Paramedic Association of Canada Association des paramédics du Canada

Annual General Meeting Minutes

Date: **August 17, 2017** Time: **16:00 hrs ET**

Location: Hilton Hotel, Quebec QC

Executive: Chris Hood (Chair), Tim Stairs, Pierre Poirier,

Membership Present: APBC, ACP, PAM, CPQ, PANB, PAPEI

Absent: SEMSA, OPA, PANL, CAF

Parliamentarian: Grant Ross

Administration: Dwayne Forsman



Agend a	TOPIC	DISCUSSION POINTS	DISCUSSION	ACTION
1.	Call to Order	16:10 hrs	Introductions of meeting attendees	
2.	Approve Agenda	Chris Hood		Motion to accept the report:
				Moved: PAPEI
				2 nd ACP
				Carried
3.	President's Report		Received as information an overview of the relationships that PAC has established.	Motion to accept the report:
				Moved: PAM
				2 nd CPQ
				Carried

4.	Executive Director Report	Pierre Poirier	Received as information an overview of the many initiative the Paramedic Association of Canada is engaged in on behalf of Canadian Paramedics.	Motion to accept the report: Moved: PAM 2 nd : PANB Carried
5.	Treasurer's Report	Tim Stairs	Received as information of the 2016 Financial Audit.	Motion to accept the report: Moved by: CPQ 2 nd : PAPEI Carried
6.	Bylaws and Resolutions	a. Policy Resolution #1	That the Paramedic Association shall increase all membership fees by \$2.00 per member annually.	Motion to accept policy resolution #1 by: APBC 2 nd : PAM Carried
		b. Policy Resolution #2	To add all prior recorded Canadian Forces SAR Tech line of duty deaths to the paramedic LODD roster. Amendment: to back date the SAR Tech LODD to when first paramedic recorded.	Motion to accept the policy resolution #2 as amended: by: PABC 2 nd : PAM Carried

7.	Committee			
	Reports			
		a. Benevolent	Grant Ross – Minute of silence for MC Alfred Barr who died in a SAR Tech training accident. Received as information a synopsis of the last years events.	Motion to approve Benevolent Report Moved by: Grant Ross 2 nd : ACP Carried
		b. Government Relations	Jodi Possia – Received as information an overview of the advocacy event held on Parliament Hill.	Motion to approve Government Relations Report Moved by: PAM 2 nd : PANB Carried
		c. Awards	Thomas Zajac – Received as information an overview of the establishment of a National Awards program.	Motion to approve Awards Report Moved by: PAPEI 2 nd : PANB Carried
8.	Chapter Updates	PAPEI	Over view of activities by the PEI Chapter.	
		CAF	No report	
		PANB	Over view of activities by the NB Chapter.	
		ОРА	No report	
		PAM	Over view of activities by the MB Chapter.	

		SEMSA	No report	
		ACP	Over view of activities by the AB Chapter.	
		APBC	Over view of activities by the BC Chapter.	
		CPQ	Over view of activities by the QC Chapter.	
		PANL	No report	
9.	Old Business		No old business	
10.	New Business			
		a. Hospital Hallway Waiting	Don Sharpe – Presented on the issue of hospital hallway waiting.	
			D. Deines – Point of direction, the Board gave direction for the Executive to report back to the Board	
11.	Adjournment and Next Meeting		Next meeting to TBA	Moved to adjourned by: PAM 2 nd APBC Carried