

Full Board Call – May 18, 2020

Board Members

Mark Massey, Paul Bottini, Jason Grubb, Connor Griffith, Tim Rice, Brant Bamberg, Randy Hebert, Jodi Stoddard, Sam Stoddard, Jerald Bierman, Galen Shumaker, Billy Nelsen, Fred Matthews, Kevin Hollingsworth, Brooklyn Blakeney, Chris Strickland, Sam Smith,

Employees

Annie Walter, Shawnee Sagers

Mr. Galen Shumaker called the meeting to order.

Galen Shumaker asked the board if they had looked at the document that was sent out over the weekend that gave an overview of guidelines that are in place for animal events in Oklahoma. He asked the Board if they thought the guidelines could be followed and managed to hold the NLBRA finals.

Some of the information in the document, the CDC recommends cloth face coverings in areas where people will be in closer than 6 feet. He asked if the board wanted to hold the finals if masks were required.

Brant Bamberg has contacted the local county department and local city department. Both stated that they have no jurisdiction over the Lazy E and events run there.

Billy Nelson brought up a waiver being a part of the entry process for the finals where people acknowledge that they understand the risks associated with entering and participating and staying on the grounds. He shared that they held a rodeo this past weekend and at that rodeo they followed CDC guidelines.

Another item in the document recommends that people stay 6 feet apart and practice social distancing and only necessary people should be in attendance. The number of people in the arena should be limited. Ideas were shared to move one arena outside and if people were not in an event, they would be limited from the arena.

Discussion was held as how people would be limited in certain areas.

Mark Massey asked how check-in would be managed?? Discussion of different options of single or multiple check-in spots. Volunteers will be needed.

Galen Shumaker asked the finals chairmen if they wanted to decide on some of the events that will be moved outside. He asked the chairmen to decide which events will be moved.

Camping and family groups will need to be spaced 6 feet apart. Discussed crowding and spacing in the camping areas. How will this be regulated??

Annie Walter spoke with Dan Wall to get protocol if a case was discovered. He reached out to Logan County Emergency Management. There is no protocol at this time, but one will be established. If a person is diagnosed with COVID-19, the people traveling with the person will also be required to self-quarantine at a place away from the Lazy E.

Due to the COVID-19 and CDC social distancing guidelines there will be some to the way that the 2020 NLBRA finals will be run this year. These changes will be shared out at a later date. The finals will be run with limited additional activities to follow social distancing guidelines.

Randy Hebert made a motion that rodeo activities only will be held during the NLBRA finals. Billy Nelson seconded. Motion approved.

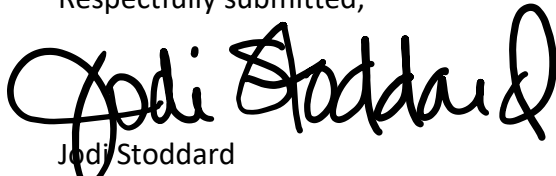
Annie Walter shared information where an additional generator lot will be added. The Lazy E would be able to bury water lines and put in additional power to 6 additional spots for a cost of \$1200 to NLBRA.

Kevin Hollingsworth made a motion to accept the Lazy E proposal. Jerald Bierman seconded. Motion approved. Brant Bamberg voted no.

NLBRA will continue to have conversations with elected officials in the area regarding CDC guidelines.

Kevin Hollingsworth made a motion to adjourn. Randy Hebert seconded. Motion approved.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jodi Stoddard". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large initial "J".

Jodi Stoddard
NLBRA Executive Board Secretary