**IRDC Membership Meeting (on Zoom)**

 **Sept. 1, 2021**

**Present:** Karl, Dick Boggs, Marie and Lee F, Gary Hallberg, Rick and Linda Bostrum, David Lemon, Mary Zeitner, Chuck Arnold, Coley Tipton, Linda Blackburn, Brad, Bob Mearns, Phil, Fil Alleva, Cory Peters, Scott Eckert, Daniele, James C., Bill Ecker, Guy Berry. Apologize if I missed someone, some came in late.

**President:** Meeting called to order at 7:35 PM. Tonight we will have our regular membership meeting and will adjourn and have a rule change meeting conducted by James. I plan to do an Excel spread sheet to keep track of the votes by our license drivers in attendence. Our Conference season is over and it was a more sucessful than last year. Happy we didn’t lose as much as last year. Hopefully we will be close to break even. 27 new novice driver and 248 licensed drivers and next year we will look forward to a change for the better.

**Vice President:** Couple of months of the audit looks really good and our treasuer has done an amazing job.

**Secretary:** The General Membership meeting minutes of August 4, 2021 were emailed to all members that I have a email address for on August 5th. **Approved**

**Treasurer:** We are solvent. Went over the out standing bills that are very late in being submitted to us. Discussed the net loss for the year and the coming 2022 race expense that is paid in advance. **Approved**

**Race Chair:** Great weekend, 2 grass fires, several DQ’s, had scale issues, Steward declared the scales to be 14 lbs off. Need to be sent in and calibrated. Had some sound issues, but no real issues. Lunches were not good, we forgot to put in an order. Improvement in the track is incredible. There are so many added expense tacked on beyond the regular rental fee that we may not be able to race there in the future. Supposed to put in parking stripping over the winter. Above all do not forget to go to the new entrace. Discussion of Tow trucks with Brad for Pacific and the additional skills needed for race cars.

**New business:** Discusion of the Ridge and hired turn workers and their skill levels.

**Old Business:** Long discussion of flags that are given to first place finishers and flags received that were defective and were given away to children and the supplier will be making it right.

**Good of the Order: Move to adjourn Approved 8:00 PM to proceed to the rule change meeting.**

**Rule Change Meeting:** 3 rule changes as proposed were approved by the drivers present.

1. BMW rocker arns 2. Club Ford tires 3. Novice time spending full days at pregrid and corners