

Washington Youth Soccer

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Board of Directors Meeting Agenda

7100 Fort Dent Way, Suite 215, Tukwila, WA 98188

Thursday, December 15, 2022

Attendance: Felipe Mendez, Chris Stiles, Jane McGillivray, Lamar Neagle, Lane Smith, Lauren Pendergraft, Roger Levesque, Leah Gray, Chuck Porter, Roger Levesque

Absent: Jill Christiansen, Rich Austin, Matt Folsom

1. Meeting Called to Order Felipe Mendez

2. Roll Call Jane McGillivray

3. Approval of Minutes

4. Welcome | Chach Duarte White Felipe

5. Discussion Roger Levesque

A. Team Objectives | Sep 2022 - Mar 2023

2 teams going to Portugal. Org funding perspective allows only two teams, Training at sporting and play in Ibrah cup.

Mtg with Sounder last week, OL Reign this week, Stars in the beginning of the year – focus on Big Moments.

WYS by far unique in the relationships we have with Pros.

Professionalizing communication. We need to get better, at updates as well as bigger pieces. Social media, another set of eyes on design.

Investment League development: more thought and time and support for NPSL – knowing they are squeezed at the top with RCL, and good place to invest – WISL as well.

- B. Team Development
- C. Boundary Management
- D. Annual Player Fee Meeting (APFM) Planning

This mtg is designed only to approve or disapprove the player fee proposal. We need to provide the 8-9 hour for Financial deep dive

1 hour is plenty of time for the budget review, and the Accountants appreciate seeing our financial statements.

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6. Financials

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of EPD players is about the same

of pool candidates was higher, selected players about the same.

Delayed billing on a few groups

7. Legal Roger & Felipe

8. AOB All

9. Adjournment Felipe Mendez

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Next Meeting: TBD

Date: January 27, 2022 Time: 12:00p to 1:00p PT Location: WYS HQ / Virtual

*APFM scheduled for the following day



TEAM OBJECTIVES | SEPTEMBER - MARCH (Q1 + Q2 Fiscal Year)



Core Objective | Listen, learn, and execute

PRIMARY ESSENTIAL GOALS (PEGS)

PEG #1 | Develop key competencies to execute program plans that deliver value to Membership. Surprise & delight when possible.

- Staffing
- Cups
- EPD | ODP Championships & Portugal

- Eastern / Central Washington growth
- Revenue Generation via Corporate Partnerships and Fundraising

- Coaching Education
- WYS Foundation Programming | S4S, Let Her Play / Coach, TOPSoccer, Soccer For All

PEG #2 | Invest in League development.

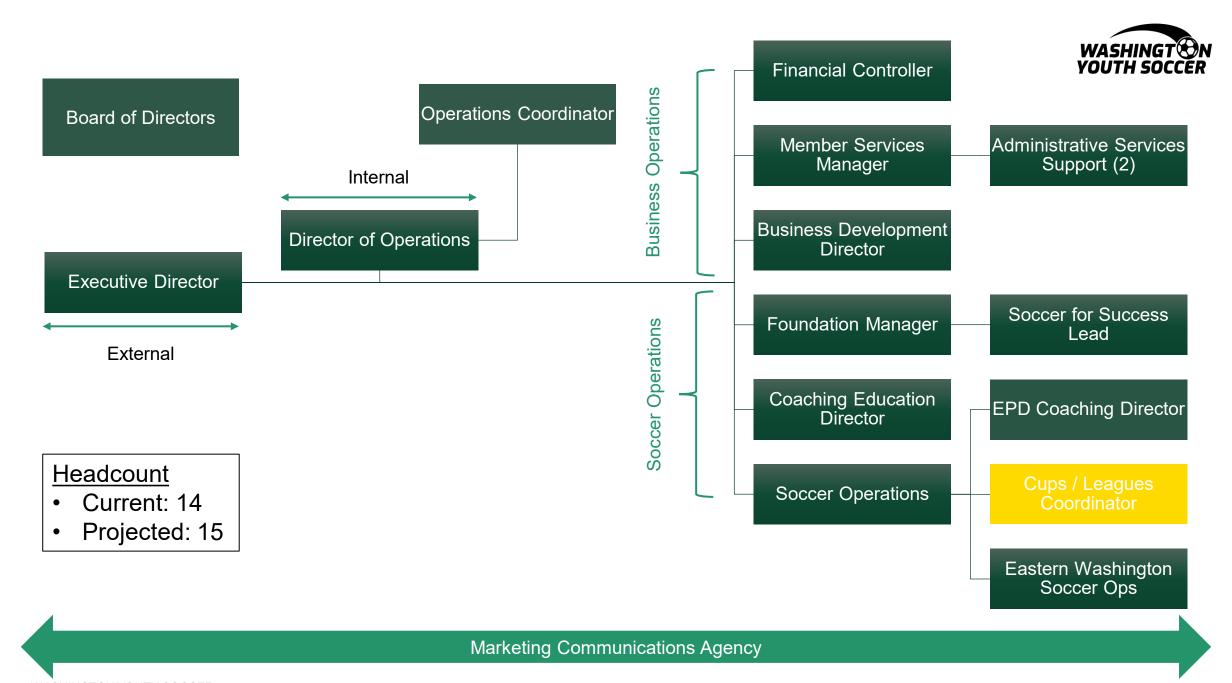
- Engage Member Associations in a meaningful way
- Focus on Recreational & Select playing levels first

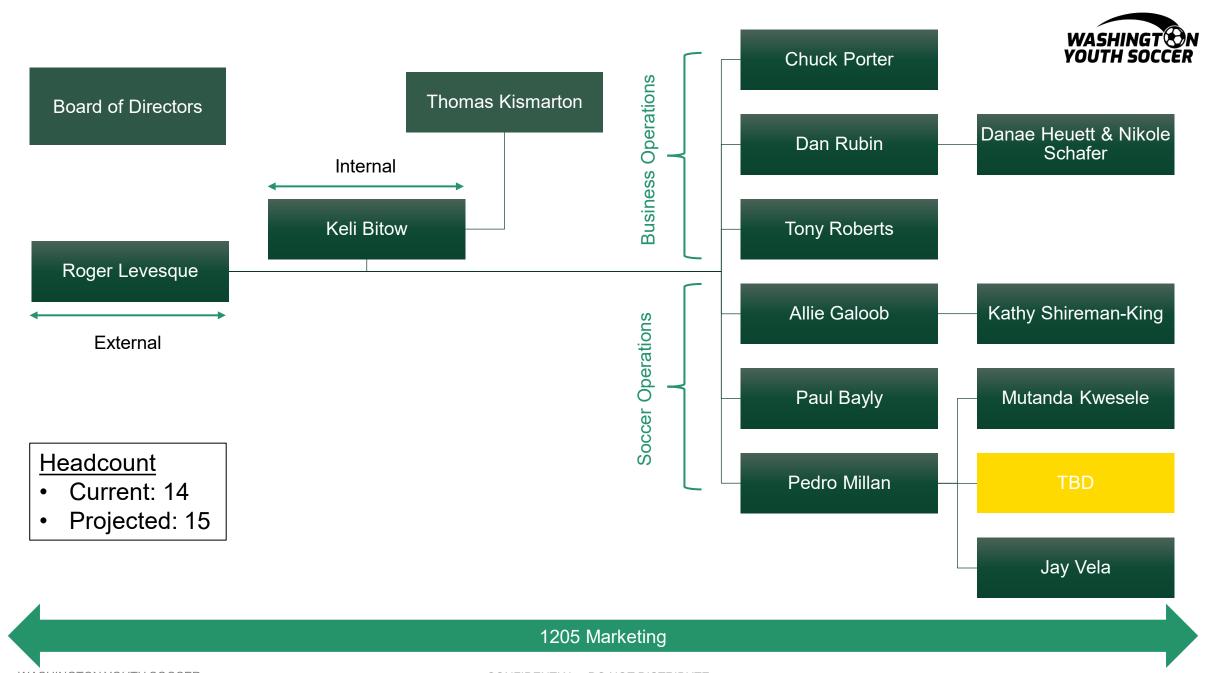
- Leverage / build on established platforms (WISL, NPSL, SSUL, etc.)
- Plan for the long-term strategic growth across all levels of play

PEG #3 | Professionalize communication to deliver relevant information to Membership.

- Promote Core Programs, e.g., Cups
- Celebrate WYS Moments

- USSF / USYS Initiatives
- Provide operational info, e.g., SafeSport
- Support campaigns, e.g., Respect
- Share other relevant info





BOUNDARY MANAGEMENT | NEXT STEPS



Looking ahead to Key Ideas and Next Steps

Key Ideas:

- Developing a boundary management process to address field space, player movement, etc.
- Understanding the diverging landscapes of Rec, Select, and Competitive Soccer and promoting collaboration across all levels of play
- Scarcity of field space and boundary implications / opportunities for collaboration
- Understanding boundary management models of Associations and Clubs and how those models can work together to create benefits across the youth soccer landscape

Next Steps:

- Post-Fall Season Survey
 - Intent to develop an understanding of specific boundary concerns and to focus on boundary management as an opportunity for positive collaboration, e.g., are there examples of Associations and Clubs working within and outside of their boundaries to improve the playing experience for youth soccer players in their programs?
- Task Force Development
 - Key stakeholders, including Association, Club and League Leaders that participated in the Boundary Meeting have expressed interest in participating in further discussion to guide long-term evaluation of boundary management practices and facilitating opportunities for collaboration.

APFM PLANNING | KEY DATES & INFORMATION



Annual Player Fee Meeting scheduled for in-person meeting on Saturday, January 28, 2023

Key Dates:

- 12/09/2022 | APFM Guidance delivered to Association Leaders
- 12/28/2022 | APFM Agenda shared with Membership
- 01/28/2022 | Annual Player Fee Meeting | Seattle Airport Marriot

Discussion Topics for Consideration:

- Stack Sports | Online Invoicing Management
- League Development
- Boundary Management
- Washington Youth Soccer Foundation / Association
- Field Development Grant
- Cups Presentation | Fee Guidance for 2024
- Other





December 9, 2022

To: Washington Youth Soccer Council (Association Presidents and WYS Board of Directors)

CC: Washington Youth Soccer Member Association Representatives

From: Washington Youth Soccer Office

Re: Notice of Player Fees

Hello Washington Youth Soccer Membership,

We are looking forward to seeing you all - in-person - at the upcoming Annual Player Fee Meeting scheduled for Saturday, January 28th, 2023. Please save the date. Agenda and details to follow.

This letter is to inform you that the Washington Youth Soccer Board of Directors has voted that the Player Fees for registration to Washington Youth Soccer for the playing season 2023-2024 which will be recommended to the Membership at the Annual Player Fee Meeting on January 28th, 2023, are to remain the same as the current year 2022-2023.

2023-2024 Player Fees

10 and below Rec: \$7.25 11 and above Rec: \$16.25 Competitive: \$18.50

The Membership shall vote on this recommendation from the Board of Directors on Saturday, January 28th, 2023, at the Annual Player Fee Meeting.

We wish you all the best this holiday season and look forward to seeing you in January!

Sincerely

Roger Levesque

Roger Levesque, (He/Hin Executive Director, WYS

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