



REPORT OF THE
NCAA MEN'S AND WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD RULES COMMITTEE
JUNE 21-22, 2023, ANNUAL MEETING VIDEOCONFERENCE

ACTION ITEMS.

- **None.**

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

1. **Welcome and announcements.** The chair of the NCAA Men's and Women's Track and Field Rules Committee welcomed the committee and invited guests and thanked them for their time.
2. **Review schedule, agenda, committee operations manual and NCAA Playing Rules Oversight Panel directives.** The meeting schedule and agenda were reviewed. The Track and Field Rules Committee also reviewed the operations manual, which included the NCAA conflict of interest policy, guidance for committee members regarding meeting reports, notes and email, voting procedures, principles for rules writing, and experimental playing rules guidelines. The Track and Field Rules Committee was reminded of the PROP directives from 2009 and 2014, which outline the two-year rules process and encourages all rules committees to strongly consider providing at least a one-year delay for Division II and Division III institutions before implementing any rules changes that have financial or facility implications.
3. **Review and approval of 2022 annual meeting report and June 6, 2023, videoconference report.** The Track and Field Rules Committee reviewed and approved the reports as written.
4. **National Federation of State High School Associations report.** Julie Cochran of the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) provided an update on 11 rules changes that were recently approved by the NFHS Track and Field Rules Committee. The rules changes are awaiting final approval by the NFHS Board of Directors.
5. **Secretary-rules editor report.** The secretary-rules editor reviewed 20 rules proposals that were submitted by the NCAA membership, as well as editorial changes to the rules book and other discussion items which included official video review, running violations, qualifying procedures and the World Athletics shoe policy. The Track and Field Rules Committee also reviewed all interpretations that were issued during the 2022-23 academic year.
6. **Future annual meeting and videoconference dates.** Videoconferences for 2023-24 will be scheduled the first Tuesday of every month, with the exception of January and March, at 11 a.m. Eastern time. The annual meeting will take place June 12-14, 2023, in Indianapolis.
7. **Selection of chair.** The Track and Field Rules Committee elected Jack Hoyt, Azusa Pacific University, as chair for the 2023-24 academic year.
8. **Other business.** The chair and staff thanked the Track and Field Rules Committee for their work. Several outgoing committee members were recognized and thanked for their service: Marc Davis; Dana Freeman; and Bridget Johnson Tetteh.
9. **Adjournment.** The Track and Field Rules Committee adjourned at 12:35 p.m. Eastern time on Thursday, January 22.

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Committee Chair: Marc Davis, Troy University, Sun Belt Conference

Staff Liaison(s): Rachel Seewald, Championships and Alliances

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Attendees:	
Jeff Bovee, Illinois State University.	
Marc Davis, Troy University.	
Dana Freeman, Washington and Lee University.	
Jack Hoyt, Azusa Pacific University.	
Mark Kostek, secretary-rules editor.	
Julie Levesque, University of Texas at El Paso.	
Bill Ross, Allegheny College.	
Bridget Johnson Tetteh, Great Northwest Athletic Conference.	
Chris Wright, Southern Illinois University.	
Absentees:	
None.	
Guests in Attendance:	
Julie Cochran, National Federation of State High School Associations.	
Joe Schaly, Thiel College, Playing Rules Oversight Panel.	
NCAA Staff Liaison in Attendance:	
Rachel Seewald.	
Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:	
Jay Fitzwater and Greg Johnson.	