USA Swimming Athletes' Advisory Council Minutes

May 15, 2024 / Virtual Meeting

Present: Anthony Ervin, Nic Fink, Lilly King, Caitlin Leverenz Smith, Melanie Margalis Fink, Matthew Rigsbee, Amanda Weir and Andrew Wilson

Absent: Julissa Arzave, Natalie Hinds, Jack Nowacek, Ashley Twichell Wall

Guests: Stacy Michael-Miller, Lindsay Mintenko, Ellery Parrish, Michelle Steinfeld

Call to Order: Caitlin called the May 15, 2024 meeting of the Athletes' Advisory Council ("AAC") to order at 10:02AM MST

Conflict of Interest Disclosure: none

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Agenda:

- Update on WADA topics (Caitlin/Lilly)
- HoD self-nominations opening next week (Caitlin/Ellery)
 - End of September
 - Self-nominations go out to athletes Monday, May 20
 - o Email explains process without overwhelming athletes
- 2024-2026 Athlete funding plan (*Lindsay & Stacy*)
 - Discussed proposed athlete funding criteria
 - o Stacy will email out and athletes will discuss any questions/concerns.
 - Hoping to post June 1

Next Meeting: Discussing meeting at Trials.

Adjournment: Caitlin adjourned the May 15 meeting of the AAC at 10:47am MST.