COLORADO ATHLETIC TRAINERS ASSOCIATION BOD Meeting

Zoom Conference Call Minutes Wednesday, February 10, 2021 6:30-7:30 PM

Introduction:

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Duty of Board Members:

- Duty of Care: to practice due diligence and work to serve the interests of the CATA
- Duty of Policy and Procedure: To know and practice respective position responsibilities
- Duty of Loyalty: Whatever other hats may be worn in professional and personal lives, Board Members must, first and foremost, act as representatives as the CATA.

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- I. President's Update: Jim Keller
 - a. Welcome
 - b. Approval of minutes: Motion Jason, 2nd Andy
 - c. Attendance Jim Keller, Jason McWilliams, Andy Vanous, Mike Sundee, Shanae Mundee, Kelsey Krisch, Lisa Chenoweth, Suzanne Hamilton Excused: Jenn Huseman
 - d. Plan of action
- II. Lobbyist Update (Suzanne Hamilton)
 - a. February 16th is when they resume work at Capitol (post vaccinations)
 - b. We should take Sunset through the Senate last week in February to first week in March (Zoom vs in Person)
 - c. Notify testifiers as to plan for taking Bill through Senate: most of the testimony will occur remotely. We should have approx. 10 days notice. Mike Sundeen will testify solo on behalf of the CATA during the first-time thru committee. Mike, an athlete and a MD will all testify on the 2nd time thru committee.
 - d. Determine which committee we are in and get our Bill number: We will be in the Health committee. Sen Fields is again one of our sponsors, as well as the Chair of the committee. We will get a Bill number after the first time thru the committee.
 - e. Lobbyists will communicate and keep us in the loop as they find information: We have been getting good feedback from senators. Ideal time to reach out to legislators is after we have a bill number. Strategic phone calls as coordinated by lobbyists will occur to those that may need it.
- III. GAC Update (Mike Sundeen, Shanae Mundee, Bridget Younger)
 - a. February 15 organize CATA members/community members reach out to Senators again: Hold off on reaching out until we have our bill number.
 - b. Target high profile companies/individuals to reach out for their support: Continue to brainstorm to make sure we have reached out to all organizations.
 - c. Social medial posts will be a repeat off December/January: GAC and Kelsey have a blueprint of social media posts. Going to begin posting regularly.

V. New Business
a. Next meeting: 3/3 @ 6:20pm
ADJOURN
ACTION LIST
JIM:
JASON:
JENN:
LISA:
ANDY:
VINCE:
KELSEY:
GAC:
ALL:

For the good of the order: Reach out to close colleagues (20) and have them ready. Bruce Kola has MDs ready to testify, Jim will reach out to him.

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