County may be considered for provisional approval by the Board of Directors **if it is no more than 15 miles as the crow flies, from the mapped boundary, providing:**
 - i. It meets all the other conditions for approval as may be in effect at the time it applies
 - ii. The Board agrees by specific vote of at least eight **two-thirds of the total current directors (minimum six)**, that approval of the specific event would be in the best interest of the broader membership
 - iii. Provisional approval may only be granted for one year, with no date priority given for provisional approval in future years
- b) After a show is held with provisional approval three **consecutive** times, the directors, by majority vote, may grant that event equal status with the other events held within the boundaries of Los Angeles County. If granted, the show would then receive the same date priority as the other approved events.
- c) Approved shows held **outside the boundary of Los Angeles County** in the year 2006 are hereby grandfathered **and exempt from the provisional status provisions of this Article.**