# 2025 RRCA Annual Meeting in Stephenville, TX

Call to order: 1pm

Approved Agenda
Approved Minutes
CEO - Nothing to Report
President - Nothing to Report
VP - Nothing to Report
Treasurer - Reviewed finances - approved by Chuck, seconded by Paul

### Committee Reports

Ethics: Paul recommends getting member votes for name change

Website: Shauna presented a statistics report & ways members can utilize website

### Elections

3 yr. term: Tony Breedlove, Dustin Oxford, Arba Word

2 yr. term: Randy Thompson

New Officers were elected.
CEO, Tony Breedlove
President, Dustin Oxford
Vice President, Arba Word
Secretary, Shauna Kimble
Assistant Secretary, Paul Leedom
Treasurer, Randy Thompson
Assistant Treasurer, Keith Kimble

### 2025 Committee Appointments

Membership: Austin Wiggins, Tony Breedlove, Randy Thompson

Office: Shauna Kimble, Arba Word, Dustin Oxford

Ethics & Bylaws: Paul Leedom, Brandon Kolle, Kiersten Bebermeyer

Website: Shauna & Keith Kimble

Breed Improvement: Kyle Kadavy, Alan VanUytven, Dustin Oxford

As we went through the process of committees, the board was in agreement with the appointments.

#### **New Business**

1. Arba looked into an online sale of Romagnolas. Cost: \$2500 + 3% of sale. We don't enough cattle for sale to make it worth the cost yet. We need 20 to make it worth it. We would receive 2 moths of advertising on livestockmarket.com

## 2. Advertising & Exhibition

There were ideas presented by Keirstin, Craig and Shauna.

Bumper Stickers

Hats for all members

Window decals

T-shirts

So far we are in agreement that the Exhibitions are most beneficial when an animal is displayed. We are willing to participate but only if there is an animal on display.

### 3. DNA Presentation

Dustin shared a power point presentation and had copies for all members that included ordering and contact information.

### 4. Bylaws Changes

- a. Name change from RRCA to ARCA (American Romagnola Cattle Association)
  - Honoring paperwork past (RRCA) and present (ARCA)
  - Members must be contacted about name change and 30 days later the Board votes

### Motion was made for:

- b. DNA Requirements for Registration
  - Every Romagnola is DNA tested
  - Registration fee goes to \$75/registered full-blood animal
  - Registration fee goes to \$50/registered composite animal
  - All DNA will be submitted through the association to Neogen
- Neogen submits DNA to the 100k database being built on Romagnolas Dustin motioned, Paul seconded

Board meeting will be via Zoom on May 9th at 7pm to vote on association name change. Brandon motioned, Tony seconded.

Next Board Meeting is to be held April 26, 2026 in Talequah, OK by Dustin Oxford. Meeting adjourned at 4:25pm.

#### In attendance:

Arba Word, Stan Chapman, Alan & Shawna VanUytven, Paul & Mua Leedom, Dustin Oxford, James Burnell, Keith & Shauna Kimble, Tony Breedlove, Dennis, David & Pam Collier, Austin Wiggins, Brandon Kolle, James Beard, Nathan & Tracy Gooch, Brad Thompson, Ace Reames, Riley Mae Reames, Craig Foster, Cris Redemer, Valarie Bennett, Kyle Kadavy, Keirstin Bebermeyer, Diann Smith, Chuck & Pam Lyons