

## Pinto Standing Committee Appointment Policy

Per the PtHA Bylaws, PtHA Standing Committee members are appointed by the sitting PtHA President, and approved by the Board of Directors.

PtHA has adopted the following policies and protocols regarding said Committees:

- Executive Committee members may not chair or co-chair any PtHA Committees, with the exception of the Long Range Planning Committee, Judges Committee, Professional Horsemen, & the PtHA Breed Council Committee
- The Rule Book / Bylaws Committee is limited to three members (Chair, Co-chair, and one additional Past President member) and meets only as needed. The members of this Committee will audit other committee meetings at the annual convention. The PtHA COO carefully reviews the credentials of potential members of this important committee, and makes a single recommendation for appointment by the PtHA president. This process is also used when a member requires replacement due to other commitments or removal.
- The Judges Committee meets at the annual Color Breed Council International Equine Judges seminar. With six appointed members, the members advance annually, from the initial appointment as Third Committee member, to the Second Committee member, to the Senior Committee member, to the Co-chair position, and finally to the Committee Chair position. After serving as the Committee Chair, the person is retired from this Committee. The PtHA COO carefully reviews the credentials of potential members of this important committee, and makes a single recommendation for appointment by the PtHA president. This process is also used when a member requires replacement due to other commitments or removal.
- The Long Range Planning / Past Presidents Committee is an automatic appointment Committee, and includes all past PtHA Presidents
- The PtHA Breed Council is an automatic appointment Committee, and consists of each PtHA
  Standing Committee Chair and Co-chair. Should a Chair or Co-chair be unable to attend the
  Committee meetings at the Convention, a substitute Chair or Co-chair will be appointed for that
  meeting, and said person will attend and vote at the Breed Council meeting
- Per the Bylaws, if an appointed person fails to attend two consecutive Committee meetings, that person is removed without further action. Please see Article XI, B for further information about attendance and appointment to PtHA Committees.
- PtHA members requesting appointment to a committee must complete an application and submit the same to the PtHA office. Appointments are limited to two committees per member.