

## NEW MEXICO STATE SOCCER ASSOCIATION 8100 WYOMING BLVD NE SUITE M4 #365 ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO 87113

5 December 2024

MEMORANDUM FOR: MEMBER LEAGUES

FROM: NMSSA VP

SUBJECT: Vice President Annual General Meeting Report July 2024 to December 2024

- ➤ July 2024 Joined NMSSA as Vice President.
  - After running the first ever military soccer tournament (Freedom Cup) at Santa Ana Soccer Complex with NMSSA, I was brought on board to help fill the vacancy.
  - Learned how to and used Sportlomo.
  - As the tournament director, help with all aspects of the tournament to include meeting with Santa Ana Tribe to get hotel, venue, fields, and team dinner.
- ➤ July 2024 Dog Days Tournament in Las Cruses.
  - Help with field marshalling, creating the schedule and getting all players loaded to Sportlomo.
- ➤ 19 September 2024 Zoom call for USASA budget meeting.
  - Found current and 2025 budget for USASA.
- ➤ 26 September 2024 USASA AGM in Dallas.
  - Met all Region IV Board of Directors and also all member leagues.
  - Items of interest:
    - Region IV AGM in Portland in January.
    - Regional Cup information more to come.
- ➤ 29 October 2024 2024 US Soccer Member Meeting in Chicago.
  - New US Soccer training facility to help e.g., referees, coaches and players. This will be a world-class and high-preformance environment.
  - New SRC at the US Soccer AGM in February 2025 in Atlanta.
  - Captain to Referee on the field idea.
  - If anyone would like the slides from the meeting please ask.
- ➤ 1 November 2024 Policy Committee Meeting to rework the bylaws.
- ➤ 16 November 2024 Fall Classic Coed Tournament at Santa Ana Soccer Complex.
- ➤ 23 November 2024 Fall Classic Men's and Women's Tournament at Santa Ana Soccer Complex.
  - Worked on recruiting, player assistance, schedule, refrees, and Sportlomo.
- ➤ 25 November 2024 Met with rest of the board to discuss and enact the new bylaws.
- ➤ 6 December 2024 NMSSA AGM meeting in Albuquerque.
- All monthly meeting held in August, September, October and November.

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