

NMAA OFFICIAL BALLOT

SENIOR HIGH REFERENDUM December 5, 2019



Due Date: December 19, 2019

Upon direction of the Board of Directors, the New Mexico Activities Association is asking member schools **that participate in the sport of volleyball** to vote on the issue below. Please read through the entire referendum before selecting your response. Thank you for your participation in the governance of your organization and for your support of interscholastic activities.

Bylaws 7.23.1.E. & 7.23.3 - Volleyball Match Limitations & District Tournaments

This proposal would eliminate the district volleyball tournament but increase the match limitations for volleyball at both the varsity and sub-varsity levels.

Current:

7.23.1 E. Match Limitations - Each varsity team or individual is limited to <u>twenty (20) total matches prior</u> to the district tournament, including regular season and invitational tournaments. Each sub-varsity team or individual is limited to seventeen (17) total matches, including regular season and invitational tournaments.

7.23.3 District Tournaments

Proposal:

7.23.1 E. Match Limitations - Each varsity team or individual is limited to twenty-three (23) total matches, including regular season and invitational tournaments. Each sub-varsity team or individual is limited to twenty (20) total matches, including regular season and invitational tournaments.

ELIMINATE 7.23.3 District Tournaments

| Rationale: With only 12 teams qualifying for the state tournament, potentially having two teams from each district automatic qualifiers has limited the amount of at-large teams selected. The increase in match limitations is due to the matches that will be lost by eliminating the district tournament. |
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| This box must be completed by all member schools. | | |
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| Print Name of Official Voter | Signature of Official Voter | |
| Print Name of Superintendent/Head of School | Signature of Superintendent/Head of School | |
| School | District/Classification | |

Due date is December 19, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.

This ballot, with both signatures affixed, must be received in the NMAA office by 4:00 p.m. Please fax completed referenda to Mindy loane at (505) 923-3114. **Please note that if either signature above is missing, the ballot will not be counted.** Contact Dusty Young (dusty@nmact.org) if you have any questions regarding this referendum.