SC Meeting - 2025_03_23 19_23 CST

Attendees: Commissioner Golemon, Steve Yocham, Jason Osuna, Michael Harris, Amy Perry

Summary:

The meeting began with a prayer led by Commissioner Golemon. Commissioner Golemon provided updates on sports participation, focusing on softball and track and field. He brought to the attention of the SC that the track meet would need to be held Easter Week and would be rectified in the future. The track and field event was also further north than anticipated and something else that would change in 2026.

Commissioner Golemon proposed several rule changes aimed at enhancing the integrity of sports for homeschoolers and private school athletes. Each rule was considered and the results were as follows:

- 1. Creation of the Select Competition Division: Motion to adopt by Commissioner Golemon, Seconded by Perry, Passed Unanimously.
- 2. Closing TAIAO Eligibility Loophole: Motion to adopt by Commissioner Golemon, Seconded by Osuna , Passed Unanimously.
- 3. Expand "Play Up" Rules: Motion to adopt by Commissioner Golemon, Seconded by Perry, Passed Unanimously.
- 4. Maxprep Requirement: Motion to adopt by Commissioner Golemon, Seconded by Harris, Passed Unanimously.
- 5. Change Postseason forfeit penalties: Motion to adopt by Commissioner Golemon, Seconded by Osuna, Passed Unanimously.
- 6. Coaches exemptions when transferring to new team: Motion to adopt by Commissioner Golemon, Seconded by Harris, Passed Unanimously.
- 7. TAIAO Reimbursements: Motion to adopt by Commissioner Golemon, Seconded by Perry, Passed Unanimously.

There was a brief discussion of a rule change with respect to ineligible athletes competing during the regular season which was tabled.

Financial updates were shared, indicating a positive cash flow despite outstanding collections for both spring and winter sports.

Commissioner Golemon let the committee know that some of the the sports plans were going to need to be altered this summer as some of the rules were not in alignment with the respective sports. This was primarily due to to the plans being modified from volleyball and football sport plan templates.

The Committee reviewed the Annual Meeting agenda and no changes were made.

Jim Bright of THESA was Commissioner Golemon's choice to fill the spot of Michael Harris and this was well received by the others on the committee.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:23 pm.