



Speed Committee Meeting Minutes
Date: Wednesday, March 11th, 2026
Meeting was called to order at 5:40pm PST

In Attendance:

- Bryan Hays
- Darian Orozco
- Deb Alpers
- Mikey Ratliff
- Tosha Hill

Not in Attendance:

- Erin Jackson
- Brian Talley
- Tony Jones
- Kelly Springer

Declaration of Conflicts

Reminder of types of conflicts for new members – Sponsor, Vendor/Supplier, Official, Coach with athletes in positions that may be topic of meeting, Team USA staff that may be topic of meeting. The committee determines that those with conflicts can/cannot participate in discussions or vote/not vote on certain topics.

- Tosha – Official at upcoming events, World Skate official, affiliated with events that occur in the Southern region.
- Mikey – owns a skate company that does business in the US and sponsors athletes, previous Team USA staff member
- Kelly – owns a skate company that does business in US and sponsors athletes and events, current and previous Team USA staff member.
- Darian – owner of skate company that does business in US, husband is a coach and applied for Team USA Manager.
- Brian Talley – official at indoor and outdoor Nationals, represents different skate companies, wife is a Classic division athlete
- Deb – No conflicts at this time
- Erin – no conflicts at this time
- Bryan Hays – no conflicts at this time
- Tony – no conflicts at this time

Follow up on past discussions and business

- Rulebook Committee Update

Meeting set up for next week Wednesday

- ODN Divisions and Age Groups

This has been posted and published

- Master Division 10k vs 5k pts

The survey has been sent out to membership and we are waiting to get responses from office

- Spring Clinic – March 20 – 22, 2026 - Webers, Milton Fl.

We have 4 sign-ups as of 3/11/26

Trainer – what is required / credentials for a trainer – 8 minutes for EMT to arrive
Motioned Bryan, Darian 2nd, - unanimous - Cate Owens be the trainer pending she meets all certifications required to be clinic trainer

Reach out to coaches to see if they are interested in running the clinic ? See if any of the entries are local and can run.

- IDN Tentative Schedule

This has been published and posted

New discussions and business

- Application for Team USA Staff

The updated area – clarify what does that mean and what are the Federation governance policies and What are Sport-Specific Oversight ? Can the board give some examples of what is sport specific and federation governance. What is the speed committee allowed to do.

Motion Deborah / Darian 2nd - to send over the new Roles and Responsibilities sheet for Team USA Staff application - approved

- Senior PanAmerican Games Qualifier – July 16th, 2026

Get list from Kelly or Office so we can see the order and start contacting athletes

- Team Selection Committee Invite letter

Write an invitation letter to those invited so we can go down list if needed

- Sent follow up items to office waiting for

- Jewelry Rule
- ODN Dates
- Sponsor Bids

6:08pm Darian motion to adjourn / Mikey seconded it / Meeting adjourned