Draft Minutes

Metro Committee Meeting- November 10, 2026

8 PM—Zoom Meeting

Attendance: John Zoll (Chair), Kevin Larsen (Sec), Mike Cody (TRID), Darren Sandvig (Sr Rep), Lauren Skinner (Coach/Open Water Rep), George Young (Past Chair/SGSG), Oliver Pena (Sr Planning), Ryan Chang (Athlete Rep), Kayde Cross (LKWD), Fed Ricketts (Jr. Planning), Sergio Cervantes (Age Group), Evan (SGSG Rep), Scott Watanabe (Safe Sport), Joy Lim (DARE), Yvonne Jo (Official)

Meeting called to order at 8:05pm

I. Approval of agenda – Agenda approved

II. Actionable Items – none

III. Chair – John Zoll

- The 2027 slate of officers was presented. No nominations were received from the floor. Motion was made, seconded and approved to move forward even though the procedure didn't comply with Metro operating procedures. Motion was made, seconded and approved to accept a white ballot for the slate of officers.
  - Chair Mike Cody
  - Vice-Chair Lauren Skinner
  - Sec/Treas Kevin Larsen
  - Sr. Rep Scott Watanabe
  - Age Group Sergio Cervantes
  - Program Sr. Federico Ricketts
  - Program Jr. Kayde Cross
  - Open Water Hank Wise
  - DDEI Rep John Zoll
  - Athlete Reps Ryan Change, Tobey Chow
  - Safe Sport Open
  - Coach Rep Open
  - Officials Rep Yvonne Jo (SCS Appointed)

IV. Vice-Chairperson - Vacant

VI. Sec & Treasurer – Kevin Larsen – Approval of minutes – Minutes were presented for the October 13 meeting. Correction to include Mike Cody in attendance. – Passed by Unanimous Consent

VII. Athlete Rep – Ryan Chang (Sr Athlete) – An application will be sent out to the coaches to give to their team athletes.

VIII. Age Group Rep – Sergio Cervantes

- Select Camp - January 16 & 17 at Commerce. Metro can send 4 athletes per gender per age group. Discussion on how to select athletes - consensus on having athletes fill out an application and then selecting based on IMX or similar process.
- Block party changes - discussion regarding the proposed changes to the Block Party meets. Proposed SCS sanction fee, size limits, and requirement for a meet official in order for times to be eligible for SCS champs meets. Concerns were raised regarding times not counting for Champs without an official or electronic timing system and limiting the pool to only 8 lanes of competition.

X. SR Rep – Darren Sandvig – No Report

XI. Coaches Rep & Open Water – Lauren Skinner - No Report

XII. Planning SR—Oliver Pena –

- No Bids were received for the July 9,10,11 Metro Long Course Champs. Bids will be taken at the January 2027 meeting. Teams can bid for a Long Course or Short Course meet format.

XIII. Planning JR & DDEI—Federico Ricketts – DDEI Camp went well. There is a need for coaches to discuss the purpose of DDEI with the camp athletes prior to their attendance at the camp

XIV Official Rep—Yvonne Jo – No Report

XV. Safe Sport—Scott Watanabe – No Report

XVII Old Business – None

XVIII. New Business –

- The Riverside WAG meet event file has time errors

XVIV. Announcements/Adjournment

- SCS HOD Meeting - Wednesday, Nov 18
- Next Metro Meeting - January 12, 2027

Meeting Adjourned at 8:59pm

Submitted by Kevin Larsen, Metro Secretary