

MIAA ICE HOCKEY COMMITTEE MEETING

April 29, 2021

Minutes

1. Minutes of previous meeting from Jan. 14, 2021 were moved (J. Brown, S. Paine) and approved 14-0-0
2. District Reports: Committee members reviewed the season and spoke to thoughts from their region. Committee members reported that all in all it was a very successful season. Players were excited to be able to play and get some games in even though the season was shortened. Many members commented positively on league championships, cooperation of players, effective collaboration with officials, and the flexibility with rink managers.
3. Alignment 2021-23 Information & Update: MIAA liaison Richard Pearson mentioned that the new alignments for the next two-year cycle should be out soon. Schools should watch out for the winter alignment announcement and be attentive to the timeframe for appeals. Dave Lezenski will represent the Committee for appeals and John Brown will also be available should Dave Lezenski have a conflict of interest.
4. Tournament Format 2021-22: A format subcommittee met once during the past few weeks and will continue to meet to finalize details. The format will be due around June 1.
A motion (B. Ware, S. Paine) was made to proceed into executive session. Voted 15-0-0. During Exec Session the committee discussed appealing the TMC Vote about 1A Tournaments. A motion (B. Ware, T. Brillo) was made to leave executive session. Voted 14-0-0
Back in public session, it was moved (D. Uminski, T. Brillo) to appeal the TMC Vote about 1A Tournaments. Voted 11-0-0
5. Other
Bob Ware mentioned the Overtime Rule Change proposal in the current rule change packet. It was stated that the MIAA Board of Directors and the MIAC still have to act on the rule change packet.

Next Meeting: May 2021–TBD, Fall 2021-TBD

Adjourn