

Wisconsin Horse Council District 2 meeting
Tuesday, November 18, 2025, 7:00 pm

Call to order: President Shaughn Novy called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM
Attendance: Lori Seliger. Via Zoom: Patti Brockman, Lisa Redfern, Tammy Guite

Secretary's report:

October's Secretary's report posted on WHC website. No additions or corrections

Motion: to approve the October minutes as posted

Motion: Seliger Second: Guite Motion carried

Treasurer's report: Novy reported that the WHC D2 Treasurer's report had no further updates as the Fall Horse Festival budget and expenditures are not finalized, however it is in line with the budgeted amounts. Novy reminded the committee that the 2025 Fall Horse Event spent 2 years budget amount as there were no funds spent last year (2024).

Old Business:

The committee confirmed that during the October meeting, it was decided that WHC District 2 would host the Fall Hores Festival event again in 2026 – tentative date October 10th & 11th, 2026, at Riverwind Ranch in Merrill.

Guite suggested that packets be developed for clinicians, demonstrators, and sponsors to detail what is expected of them and what to expect from D2 at the Fall Horse Fest event (event and demonstration times, vendor tent & tables, monetary commitment, marketing, etc.). This information, including contracted demonstrators, should be confirmed and the information ready for distribution at the Midwest Horse Fair.

A tentative planning meeting to "hash it out" was scheduled for January 11, 2026, at The Mill Yard, 238532 County W N, Wausau WI. Tammy to confirm meeting space.

- Clinician suggestions were made
- Look for event sponsors: clinicians, demonstrations, tent, tables, etc. or different levels of sponsorship: Platinum / Gold/ Silver suggested.
- Novy reminded the committee that the original purpose of the Fall Horse Festival was to bring awareness to the Wisconsin Horse Council and generate membership.

Any other old business:

Nothing brought forward

New Business:

Elections: A nomination form was submitted for Kevin Griepentrog for WHC District 2 President. Kevin accepted the nomination at the October meeting. Novy called 3 times for other nominations from the floor; hearing none.

Motion by Brockman. Second by Seliger. To elect Griepentrog for WHC D2 President. Motion Carried. This is a two-year term.

A nomination form was submitted for Lisa Redfern for WHC District 2 Secretary: Lisa accepted the nomination at the October meeting. Novy called 3 times for other nominations from the floor; hearing none

Motion by Brockman. Second by Seliger. To elect Redfern for WHC D2 Secretary. Motion Carried. This is a two-year term.

Any other new Business:

Nothing brought forward.

Date of the next meeting:

TBD by newly elected board

Adjourn: 7:36 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Patti Brockman
WHC D2 Secretary