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## ASSOCIATION OBJECTIVES PLAN

### **By-Laws r.11/17**

The purpose of the Montana SCA shall be as follows:

- SECTION 1: The promotion and encouragement of organized sporting clays shooting among residents of the State of Montana.
- SECTION 2: To increase among Montana SCA members the knowledge of the safe handling and proper care of firearms as well as improved shotgun marksmanship education.
- SECTION 3: To forward the development of those characteristics of honesty, fellowship self-discipline, self-reliance, and sportsmanship.
- SECTION 4: To provide financial support to Montana youth shooters for both practice and tournament cards.

Member,

Your currently elected Board of Directors is proposing the following objectives for action. Each of the proposed programs fit within the mandates of our by-laws and fall in line with the purpose of the organization. A vote at the Annual Meeting will allow the BoD to execute the plan outlined below beginning in 2018 and ending in 2020. A vote in favor of the Association Objectives Plan will allow the below listed programs to take place until 2020 when all terms of the currently elected Board expire.

1. Use 10% of annually collected target fees for operational expenses that include website maintenance and subscriptions, postage fees, State of Montana business registration fees, etc.
2. Withhold 20% of annually collected target fees as a carryover for future budgeting.
3. Set aside 30% of annually collected target fees for subsidizing Montana youth shooters' Main Event entry fees at the State Championship.
4. The remaining 40% of annually collected target fees would be allocated among the following programs:
  - a. Provide certificates to each club for complimentary Main Event entries in the Main Event at the State Championship. Certificates would be provided based on the number of days in each registered shoot that the clubs host. For example, clubs would receive one certificate for each day of a registered shoot. A four-day registered shoot would mean four certificates awarded to the club. Certificates must be given away randomly to participants in each shoot. It is up to the club to determine if this is a random drawing of one individual, or if the club decides to draw five names and have a shootoff for the certificate. The awarding process of the certificate is up to the club as long as it is a random process.
  - b. MSCA provides a matching budget with a pre-determined maximum to the State Championship Host to use towards the purchase of trophies for the event.
  - c. MSCA invests in the promotion of Sporting Clays shooting throughout the State by way of advertising including print, social media, and online resources.
  - d. MSCA purchases a gun to be given away to participants at the State Championship. Entrants would receive tickets for a random drawing based on the number of events they shoot at the event.