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BY-LAWS
OF
WASHINGTON STATE TRAPSHOOTERS ASSOCIATION

December 2, 2017

ARTICLE I

MEETINGS OF THE CORPORATION

Section 1 All meetings of the corporation shall be held at the office of the corporation or at the annual Amateur Trapshooting Association's state shoot (usually held in June of each year), or at such other place as shall be approved by a majority of the members.

Section 2 The annual meeting of the members of this corporation shall be held at such time and place of the Amateur Trapshooting Association's annual state shoot (usually held in the month of June each year) at a time and place to be specifically set forth in the notice.

Section 3 A notice stating the time and place of such annual meeting shall be mailed, postage prepaid, to each member of the corporation at his/her last known place of residence at least twenty (20) days prior to the annual meeting.

Section 4 Fifty (50) members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the members.

Section 5 If a quorum is not present at the annual meeting, the members present in person may adjourn to such future time as may be agreed upon by them, and notice of such adjournment shall be mailed, postage prepaid, to each member at least five (5) days before such adjourned meeting; but if a quorum be preset they may adjourn from day to day as they see fit and no notice of such adjournment need to be given.

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Section 6 A special meeting of the members may be called at any time by the officers, or upon the written request of any three Trustees, or the written request of at least 25% of the total members of the corporation, such a written request to be mailed to the Secretary and shall state the purpose of said proposed meeting. The Secretary shall mail a notice of such call to each member of the corporation at least twenty (20) days before such meeting, and such notice shall state the time and place of such meeting and the purpose thereof.

Section 7 When all members are present at any meeting, however called or notified, and when such members sign their written consent thereto and such written consent is made a part of the record of such meeting, the proceedings at such meeting shall be called valid, irrespective of the manner in which the meeting is called.

Section 8 Each member of the corporation shall be entitled to one vote at any and all meetings of the corporation.

Section 9 All motions being initiated by the membership during a annual meeting and their subsequent acceptance by majority vote shall be considered an advisory vote. The subject of the vote shall be entered into the record for final disposition to be determined during the annual December meeting of the W.S.T.A.

Section 10 The following order of business shall be observed at all annual and social meetings of the members of the corporation, as far as possible via:

1. Calling the roll;
2. Reading, correction and approval of the minutes of the previous meetings;
3. Reports of Officers;
4. Reports of committee's;
5. Election of trustees;
6. Election of delegates;
7. Unfinished business;
8. New business;

ARTICLE II

Trustees

Section 1 A board of fifteen (15) Trustees shall be elected with five (5) being for a three (3) year term, five (5) being for a two (2) year term and five (5) being for a one (1) year term. Thereafter elect only five (5) trustees annually for a three (3) year term. Trustees shall be elected by the members of the corporation at their annual meeting, to exercise the powers, conduct the business, control the property, and manage the affairs of the corporation.

Section 2 Any member of the corporation may be elected a Trustee provided he or she is eighteen (18) years of age or older.

Section 3 Vacancies in the board of Trustees by reason of death, resignation, or other causes shall be filled by appointment by the Board of Trustees. Such appointment shall hold office until the end of the normal term of the person he or she is replacing. A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees shall be held at the office of the corporation, or at such other time and place as the Board of Trustees shall direct, immediately following the regular annual meeting of members. At such meeting the Trustees shall elect the corporation officers for the ensuing year and transact such other business as may properly come before them.

Section 4 Special meetings may be called by the President or by any two Trustees by giving three (3) days notice to each Trustee. Said notice shall be written and shall be mailed, telephoned, or personally delivered to each Trustee.

Section 5 If all the Trustees shall be present at any Trustees meeting regardless of method of call or notice, or if the majority of the Trustees are present and those absent sign a written waiver of such notice, whether prior to or after the holding of such a meeting, and said waiver shall be filed by the secretary of the corporation and entered on the record of such meeting, and business may be transacted at such meeting and the transactions at such meeting shall be valid.

Section 6 The Trustees of the corporation shall have the general management and control of the business and affairs of the corporation and shall exercise all of the powers that may be exercised or preformed by the corporation under the laws of the State of Washington, the Articles of Incorporation, and these By-Laws.

Section 7 A majority of the Trustees shall constitute a quorum.

Section 8 From among the members, and the annual meeting, there shall be elected a Delegate and a Alternate Delegate to represent the Washington State Trapshooters Association, Inc. at the National Trapshooters Association: the alternate shall serve as such only in the event of the delegate being unable to perform said duties.

Section 9 In addition to the ATA “criteria for election as a State Delegate or Alternate Delegate”, the Washington State incumbent for these positions shall meet all target count requirements with no (zero) cross registered targets from any other trapshooting association being considered as part of his/her minimum requirements.

ARTICLE III

OFFICERS

Section 1 The executive officers of the corporation shall consist of a president, vice-president, a secretary, and a treasurer, and such other officers shall from time to time be chosen and appointed by the Board of Trustees. Any two of said officers may be combined in one person.

Section 2 The officers shall be elected at the first meeting of the Board of Trustees after the organization of the corporation and, thereafter, at the first meeting after the annual election of Trustees, and they shall hold office for one year or until their successors are elected.

Section 3 The President shall preside at all meeting of the members and of the Board of Trustees.

Section 4 The Vice-President shall act for the President in his/her absence and perform such other acts as the President may direct.

Section 5 The Secretary shall keep a record of the minutes of the proceedings of meetings of Trustees, and shall give notice as required in these By-Laws of all such meetings. He/she shall have custody of all books, records, and papers of the corporation, except such as shall be in the charge of the Treasurer or some other person authorized to have custody and possession thereof by resolution of the Board of Trustees.

Section 6 The Treasurer shall keep accounts of all moneys of the corporation received or disbursed, and shall deposit all moneys and valuables in the name of and to the credit of the corporation in such banks and depositories as the Board of Trustees shall designate. The Treasurer shall be responsible for the maintenance of the financial records of the corporation and shall make periodic reports and render such statements as the Board of Trustees may require.

Section 7 In case of a vacancy occurring in any of the offices of this corporation, such vacancy may be filled by the Board of Trustees at its discursion.

Section 8 Any Officer of the corporation may be removed by a majority vote of the Board of Trustees whenever in its judgment the best interests of the corporation will be served thereby.

Section 9 All instruments and documents pertaining to real estate transactions in the name of the corporation shall be signed by both the President and the Secretary, as representatives of the corporation and /or and on behalf of each of the member.

ARTICLE IV

MEMBERSHIP

Section 1 Every person holding a current membership card in the Amateur Trapshooting Association shall automatically be a member of this corporation, provided that said member is/has been, for at least six (6) months, a bona fide resident of the State of Washington.

Section 2 The membership fee, dues, and assessments, if any, and the method of paying the same including the time thereof, shall be determined by the Board of Trustees.

Section 3 The amount of WSTA fee paid by each shooter each day while participating an ATA registered shoot at any authorized gun club shall be in the amount set by majority vote of the Board of Trustees of the corporation. Said monies shall be remitted to the treasurer of this corporation as soon as possible after the conclusion of the said shoot. This fund is to be used for the expense of the corporation in the organization of the registered shoots, purchase of trophies, and providing cash prizes and awards, and for such other related purposes as may be directed by the Board of Trustees.

Section 4 In the event dues or assessments to each of the members of the corporation are established in the future, members of the corporation shall be deprived of the use of facilities of the corporation, upon majority vote of the Board of Trustees, if such dues or assessments become delinquent for a period of ninety (90) days.

Section 5 Any member of the corporation may be expelled from membership for "just cause", upon vote of 75% of the members of the corporation.

Section 6 Membership in this corporation shall not be assignable.

ARTICLE V

AMENDMENTS

Section 1 The By-Laws of this corporation may be amended by a majority vote of the Board of Trustees, or any special meeting called for that purpose.

Washington State Trapshooting Association Directors

Name

Signature

Roger Clouse

Bill Whitman

Brian James

Bruce Skelton

Linda Bergstresser

Todd Deckard

Sean Lewis

Jim Dahmen

Dale Kinzel

Jack Miller

John Weber

Andrea Bergstresser

Will Johnson

Margie Kinzel

Erin Bauer
