



## NRA Board of Directors Meeting NWRA Board of Directors Meeting Tuesday, January 19, 2021 Via Teleconference Call

President Joe Warner and President Cierra Erickson called the meeting to order.

Roll call was taken and a quorum verified: President Joe Warner; Vice President Mike Cole; J2 Bridges, Bareback Riding Director; Charles Lytle, Saddle Bronc Riding Director; Ryan Parsons, Bull Riding Director; JR Winter, Team Roping Director; Travis Sigman, Contract Personnel Director; Executive Committee Directors Lois Hill, Dick Lyman; Western Committee Directors Pat Hamilton, David Graham, Dan Majerus; Eastern Committee Director Luke Anderson; President Cierra Erickson; Vice President Shelby Rasmussen; Tracey Bolich, Director at Large; Jacey Fortier, Ladies Breakaway Roping Director; Rick Moeykens, Ladies Barrel Racing Director; Executive Committee Directors Kortney Diegel, Mandy Hamilton

NRA/NWRA Minutes of the Board of Directors Meeting held Tuesday, October 27, 2021 were distributed. A motion was made to approve as written. The motion was seconded and passed.

NRA/NWRA Financial report was read. A motion was made to approve the finances for audit. The motion was seconded and passed.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**Awards Program:** Theresa Sorlie briefed the NRA/NWRA Board on the 2021 awards program.

NRA/NWRA Finals: Joe Warner briefed the NRA/NWRA Board on the 2021 Finals.

**Judges Program:** Travis Sigman informed the NRA/NWRA Board that the NRA is planning on holding a Judging Clinic and Timers Clinic in February or March. We will publish the information as soon as it becomes available.

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

A motion was made to amend NRA/NWRA Rule M.2.2 Permit Holders: Annual permit dues of \$110. A contestant may purchase a permit if contestant has not won over \$500 in

organized professional or regional rodeo competition during their lifetime. Permit holder can compete at all rodeos which accept permits until \$500 is won. The permit holder's points will count toward year-end standings. After the \$500 money won limit is reached, a card must be purchased. Price of card will be the dollar difference between the cost of a permit and the cost of a card. However, the contestant must be a card holder to compete at the Finals rodeo. The \$500 money won limit will be accumulated from year to year, allowing the contestant to purchase a permit each year until \$500 is won. Permit holders are bound by the same rules as members. Once a membership card has been held, a permit cannot be purchased. Motion was seconded and passed.

A motion was made to amend NRA/NWRA Rule M.2.1.4 Rookie qualifications are as follows: First-year Contestant Card Member with the most money won in a particular event as of the end of the Rodeo Year, including money won through the Finals Rodeo. Member may not have won over \$500 in organized professional or regional rodeo competition during their lifetime. Motion was seconded and passed.

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

A motion was made to add NRA Rule R.3.10 If bull hips himself which causes a change in direction or causes bull rider to buck off or slap bull re-ride may be given at judges' discretion, however, if bull rider continues on no re-ride will be given. Motion was seconded and passed.

A motion was made to remove NRA Rule J.1.10 / NWRA Rule J.1.5 In rodeos that have big slacks, there will be a third judge assigned to do the slack draw. The third judge will be paid from the Logan Coach funds. Motion was seconded and passed.

A motion was made to amend NRA Rule R.2.10 Judges are to carry a bright colored flag to indicate disqualification in the rough stock events at all NRA approved rodeos. Motion was seconded and passed.

A motion was made to remove NWRA Rule R.2.6.2 A field flag judge must ask contestants if they want a second loop or jump. Contestant must answer at once or be flagged out. Once a contestant has been flagged out, they will receive no stock back. Motion was seconded and passed.

A motion was made to adjourn. The motion was seconded and passed.