

DISTRICT #7 ANNUAL DISTRICT MEETING

JULY 28, 2022

The annual District Meeting for District #7 was held Thursday, July 28th, 2022, via Zoom at 7:30 p.m. Pacific Standard time. It was conducted by Gary Hicken, ABS District #7 Director.

ABS Members in attendance:

Gary Hicken
Kathy Hicken
Hermann Buenning
Bob Schmutz
Leon Saad
Cesar Avia
Steve Fowler
John Miles
Terry Travis

Old Business:

Gary reviewed the notes from the minutes of the previous meeting in 2021 and reviewed the motions made & the results. Registration of birds was again brought up; Kathy Hicken is now the Registrar, and has submitted all registrations done in 2021-2022 for publication in the ABS bulletin.

New Business:

There are no new position nominations as this is an off year.

NEW MOTIONS:

1. Terry Travis made a motion (for the judges panel) to have judges receive more training regarding the ideal standard & feather that is now coming on the birds so the structure more matches the feather. The motion did not have a second so it was dropped.
2. Cesar Avia made a motion that ABS bands be issued after December 1st. The motion was seconded by Hermann Buenning. The vote was 7 in favor, 1 against.
3. John Miles made a motion that ABS suggests to WBO they follow contrasting band colors year to year so there is no confusion of similarity of band colors. The motion was seconded by Hermann Buenning. The vote unanimous in favor.

Leon Saad made a motion to adjourn the meeting, which was seconded by Kathy Hicken. The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Kathy Hicken