

AGENDA ITEM H

Proposal: Add new member class into By-Laws section 2.2 - Classification and update classification for each member category in By- Laws section 2.5 - Rights of Members.

I move to change section 2.2 Classification as follows:

The Association shall have the following classes of members:
Family, Individual, Enthusiast, Youth (18 or younger), Business.

And section 2.5 Rights of Members as follows:

The privilege of holding office and voting shall belong to all members in good standing and that meet additional criteria set forth as follows except where specified otherwise in the rules and regulations.

- a. Family membership shall consist of two (2) or more family members and has at least one (1) verifiable NPGA registered animal under 10 years of age. A family membership is entitled to two (2) votes.
- b. Individual membership consist of only one (1) person and has at least one (1) verifiable NPGA registered animal under 10 years of age. A Individual membership is entitled to one (1) vote.
- c. Enthusiast membership consist of one or more persons that are goat enthusiast and is a nonvoting membership.
- d. Youth membership consist of members under the age of 18 years old and is a nonvoting membership.
- e. Business membership consist of any business that joins to support NPGA and is a nonvoting membership.

Reasons: Adds an additional category for the goat enthusiast who loves the breed and receives the Memo magazine but does not own goats or participate in sanction shows. Helps define memberships with the number of members per class.

Advantages: Allows more members to join that do not own goats or participate in shows that wants to support the NPGA.

Disadvantages: None

Financial Implications: More fees with additional members.

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