



**Equine Welfare Committee Meeting**  
**February 13, 2023**  
**Minutes**  
**12:00 - 1:00 PM MST**

**Call to Order** Christine Rudd  
The meeting was called to order at 12:05 PM MST.

**Roll Call** Christine Rudd  
Present: Christine Rudd (Chair), Emily Kieson (Co-Chair), Bethany Baxley, Ellen Rankins, Leanne Nieforth, Holly Sundmacker  
Staff: Danielle Seybert, Programs Coordinator  
Absent: Christie Schulte-Kappert, Miyako Kinoshita

**Minutes Approval** Christine Rudd  
No minutes to approve.

**Welcome to the New Year!** Christine Rudd  
Review of past year, overview of new goals.

Goals include:

- Quarterly e-Tips
- Continued support of new equine welfare standards
- Strides articles
- Updating committee charter
- Support equine welfare content in education through advocacy and content review as needed
- Increase social media presence

**eTips** Christine Rudd  
Discussed timing and volunteer authors.

**Spring Virtual Conference** Christine Rudd  
Discussed opportunity to present at the 2023 PATH Intl. Spring Virtual Conference.  
  
Possible topics and presenters were discussed.

**Next Meeting** Christine Rudd  
March 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at 12 PM MST

**Adjourn** Christine Rudd  
The meeting was adjourned at 12:48 PM MST.