

**UNITED STATES CROSS COUNTRY COACHES ASSOCIATION
JOINT M/W GENERAL MEETING**

Ames, IA

November 19, 2000

- NCAA Technical Meeting, 2:38-3:00pm.
- Call to Order, 3:10pm by Karen Boyle and Gordon Thomson.
- **Old Business**
 - Past minutes reviewed and approved. M/W.
 - Treasurer's Report accepted. M/W.
 - Nominating Committee reports accepted. Mens report enclosed in ExComm minutes.
 - All American procedures reviewed. All American awarded to the top 30 finishers and the top 30 US citizens.
 - All Academic Individual and Team criteria explained.
 - Special thanks to Mondo and FinishLynx for sponsoring the coaches polls. Also a thanks to Don Kopriva and Jesse Rosin for all their efforts collecting the votes and distributing the poll.
 - TV Committee Report: No TV coverage in 2000 due to ESPN cutbacks. See ExComm minutes.
 - Qualifying Procedures discussed. Committee formed. See ExComm minutes.
 - Future Sites: 2001: Furman, 2002: Indiana State, 2003: Bids being accepted .
- **New Business**
 - Tie-Breaker Rule adopted to be consistent with Div II and III. Compares all five runners from tied teams.
 - Enhanced budgets for Regional Meets to provide microchip: Motion:/Second/Passed: That the Regional budgets be increased to \$4,500 (from \$1500) with the provision that the increases be used to provide "microchip" scoring technology at all the meets. Need to lobby NCAA to allow use of the chip.
 - NCAA Starting Times: Motion: Sullivan/Lananna/Passed 20-0: That the start of the NCAA XC meet should NOT be scheduled any earlier than 9:00am **PACIFIC TIME**.
 - Past President plaques presented to Beth Sullivan and Gordon Thomson.
- Adjournment 3:50pm.

Submitted by: John A. Copeland, Jr.
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