

USA Swimming Senior Development Committee Minutes

Wednesday January 15, 2025. Virtual Meeting.

Present: Jaime Lewis, Brendan Hansen, Kevin Zacher, Billy Doughty, Todd Capen, Kathleen Scandary, John Morse, Paul Silver, Paul Donovan, Brooke Forde, Mike Parratto, Evan Steffy, Kieran Smith, Olga Espinosa

Staff: *Patrick Murphy, Macie McNichols, Beth Winkowski, Terry Jones, MJ Truex, Trey Freeman*

Absent:

Guests: Shawn Smith, Frank Busch, Peter Verhoef

Call to Order: Jaime called the November Senior Development Committee meeting to order at 9:00am

Conflict of Interest Disclosure: n/a

- I. **Approval of minutes from last meeting (summary)- Approved**
- II. **Approval of agenda-Approved**
- III. **Welcome-** Mike Parratto, Paul Silver, Brooke Forde
 - Update from Events department on tentative quad plan for futures and above.
- IV. **Time standards- 2025 Winter Jrs & Open**
 - Winter JR's- No adjustments to women's side, standard adjustments on men's side. This should produce approximately 750 athletes at each meet.
 - Discussion on meet size of 750 – is this the ideal number of athletes?
 - Location of Winter JR East- Indianapolis vs. Greensboro
 - Motion to approve Winter JR's standards as presented- **Motion passes**
 - US Open Standards- Qual times decrease through quad to approx. 1-2% off Trials cuts in 2027.
 - Motion to approve US Open Standards as presenter- **Motion passes**
- V. **Winter Meet Follow-up**
 - Time Trials- should be available at JR's and not limited to certain days.
- VI. **Futures Entry Dates**
 - Opened in mid-April 2024. Keep as is- open April 15, 2025.
- VII. **TYR Champs- Event Order**
 - Conversation of a 4-day meet and adding 50's of stroke.
 - TYR 2025 Champs- Motion to approve a 4-day event order with the option to add the 50's of stroke at a later date- **Motion passes**
- VIII. **Other Business**

Adjournment: 11:15am Mountain