



# United States of America Deaf Basketball, Inc.

*An IRS 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation*

[www.usadb.us](http://www.usadb.us)

Contact: Carl Denney  
Email: [Commissioner@usadb.us](mailto:Commissioner@usadb.us)  
Website: [www.usadb.us](http://www.usadb.us)

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## **Removal of Deputy Commissioner**

The USADB regrets to collectively inform everyone in the Executive Committee that Richard McCowin was removed from the Deputy Commissioner position due to the failure in performing his assigned duties by a 2/3 vote of the Executive Board. This decision was made during the USADB Executive Board meeting on Sunday, March 13, 2022.

Please direct all communications and questions to Carl Denney, USADB Commissioner, in lieu of the Deputy Commissioner. Upon replacement of the Deputy Commissioner position, USADB will inform you of the new communication protocol.

--- ### ---

The American Athletic Association of the Deaf (AAAD) was established in 1945 in Akron, OH to promote basketball opportunities for deaf athletes. In 1995, restructure of the AAAD led to the formation of USA Deaf Sports Federation (USADSF) with USA Deaf Basketball (USADB) becoming the new national basketball governing body. USADB sponsors and promotes regional and national basketball tournaments for deaf adults each year, the East-West high School All-Stars; and youth and adult teams to the World Championships, PanAm Games and Deaflympics. For more information, go to [www.usadb.us](http://www.usadb.us).