## AGENDA

# UIL Standing Committee on Athletics Austin Marriott North 2600 La Frontera Blvd. Round Rock, Texas 78681 June 14, 2016

A meeting of the UIL Standing Committee on Athletics will be held on June 14, 2016 at the Austin Marriott North Round Rock, Texas, according to the following agenda, unless otherwise announced by the Chairman. The standing committee meeting will begin 15 minutes after the conclusion of the Full Council meeting that begins at 8:00 AM.

Time	Agenda Item	Room	Individual Responsible	
15 minutes after	Business Meeting	La Frontera III	Greg Poole, Chair	
the conclusion of	A. Quorum Call			
the Full Council	B. Adoption of Meeting Rules			
meeting that begins	C. Adoption of Agenda			
at 8:00 AM	at 8:00 AM D. Approval of Minutes from October 18, 2015			
	E. Statement of Committee Purpose			

#### Purpose

The purpose of this committee is to consider proposals for changes in the UIL *Constitution and Contest Rules* that have athletic related aspects in order to report recommendations to the Legislative Council on June 14, 2016.

The meeting is a business meeting of the committee and not a public hearing. Thus, presentations may not be made by outside groups or individuals during this meeting. The meeting is open and everyone is welcome to attend. If one of the committee members needs clarification, questions may be asked of those in attendance. The UIL Director or a designated member of the UIL staff and Legislative Council members not assigned to this committee shall be recognized to speak on any issue.

Thank you for being in attendance and showing your interest in interscholastic activities. You are welcome to attend this afternoon's session.

#### F. Old Business

1. Staff Study/Reports

- a. Area golf tournaments
- b. 5A and 6A pilot for double elimination in the first and second round of baseball playoffs
- c. 6A double elimination state baseball tournament structure
- d. Unified sports
- e. Pitch count regulations
- f. Punishment for players who are ejected
- g. Language to eliminate the third round match in the area meet for team tennis
- h. Officials travel and mileage reimbursement in Section 1204
- i. Guidelines in how districts determine if they have an area meet

### G. New Business

### 1. Written Proposals

- a. A proposal to eliminate cut block, chop block and any block below the waist
- b. A proposal to change playoff seeding procedure for 1A/2A volleyball districts
- c. A proposal for 35 second shot clock in basketball
- d. A proposal to add Wednesday as a possible playing date for volleyball tournaments
- e. A proposal to allow top 2 representatives of each district in football to host first round game
- f. A proposal to allow a one game exception to schools with a bye in the first round
- g. A proposal to allow softball coaches in an athlete's attendance zone be allowed to coach
- h. A proposal concerning pitching limitations
- i. A proposal to mandate that all pole vaulters are weighed and pole verified at district level
- j. A proposal to take the option of completely cancelling an area track meet away
- k. A proposal to regulate tryouts
- 1. A proposal for area/sub-regional golf tournaments
- m. A proposal to allow parents to videotape their own children during events
- n. A proposal to require TASO umpires to report all ejections to directly to UIL without filter

2. Proposals referred to the Athletic Committee from the Public Hearing

## 3. Staff Proposals

- a. A proposal to create a separate 1A championship for baseball and softball
- b. A proposal to set the number of teams advancing to the playoffs to 2 teams in certain situations
- c. A proposal to allow 3A schools to play up into 4A soccer
- d. A proposal for a Sunday exemption for regional cross country
- e. A proposal to alter the language of volleyball dates
- H. Announcements
- I. Adjournment

### EXECUTIVE SESSION

A COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL MAY GO INTO CLOSED (EXECUTIVE) SESSION ON ANY ITEM LISTED ON THE AGENDA WHERE AUTHORIZED BY THE TEXAS OPEN MEETINGS ACT, TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE, CHAPTER 551.

1. Pursuant to Government Code Section 551.071, Committee members may consult with their attorney concerning pending or contemplated litigation, and all matters identified in the agenda where the Committee members seek the advice of their attorney as privileged communications under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas.

2. Action, if any, in Open Session on items discussed in the Executive Session.

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