1. Para World Sailing Committee - Committee Recommendations to Council

This “yellow paper” is a summary of the Recommendations made at the Para World Sailing Committee meeting on 18 October 2020. During its deliberations, Council will consider the Recommendations in Submission order, i.e. 001-20 to 100-19.

2020 Submissions

008-20 Training & Development Budget - Establish a base budget for World Sailing Training and Development Programs
Reporting Committee: Board
Other Committee: Development & Regions
Opinion: Defer
The PWSC notes its strong support for 008-20 in concept and principle, but recommend to defer to mid-year meeting

016-20 Para World Sailing Funding through 2024 - To ensure financial support for Para Sailing
Reporting Committee: Board
Other Committee: Para World Sailing
Opinion: Approve
The PWSC notes that while the Committee does not want to constrain new Board’s capacity for financial management, Para Sailing requires a firm commitment of significant funding to maintain development activity and support of reinstatement of sailing in the Paralympic Sports program.

Recommendation not based on Submission

The Para World Sailing Committee, in close collaboration with the World Sailing Board, has worked hard to prepare a powerful case for the reinstatement of Para Sailing in the Paralympic Games. We are now at a point in the preparation process for LA 2028 inclusion where we need to engage the public, the International Paralympic Committee and the IOC, and we are convinced that we will need professional assistance moving the application forward. The PWSC therefore requests the support of Council with the following recommendation, unanimously approved by the committee in its meeting of 18 October 2020:

Recommendation:

The Committee recommends to Council that World Sailing secure the services of an external consultant to work with the PWSC and the Board in the finalization and promotion of the formal application to the IPC and its Board, the IOC, and the general public for the reinstatement of Para Sailing in the 2028 Paralympic Games sport program

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