



# North American Corriente Association

2017 Board Meeting  
Mar 20, 2017 7pm MT

President Ricky Mara called the meeting to order at 7:10 pm MT.  
Board Members present: Ricky Mara, Douglas Dale, Russell Drury, Dale Nauman.  
Executive Director Ellen Hamilton was also present.

1. Announced the receipt of Rick Schlutz' application to run for the Board of Directors replacing Dale Nauman
2. Status of contacting long term Lifetime Members to see what their interest level is in the NACA and if they still want to receive the NACA publications:
  - a. Ricky is sending a letter to all Texas members about the upcoming TCA show and is also asking about lifetime members interest
  - b. All lifetime members have been contacted in Alabama, Georgia, California, Colorado and their interest recorded
  - c. Everyone took another list of members to contact.
3. Producing the Corriente Corresponder
  - a. Ellen requested the board put together a newsletter committee to either take over the newsletter creation where the committee would receive \$500 to split for their work OR we pay \$100 for articles to be written for the newsletter; Dale suggested we put a request out on the website
4. Upcoming Corriente Corresponder content suggestions:
  - a. Suggested topics: article on "Tips on training roping steers and keeping them fresh", Roping Dummy column, Member spotlight, Arizona VI's article, visual inspection article on status, number of vi's, why program exists, program start date;
5. Regional Associations Website Space:
  - a. **Motion made** by Douglas Dale, seconded by Dale Nauman and passed to allow Regional Associations to have subdomains on the NACA website for regional news and information. Each region would be charged \$10/month paid to the NACA for server space. Any additional support would be provided and charged separately by Ellen
6. It was decided to amend the wording on the Visual Inspection of a Bull form to clarify that bulls will be more heavily scrutinized than cows. This new wording for the form will be developed and presented during the next board meeting. Raising the price for the visual inspection of both bulls and cows was discussed and tabled until more directors can participate in the discussion.

Adjourned: 8:30pm

Next board meeting is scheduled for Monday May 1<sup>st</sup>, 7pm MT/8pm CT