STEERING COMMITTEE MINUTES

The Steering Committee (SC) was called to order by Commissioner Golemon at 7:03 pm on Dec 29, 2024 Commissioner Golemon opened the meeting in prayer and minutes from the previous meeting were adopted on a motion by Michael Harris and seconded by Amy Perry.

Commissioner Golemon called the roll and there was a quorum present including Michael Harris and Amy Perry (Steven Yocham and Jason Osuna were not present).

In a recap of the fall sports, Commissioner Golemon stated that we were on budget (or ahead) for all fall sports. Good weather assisted with the football gate. Commissioner Golemon informed the committee that the league was spending money on equipment for the league that will assist with collecting gate and promoting TAIAO.

Harris suggested a trailer to store the equipment so as to make it easier to travel as well.

There was a discussion on the fall sports and their final budgets. Commissioner Golemon stated that volleyball grossed over \$16,000 after a loss the preceding year. Cross Country and Cheer were break event sports and football grossed about \$15,000 with the final numbers to be posted before the end of January.

There was a brief discussion of the winter sports (soccer and basketball) with Commissioner Giolemon pointing out that the net number of registered basketball teams was slightly higher than the previous year but the number of soccer teams remaining about the same.

There was discussion of moving Esports to being a spring sport. Commissioner Golemon will now extend registration and pending 8 teams TAIAO will move forward with offering the sport.

There was a discussion of the application to join NFHS being pushed to the summer by NFHS with Commissioner Golemon going to reach out to the Texas contact at NFHS to introduce TAIAO.

Commissioner Golemon stated that Jason Knight was asked to look into a 11-man schedule for next season if we can find 6 teams that meet TAIAO rules.

The closing prayer was by Harris and the SC unanimously adopted the motion by Perry to adjourn the meeting and seconded by Harris

The SC stood adjourned as of 7:35 pm