PROPOSAL

The North Central Idaho chapter of Back Country Horsemen of Idaho presents the following proposal to the state Board of Directors on March 23, 2012 and request that it be brought before the convention delegates on March 24, 2012 for a vote.

WHEREAS: Each BCH State organization pays to have forty paper copies or cd's produced of their Annual Report to be taken to the National BCHA meeting each year.

WHEREAS: Unless a power point is developed, most National Directors merely pass out their State Reports in either hard copy or cd, and no presentation is made.

WHEREAS: The cd and paper copies of the Annual Report from all the states that are distributed to the National Directors at the BCHA meeting are rarely viewed by more than a handful of members, upon the Directors return to their home state.

WHEREAS: If the Annual Reports were posted on the BCHA website by the first day of April, there would be no reason to transport copies to the National meeting or for the State organizations to go to the expense of producing copies.

Time on the agenda for special presentations by individual states could still be requested.

WHEREAS: The end result of this action is that the State Annual Reports would be available to any and all members nation wide to view at their leisure.

WHEREAS: The possible final result could be that the Annual Reports from each State would be read by more BCH members, agency representatives and legislators than ever before.

BE IT PROPOSED: That state delegates cast a vote to have our two National Directors submit this proposal to the National Chairman for consideration at the upcoming BCHA meeting in April in Eugene, OR. Be it further requested that if passed, the National Board of Directors instruct each State BCH organization to post their Annual Reports on the BCHA website by April 1st of each year and save the expense of producing copies that are rarely used.

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