

APPROVED MINUTES

PETE SUAZO UTAH ATHLETIC COMMISSION (PSUAC)

Scheduled Commission Meeting Friday, September 16, 2022

Attending Commissioners: Commissioners Tammy Leavitt, Mike Deaver, Brian Miller, and Judge Dan Furse attended via ZOOM Meeting. Assistant Attorney General assigned to the PSUAC Todd Jenson, participated in the ZOOM Conference meeting.

Director Scott Bowler facilitated the meeting via ZOOM electronic meeting in compliance with the Governor's Executive Order to maintain "Social Distancing." Commission Chair acting on behalf of the PSUAC called the meeting to order at 12:10 pm.

Commission Director Scott Bowler read the following statement: Given the current Covid-19 pandemic, this PSUAC Commission Meeting will occur electronically, without a physical location, as authorized by the Governor's Executive Order dated March 18, 2020, and related legislation enacted by the Utah Legislature since that date.

Review of Per Diem email protocol:

Director Scott Bowler review protocol with the Commission.

Approval of the meeting minutes from April 15, 2022

Brian Miller moved to approve, Mike Dever Seconded. Approved Unanimously.

Public Comments:

Dan Furse proposed a future agenda item for establishing some protocol to manage time and operations at events, length of intermissions, number of bouts, etc., all to help prevent long delays and to keep shows from running late or limiting shows to six hours. Insurance coverage ends at 12 midnight, so shows cannot go past that time. Director Bowler agreed to compare other states, and how they manage the time length of shows. He will provide the report for the next Commission meeting.

Contestant Francisco Alcantara Review

Requested review of his license application after consecutive losses. Brian Miller made the motion to table until Mr. Alcantara and other commission members can be present. Tami Leavitt seconded. Passed unanimously.

Review of the Broadcast Fee amendment and the lack of change

Broadcast fees were set in the statute at a cap of \$25,000. The Board previously voted to increase the amount to \$50,000. Assistant AG Todd and Director Scott Bowler will work with the legislative liaisons at Go Utah and CCE to ask the legislature to amend and increase the fee. Brian Miller moved to table; Tami Leavitt seconded. Passed Unanimously.

Review and amendment to the Event Fee structure.

Brian Miller moved to table item until more of the commission members were available for discussion, Tami Leavitt seconded. Passed Unanimously.

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Review of Upcoming events:

In the interest of time Director Bowler reviewed only the immediate upcoming events

SEPTEMBER 17, 2022 – 801 EVENTS

7 PM Start @ Saltair 12408 Saltair Drive, Magna, Utah 84044

SEPTEMBER 24, 2022 - FIERCE FIGHTING CHAMPIONSHIPS

5 PM Start @ Maverik Center 3200 S. Decker Lake Dr, West Valley City, UT 84119

SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 – STEELFIST FIGHT NIGHT

7 PM Start @ Union Event Center 235 N. 500 W. Salt Lake City, UT 84116

Director Report – Financial Review

Director Bowler did not have any updates.

Schedule next meeting:

The next meeting is scheduled for Friday, October 21, 2022, at noon via ZOOM Meeting unless otherwise noted.

Adjourn:

Brian Miller moved to adjourn. Mike Deaver seconded. Meeting adjourned at 12:56 pm