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ApHC 2015 ELECTION NOTICE

MOSCOW, Idaho – The Appaloosa Horse Club (ApHC) announces the official election results for the 2015 ApHC Election administered by Election America. Voters approved a bylaw change proposal that will reduce the number of members serving on the ApHC Board of Directors from nineteen (19) to thirteen (13) over the course of the next few years. Out of the 9,143 members eligible to vote 703 members approved the proposed amendment and 314 opposed the change. Election America has verified that all votes are accurate and final.

All candidates up for election in 2015 for Zone B and Territory VII (European Zone), ran unopposed. According to Article IV, Section 2 of the ApHC Bylaws, “If only one (1) member is properly nominated for election as director from a geographical zone, that nominee shall be deemed elected as director without conducting the election.” Because of these circumstances, membership did not vote on directors for 2015. The following candidates will take their oath of office and begin their duties with the ApHC board of Directors in January of 2016:

Territory I, Zone B:

- Lesli Glen, Billings, MT

Territory II, Zone B:

- Mary Ann Page, Phoenix, AZ

Territory III, Zone B:

- Terie Clark, Pembine, WI

Territory VII (European Zone):

- Wiebe Lise, Netherlands

Territory IV, Zone B:

- Debby Letham, Yukon, OK

Territory V, Zone B:

- No Declarations Received

Territory VI, Zone B:

- Raymond Burchett, Harrisburg, PA

As shown above, no Declarations of Candidacy were received from Territory V, Zone B. According to Article IV, Section 2 of ApHC Bylaws, “In the event there is no member properly nominated for election as a director from a geographical zone, the ApHC Board of Directors shall appoint a qualified ApHC member to any such director position for the full term of three (3) years.” Qualified ApHC members who are interested in filling this position, are invited to submit a letter to the ApHC outlining his/her qualifications, experience and reasons for seeking the appointment. **Letters must be received on or before December 1, 2015.** The Board will make the appointment in December and the appointee’s term will begin in January.

The Appaloosa Horse Club (ApHC) was established in 1938 with a mission of preserving, promoting and enhancing the Appaloosa breed. The ApHC has since registered more than 670,000 Appaloosas, which are known for their distinctive color, intelligence and even temperament. True to their reputation as an extremely versatile breed, Appaloosas can be found in nearly every discipline including racing, endurance riding and serving as a reliable family horse. The international breed registry is headquartered in Moscow, Idaho, the heart of the Palouse region – the Appaloosa breed’s namesake and point of origin.

Appaloosa...The Breed of Choice