

## **Governance.**

### **University Barge Club and Related Organizations**

**University Barge Club is led by an Executive Committee of four elected Officers and a Coxswain, appointed by the Officers.** As has been the custom since the Club's founding, past Presidents who choose to participate in the Executive Committee continue to serve as voting members. Two nonvoting members serve on the Executive Committee: the delegates to the Schuylkill Navy and the Head of the Schuylkill Regatta, both of whom are appointed by the Executive Committee. The Committee customarily meets monthly. Details of the governance structure and information about committees are available in the By-laws. To download a copy, see UBC Bylaws.

Two independent entities have formed to carry out functions formerly executed solely by the University Barge Club:

The UBC 1871 Foundation, established in 2004 as a 501(c)3 charitable organization, is charged with preservation of the Boathouse structure and oversight of all maintenance, repair and improvement of the house itself. Led by a Board required to have at least one member who is not a Bargee, the Foundation can seek charitable gifts and grants, and offer donors substantiation for the tax-deductible nature of gifts to support the house. For more information visit The 1871 Foundation pages on this site.

Founded by two UBC members, the Head of the Schuylkill Regatta incorporated independently in 2008 and applied for IRS determination as a 501(c)3 public charity in 2009. This recognizes that the Regatta, while hosted by UBC for four decades, is open for all rowers, both as competitors and as volunteers. Visit [www.hosr.org](http://www.hosr.org) for more information.