



CENTER OF THE NATION QUARTER HORSE ASSOCIATION GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Annual meeting – November 9, 2019; Scottsbluff, Ne.

The annual meeting of the CONQHA was called to order by President Terry McDowell. The minutes of the 2018 annual meeting in Cheyenne, WY were read by Krystal Peterson. Adair Walker moved to approve the minutes as read and Julie Campain seconded the motion. So Moved.

Minutes were taken by Secretary Krystal Peterson.

The financial report was given by Treasurer Ann Marie Johnson. At the time of the meeting there was \$7432.85 in the account and \$13,553.29 in the CD. CONQHA made \$0 on the BHSC show. It was discussed that the CONQHA began as a futurity with a stallion auction and that with the change of times, it has become an awards association. CON has the opportunity to make money from 1 day of the BHSC show, but it will not lose money. We will continue to proceed with awards as long as we are able. Stuart Thompson moved that the treasurer report be approved and Adair Walker seconded the motion and motion carried

Awards report was read by AnnMarie Johnson. The same budget of \$3800 was used from 2018 and she was again under budget with our great awards, spending \$3721.47.

Krystal Peterson agreed to continue managing the website for CONQHA.

Lisa Young agreed to do the points for the 2020 show season. AnnMarie Johnson moved to give Lisa Young a CON membership, Marie Nida seconded the motion, so moved.

Adair Walker moved for CON to continue to give AnneMarie Johnson a membership for doing such a fabulous job with our year end awards. Lisa Young seconded

New Business: Tentative

*Proposed show dates are as follows

Wooly Douglas WY	May 15 th -17 th with 4 judges
BHSC Rapid City SD	June 4 th -7 th with 4 judges
Sweetwater Classic Rocksprings WY	June 18 th – 21 st
Brookings SD	June 18 th -21 st
Energy Capital Torrington WY	July 16 th -19 th with 4 judges

*AnnMarie discussed that our average family membership is 40 families. It was discussed that it was a great idea to send membership forms for CON and WQHA out with the Banquet invites as we had several early enrollments.

*Adair Walker proposes having a committee for the annual banquets, starting in 2020. It was discussed to keep it in Cheyenne WY and change the date to the 1st Sat of every November. AnnMarie Johnson stated that we have better participation when the banquet and meetings are held in Cheyenne and the date change allows those that qualified to the AQHA World Show to participate as well without having a scheduling conflict. Secretaries from CON and WQHA plus a volunteer from each are to be on the committee as discussed. AnnMarie Johnson moved that we move the banquet to the 1st Sat of November. Adair Walker seconded. So moved

*Julie Campain volunteered to be on the Banquet committee for 2020. Kristin Lyons, the WQHA Treasurer volunteered as well.

*Discussed with the general membership getting show approval for BHSS and the Rocksprings show to generate money for CON.

New Board of Directors Nominations took place. Here are the Following Directors for the 2020 year (elected year):

Wyoming: Adair Walker (2019)

Stuart Thompson (2018)

Nebraska: Stacy Thomas (2018)

Monica Cunningham (2019)

North Dakota: Vacant

South Dakota: AnneMarie Johnson (2018)

At Large: Linda Henderson (2019)

Marie Nida (2019)

Montana: Vacant

With no further business, AnnMarie Johnson moved to adjourn the meeting and Lisa Young seconded the motion.

Following the Membership meeting the Board of Directors met to elect the executive committee. Ann Marie Johnson moved for all Board Members to stay, Terry McDowell seconded

President: Terry McDowell

Vice President: Adair Walker

Secretary: Krystal Peterson

Treasurer: AnneMarie Johnson

Respectfully submitted by Krystal Peterson