Bylaws amendment to produce minutes to include roll call, record lack of quorum and next meeting of the Local Station Boards.

Regardless of which side of aisle one is in, I think we've all experienced not only quorum attacks but also as the year ends and as terms were extended, full attendance is often more difficult to achieve. Robert's already allows for the setting of the next meeting as the only piece of business absent a quorum. As long as a meeting is properly noticed, it seems only logical that in order to determine if there is a quorum, that roll would need to be taken and therefore should be recorded and minutes produced which reflect the roll call and the lack of quorum achieved and the setting of another meeting if those in attendance do so. This bylaws amendment is proposed by the Pacifica National Board Directors listed below the proposed text.

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Proposed Text following existing text:

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Proposed Bylaws Amendment would read:

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Bylaws amendment proposed by the following Pacifica National Board Directors: Lydia Brazon, Adriana Casenave, Benito Diaz, Janet Kobren, Brenda Medina, Lawrence Reyes