Druid City Bicycle Club Officer's Meeting Minutes August 8, 2022 Black Warrior Brewery

- 1. Call Meeting to Order at Black Warrior Brewing Company 5:30 PM
- 2. Board Members
 - a. President: Nick Spradley
 - b. President Elect: Open
 - c. Treasurer: Todd Fortner
 - d. Secretary: Mike Shaw
 - e. Social Media Director: Morgan Hunt
 - f. Road Bike Coordinator: Brad Poindexter
 - g. Gravel and Mountain Bike Liaison: Carl Hancock
- 3. Financial report
 - a. Current financial report presented to board
 - b. Hot Hundred expenses higher than anticipated due to taking over the full course responsibilities
 - c. HH shared expenses have not been recouped from TMHA to date, after expenses are shared, the HH will be net positive
 - d. We have left over medals that will be available for next year, approximately 300
 - e. Excess bib boards available for use next year too
 - f. Tax filing and Tax exempt status in process with IRS
- 4. Hot Hundred Recap What we did well, where we can improve, future of the ride
 - a. 303 registrations this year, on par with 2021
 - b. Did not get the same push in last minute registrations as last year
 - c. Offered two options for registration, one with medal and shirts, one without
 - d. Cost of police escorts went up this year
 - e. UA charged us \$427 this year to use the Recreation Center
 - f. Need to look into new start/finish locations for 2023, UA is requesting \$2200 for the 2023 Hot Hundred
 - g. Discussion about adding Hot Hundred "Ultra" distance, 125, 150 miles?
 - h. Remove 40 mile option for 2023
 - i. Change route, remove loop, incorporate some of the "old" HH routing that has since been repayed.



- j. Need to mark the direction arrows larger and more distance prior to the actual turns.
- k. Very little "fan fair" or "excitement" for the start or the finish
- I. The City of Tuscaloosa removed some of our signs in the city limits prior to the ride
- m. SAG was effective this year with the use of TraQCentral app
- n. Invite cycling corporations such as Shimano, Trek, Specialized, etc. to come set up tents to help create a buzz for the event
- o. Thank you Carl for all of your hard work in sweeping the route
- 5. August 30th parking lot party Trek
 - a. Pizza and drinks
- 6. 2023 Board Vacancies
 - a. President
 - b. President-Elect (VP)
 - c. Secretary
- 7. Motion was passed to accept Mr. Stephen Glenn as interim President-Elect for the remainder of the 2022 season.
- 8. Flags Purpose, design, cost, and purchase Carl Hancock
 - a. Sample logo presented
 - b. Use at DCBC events
 - c. 11' tall, free stand, sandbag, dual print
 - d. \$400 for a pair (20% off in August)
 - e. Motion to purchase was approved by the board
- 9. New Business: October 1st, Lake Lurleen joint ride with WAMBA? Create two distance road routes and two distance trail routes
- 10. Gobble Cross—refresh the logo; 11/20/22
- 11. DCBC hats to be discussed next month
- 12. Guest in attendance: Stephen Glenn & Adam Lily

