

BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING
MISSOURI B.A.S.S. FEDERATION NATION

The meeting on June 11, 2016 was held at Warsaw Ambulance Base, in Warsaw, Mo. The meeting was called to order by Treasurer, Greg Voss. Randy James called roll with 27 clubs present. Minutes from the April meeting were presented by secretary, Kathy Blankenkemper, and a motion was made by Pleasant Hill with a second by Central Missouri Bassmasters to approve the minutes as read. Motion passed. Financial report was given by treasurer, Greg Voss. Motion was made by KC Area Bassmasters and second by Camdenton Castaways to approve the financial report. Motion passed.

Vote was taken on Robert Troumbly for Environmental director. Vote passed. He later discussed cull systems, rubber nets, and the need for pictures of projects for the website.

Randy James presented the 2016 State Tournament. It will be October 14 to 16. Schedule for the state tournament will be presented at the next meeting. Entry forms are available on the web site. Greg Voss discussed the tournament account and that it is down to \$1500.00. He proposed that the state team members pay the entry fee by the January meeting which is \$200.00 per boater and \$100.00 per nonboater. The reason for this is that we have had issues in the past with members cancelling at the last minute. This would help to guarantee attendance and pay expenses to replace them if necessary. Motion was made by Benton County with a second by KC Area to do this. Motion was made by Benton County and second by Mexico to take to members and vote on this at the September meeting.

Mark Cowart presented sponsors. Sponsors at this time include, Live Target, Eagle One, Solar Bat, Tightlines, Culprit, Razor Rods, Frog Togs, and Power Pole. Eagle One has been bought out by another company so not sure what their future participation will be. Huk Gear is another new sponsor. Some of these will be offering product to be given away at tournaments or to the state team while others will be offering discounts to members. Watch for info in the Newspaper, on the MO Bass web site or ask your club director for further info. He asks that members support the sponsors by liking their pages on Facebook or emailing them thru their websites.

Greg Voss discussed the Summer Sizzler which has twenty entries at this time. This is a donation tournament for Children's Miracle Network and will go out at 6:00 am or safe light. Randy James discussed the Fall Classic which will be September 18 6:00 am to 2:00 pm out of Light House Marina.

John Blankenkemper and Mark Cowart participated in a photo op at Bass Pro for their donation of rods and reels to the youth.

Motion to adjourn was made by Lost Creek with a second by Westside. Motion passed.