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Dear Interested Applicants,

It is with great enthusiasm that we are opening the application process for the first-ever USFSS National Team Pilot Program. Potential applicants should be aware that this program is geared towards one and two dog teams. It is our hope to see this program flourish and grow to be an all encompassing USFSS National Team with all classes represented in the future.

We are soliciting all United States one and two dog athletes aspiring to compete successfully at the World Cup and World Championship level to apply. It is the goal of this program, with the help of a USFSS certified Executive Committee, to choose the eight most qualified applicants, as well as two reserve athletes, to serve a one-year membership. Aspiring applicants should be aware that this program aims to develop members athletically through training camps and prescribed training regiments designed to foster aerobic capacity (both for athletes and their canine teammates) while building camaraderie and pride for the beautiful country and federation that we represent.

It is our hope that we will build a team of elite performing competitors within the international race circuit exhibiting both performance and character. We encourage all interested athletes to apply, but please note you must be a current USFSS member. Applications will be accepted through October 15th. If you have any questions regarding your application, please contact:

- Kale Casey (kalecasey@gmail.com) or
- Jessica Pulliam (pulliam151@hotmail.com).

Thank you and good luck!

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