

USA Racquetball Board of Directors Meeting Monday, May 6, 2024 5:30 pm MT Videoconference via Zoom – Special Meeting

Called to order by President Stewart Solomon at 5:35 pm MT

Quorum was achieved; advance notice given of the meeting; directors were reminded to recuse themselves on topics that are a conflict of interest.

Attending: Jake Bredenbeck (Athlete Representative/ExCom), Steve Czarnecki, Tom Fuhrmann (Athlete Representative), Mike Grisz (Executive Director), Michelle Key (Secretary/Athlete Representative/USOPC Team USA AC Representative), *Erika Manilla (Athlete Representative/USOPC Team USA AC Representative), Tony Prater, Sandy Rios (Treasurer), Terry Rogers (Vice President), Stewart Solomon (President)

*Note: Erika Manilla arrived 30 minutes after the call to order.

Not attending: Todd Boss, Slemo Warigon

*Note: Todd Boss arrived 30 min. after the meeting was called to order. Mike Grisz departed early.

Guest: Cheryl Kirk (U.S. Team Committee Member)

U.S. Team Committee Handbook/Contract

Motion by Terry Rogers to approve the U. S. NATIONAL RACQUETBALL TEAM POLICIES, PROCEDURES, & PROTOCOLS HANDBOOK as recommended by the U.S. Team Committee.

Seconded by Michelle Key

Discussion: Stewart Solomon led the Board through each section, and a number of revisions were effected.

Vote to approve the handbook/contract to reflect the Board's edits: Passed with 6 yes, 1 no, 2 abstain (Jake Bredenbeck / Michelle Key)

Cheryl Kirk exited the meeting.

Executive Director Update (Mike Grisz)

Mike provided his ED update since he was not available to present at the April 29, 2024, meeting.

- 2022 audit finalized
- New auditor in place for the 2023 audit at a \$10K reduced fee; to be finished soon.

- On the website. the 'Find an Instructor/Coach' section is being brought up to date and the list is being revised.
- Emails are going out to the 'old' AmPro instructors
- The Josh Gross/One44 PowerPoint deck will be forwarded as a pre-read for the 5/21/24 Annual Meeting.

Adjourned at 7:30 pm MT