

Michigan Shorthorn Breeders Association
Annual Meeting Minutes
Saturday, August 9, 2025 – Narrow Brook Farms, Charlotte, MI

The 2025 annual meeting of the Michigan Shorthorn Breeders Association was called to order at 210p.m. by President, Tara Miller. We had approximately 40 people in attendance. Prior to calling the meeting to order, we enjoyed a delicious potluck meal. Member and guest introductions were made.

Secretary's Report - a motion was made by Carla McLachlan, supported by Stacy Stinson, to accept the secretary's report as printed. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report – a motion was made by Sydney Miller, supported by Stacy, to accept the treasurer's report as printed. The balance in the checking account is \$1,783.71. The savings account balance is \$1,395.48 and the balance in the CD is \$11,146.39. Motion passed.

New Business –

-Director elections – there are two members of the board who will not be seeking reelection – Stacy Stinson and Megan Bossard. Taylor Peter was nominated for one of the positions. No other nominations were received. A motion was made by Sydney, supported by Carla to cast a unanimous ballot and to have the board appoint another director. Motion passed.

-Online directory – members were given the opportunity to see the ads placed in the online directory on the MSBA website. Changes or updates for those ads can be made free of charge for the second year. The online directory will be produced every other year.

-Junior report – the board will need to appoint a new junior advisor. Stacy reported the state show held in Midland as part of the Middle of the Mitten show was well attended. Christine Sisung was the state coordinator for the Michigan delegation. The junior members who attended did very well and had a lot of fun. Next year's junior national is June 20 – 27 in Abilene, Texas.

2026 Michigan Beef Expo – will be held February 20 & 21 at the Farm Bureau Pavilion. Carla has agreed to be the sale coordinator for the 2026 Shorthorn show and sale. There will be the genetics sale on Friday night again. There is the possibility of selling genetics in the breed sales as well.

A motion was made by Stacy, seconded by Sydney to adjourn the meeting at 2:40 p.m..

Matt and Tara offered tours of the cattle to anyone interested. Several attendees participated.

Respectfully submitted,
Anne Pease
Secretary
MSBA