## Valley of the Sun

## February 14-16, 2025

## Phoenix, AZ

## Communique' 2

Remember to sign in for the road race stage. Riders failing to sign in for the road race stage as required by rule 3H6(a) may incur a \$20 penalty per 8A5(L).

There where a number of folded numbers at the TT. Please make sure that your numbers are not folded. Folded numbers are not easily scored an may result in a time penalty or fine.

Two numbers are required for the road race and should be worn as shown in the technical guide.

The centerline rule is in effect. Failure to comply will result in time penalties or disqualification. You will encounter oncoming traffic on Hwy 187 and 87.

Do not litter. Dispose of trash and water bottles in the feed zone or at the start line. Littering is subject to a \$100 fine for the first offense per rule 8B5(c).

If you do not have wheels in the wheel support vehicle, be prepared to fix your own wheels.

In all mass start races, sitting on the bicycle's top tube ("super tuck") is prohibited. Using the forearms as a point of support on the handlebar ("puppy paws") is prohibited. (Rules 111(k) and 3B11).

Two-way radios can only be used by Cat 2 and above in road races (Rule 1J6). Use of any audio devices including phones, headphones of all types (in-ear or jawbone type) during a race is prohibited for all disciplines and categories. Using any audio devices during a race is subject to a fine per rule 8A1(m).

Tracy Barclay Chief Referee