Committee Name:	Board of Directors	Session #: 1	Report #: 1
Committee Chair:	Nadine Day	Vice Chair:	
Minutes recorded by:	Chris Colburn	Date/time of meeting:	February 7, 2014 4:00pm CST

Motions Passed:

1. None.

Number of committee members present: 24 Absent: 4 Number of other delegates present: 0

Committee members present (list all, including chair and vice chair): Nadine Day - President called the meeting to order at 4:00pm CST. Also present were: Ed Tsuzuki - VP of Administration; Chris Stevenson - VP of Local Operations; Chris McGiffin - VP of Programs; Jody Smith -VP of Community Services; Chris Colburn – Secretary; Phil Dodson – Treasurer; Patty Miller - Legal Counsel; At-Large Directors: Bruce Hopson (Breadbasket), Dave Diehl (Colonies), Maria Elias-Williams (Dixie), CJ Rushman (Great Lakes), Hugh Moore (Northwest), Jill Gellatly (South Central); Jim Clemmons (Oceana) and Phil Whitten (Southwest); Rob Butcher – Executive Director; Past Presidents: Rob Copeland, Jim Miller, Nancy Ridout, Jeff Moxie, Tom Boak and Ted Haartz; Jeff Gudman – USA Swimming Liaison to USMS..

Not present: Dan Gruender, Mike Laux and June Krauser – Past Presidents; Mel Goldstein is recused from the Board due to his contractor position with USMS.

Guests:

Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 4pm CST.

- 1. Weather delays caused changes to the Houston Board meeting agenda. The Board members who were present at 4:00 pm worked on task force groups to discuss the Strategic Plan pillars of membership, volunteers, marketing and partnership. The Board reassembled at 5:55pm.
- 2. Nadine thanked the Board for attending. Nadine presented her 1 minute elevator speech. For the Consent Agenda and NBR there was nothing to report. The USA Swimming report was presented by Patty Miller and Jeff Gudman. Other updates: Forum discussion task force recommendations are in process. Rob Copeland will train forum moderators.
- 3. Secretary Chris Colburn requested that Board members please respond to meeting minutes and requests to vote in a timely manner.
- 4. New schedules for Saturday are posted on the Board of Directors discussion forum.
- 5. Tom Boak welcomed everyone to The Woodlands and discussed some of the logistics for the weekend.
- 6. The Legislation Committee voted to give the Board emergency powers to establish the open water insurance surcharge fee. That discussion will be added to Saturday's agenda.
- 7. Next meeting will be February 8, 2014 at 8am CST (Part 2 of the 2/7-9 Winter BOD Meeting).

The meeting was adjourned at 6:03pm CST.

Respectfully Submitted,

Chris Colburn, Secretary