

BOD Report
Executive Secretary
January 16, 2018

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- **Sanctions/Meet Schedules/Requests for Bids** – Short Course meets through March have been posted in the Events on the website. Several March meet flyers and event files are still pending. Meets for 2018-2019 have been reviewed by the Sanction Committee. Long course schedule has been posted. Long Course meet flyers, sanction applications, and fees were due January 15, 2018. The flyers will be reviewed by the Sanction committee.
- **MW Redbook:** The MW Bylaws, Policies and Procedures and Forms have been updated with changes required by USA Swimming and policy changes made by the MW BOD. The 2018 Bylaws will be sent to USA Swimming for their approval.
- **Reimbursement Requests** – Reimbursement requests for the Junior National meet in Iowa City are begin processed as they are received. Thirteen MW athletes attended.
- **All Star Meet:** Eric Samson was the head All Star coach for the January 13-14, 2018 meet in Elkhorn. 148 applications were received for the 80 spots.
- **Zone Meet:** Zone meet site for MW for August 2-5, 2018 is Minneapolis, MN. Application forms are ready to be posted. Head Zone coach will be determined by application (open April 1-20) and ballot (open May 1-21). Meet sites for 2019 are Fargo ND and Pleasant Prairie WI. MW's site will be determined at the September 2018 Central Zone meeting.
- **LEAP:** Documents necessary for LEAP 1 renewal were uploaded through the MW LSC portal on the USA Swimming website. All requirements were met and MW received approval for LEAP 1 recertification.
- **High School Swimming:** The Nebraska High School season started November 13, 2017. Again in 2018 the HS conference meets and the state meet will be observed and times for all athletes registered with MW at the time of the swim will be entered into SWIMS. There are several season-ending invitationals that have again been approved for observation. Those are reviewed on a case-by-case basis and must be approved by the USA Swimming Program Operations designee. Times from the Iowa district and state meets that are in SWIMS will be accepted for MW times. All clubs have been notified of registration requirements for automatic inclusion in SWIMS.