**Belgian Draft Horse Alliance and Corporation**

**Board of Directors Video Conference**

**March 15, 2021**

The video conference was called to order at 7:35 p.m. by Alliance Board President, Scott Seymour. The following Alliance board members were present for the meeting: Justin Berry, Tracie Brockhoff, Lisa Eller, David Moser, Larry Piergallini, Walter Schaefer Jr, Teresa Zube, and Michelle Keaffaber. The following Corporation board members were present for the meeting: Lewis Biddle, Herman Miller, Corbly Orndorff, and Dean Woodbury. Levi Beachy was not in attendance.

Teresa Zube presented a proposal to move the National Belgian Show from Ohio State Fair to the Michiana Event Center (MEC) and host an independent event.

The boards discussed the advantages and disadvantages of the proposal. The dates that are available at the MEC conflict with existing shows.

Scott Seymour presented an update from the NABC 9 committee on the status of the show.

Lisa Eller moved to give Ohio State Fair a deadline of May 15th, 2021 to sign a contract. If no contract is signed, the National Show committee will pursue a contract with Indiana State Fair. If neither can sign a contract, the National Show will be held independently. The National Show Committee will continue to research event spaces.

Justin Berry seconded the motion.

Motion passed unanimously.

Justin Berry moved to adjourn the meeting.

Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 9:21 p.m.

Signed:

Michelle Keaffaber

Secretary, Belgian Draft Horse Alliance