



## **PADDLE AMERICA CLUB - ADVISORY COUNCIL OVERVIEW**

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**Mission:** The Paddle America Club Advisory Council provides advice and recommendations to the ACA on matters related to enhancing the paddlesports experience for club members and the general public.

- PAC Advisory Council Membership:
  - up to 15 individuals
    - 3 - Clubs <100 members
    - 3 - Clubs >100 members
    - Specialty Clubs:
      - Kayak Fishing
      - Outrigger
      - Dragon Boat
      - Competition
        - Sprint
        - Slalom
      - Collegiate
    - Hawaiian Club
    - 2 - non ACA affiliated clubs (or expired PACs)
- Selection Criteria:
  - Must be a current or past president of a paddling club
  - Reviewed and selected by ACA Staff
  - A formal selection/election process will be developed in the future
- Resolutions:
  - Provide guidance to the ACA in the form of official Resolutions
  - The ACA will respond to / address each Resolution
- Governance (*this will be developed / formalized after the first year of the program*):
  - No hierarchical structure
  - Serve a 2 year term
  - Everyone is expected to contribute to one or more workgroups to advance the PAC Advisory Council Mission
  - Moving forward, 2 year terms will be staggered so that approximately half the council rotates every year
  - An individual can only serve for two consecutive terms, each person would have to re-apply to be re-selected for a second term.
- Time Commitments:
  - Two(2) Go-To-Meetings or Conference Calls per year
    - One annual in-person meeting (*travel funding available*)