USAG MPC Meeting Minutes  
Teleconference  

December 11, 2018  
Mike Serra called the meeting to order at 12:05pm EST

Roll Call:

**Members Present:**  
Athlete Representative – Sho Nakamori  
Junior Coaches Representative – Sergei Pakanich  
Junior Coaches Representative – Mike Serra  
Senior Coaches Representative – Randy Jepson  
Senior Coaches Representative – Karl Ziehn

**Members Not Present:**  
Athlete Representative – Steve Legendre  
NGJA Representative – Mike Juszczyk

**Present, Not Voting:**  
High Performance Director – Brett McClure  
JO Program Coordinator – Dusty Ritter  
VP of Men’s Program – Dennis McIntyre

I. Discussion of the 7 petitions received for the 2019 Winter Cup Challenge.

**Motion:** Accept the petitions from Lazarus Barnhill, Garrett Brauton, Julian Brutchin-Rouse and Dylan Young to participate in the Junior Division at the 2019 Winter Cup Challenge.

**Motion:** Sergei Pakanich  
Second: Randy Jepson  
PASSED: 4 for, 0 against, 1 recusal

II. Review of Winter Cup Bonus Funding Document. The definition of the final all around results for the bonus document needs to be adjusted to reflect that all around team selection is based on the first day of competition only at the 2019 Winter Cup.

**Motion:** Accept the revised Winter Cup bonus funding document for the 2019 Winter Cup Challenge

**Motion:** Karl Ziehn  
Second: Sergei Pakanich  
PASSED: Unanimous

III. Review of the international schedule for the first half of 2019.
Brett McClure reviewed the international competition schedule for the first six months of 2019 along with a general update on the athlete assignment process for the events. Recommendations for athlete assignments to these events will be presented to the MPC in the near future. There was also a discussion regarding the ability to add events for national team members using the World University Games self-funded template. This discussion will be tabled until the MPC meeting at the Winter Cup Challenge.

Note: Randy Jepson left the meeting at 1:10 pm.

IV. Discussion of national team size relative to event needs and preparation for 2020 and beyond. Tabled to later meeting.

V. Selection of the team for the RD761 (Deci meet) Junior International Team Meet to be held in Houston, TX January 15-20. The team recommendation came from the Junior Olympic Coordinator, High Performance Director and Junior Coaching staff following extensive review of the eligible athletes.

Motion: To name the following athletes and coaches to the RD761 Junior International Team Meet:

Athletes:
Isaiah Drake
Colt Walker
Fuzzy Benas
Josh Karnes
Raydel Gamboa - Alternate

Coaches:
Pavel Sargsyan - Head Coach
Jacob Marks - Assistant to the Head Coach

VI. New Business
After reviewing the athletes in relation to the 2019 Winter Cup Challenge, Dusty Ritter and Brett McClure recommended inviting two additional Level 9 Junior National Team members, Arun Chhetri and Vishal Mandava, to participate in the 2019 Winter Cup.

Motion: To accept the recommendation to invite Arun Chhetri and Vishal Mandava to participate at the 2019 Winter Cup Challenge.

Motion: Sergei Pakanich
Second: Mike Serra
PASSED: Unanimous
VII. Adjourn

Motion to adjourn at 1:50pm EST

Motion: Sergei Pakanich
Second: Randy Jepson
PASSED: Unanimously

Respectfully submitted by Sho Nakamori, Athlete Representative/MPC Secretary