NEMA 2016 Competition Addendum

1. NEMA will be instituting a Rookie Development Program in 2016 - in conjunction with local QMA tracks, karting tracks and other forms of motorsports that are surfacing up & coming drivers.

Throughout the 2016 season, NEMA will allow drivers aged 12 and 13 who have NEMA Lite legal cars to come and practice with the club on specific race days as part of the Rookie Development Program. Drivers age 13 will be eligible to participate in NEMA competition, once approved - per the age variance below. Drivers age 12 may participate in the Rookie Development Program for the 2016 season to prepare for Lites competition. *All participants of the NEMA Rookie Development Program will be subject to rule*

6.6a Drivers fourteen (14) to (17) may enter a NEMA Lite Competition Event provided they provide to NEMA in advance of the NEMA Competition Event an appropriate release of liability in the favor of NEMA, signed and notarized by both parents or parental guardian(s), provide proof of medical insurance and are qualified to compete in the sanctioning track's events pursuant to state and local rules and regulations. A committee shall be established to oversee minor drivers and evaluate their performance.

- 2. For the 2016 season NEMA will run up to Three (3) "open" races for the season for both the NEMA midgets and Lites where a time trial process will be utilized in place of the current qualifying system.
- 3. VW powered combo chassis cars will be allowed a 12-inch right rear wheel at all tracks for the 2016 racing season. Teams who meet the criteria for the 12-inch wheel and choose to run it will incur a fifty, (50) pound weight penalty over the cars current minimum weight. The performance of these cars will be monitored and this change can be revisited throughout the 2016 racing season.