TOURNAMENT SUBSTITUTIONS – Please review the following:

1. There is a provision per WIAA Board of Control Covid-19 accommodations permitting replacement of a team or individual who has qualified from one level to the next but is unable to continue due to Covid-19 related circumstances.

2. The provision extends ONLY to the most recently defeated team or the individual in the next place. Note: if the next place finisher is two individuals or more tied, there will be no replacement.

3. There is no provision for moving up any other team or individual.

4. Notification should be given as early as possible so the most recently defeated team or the individual in the next place can prepare. There is, however, no deadline. Substitution can be made up to the day of the event.

5. If a vacancy occurs because there is no available or eligible team or individual, the scheduled opponent receives a forfeit.

6. **A school whose team or individual is unable to continue in the tournament program is expected to IMMEDIATELY notify the following:**
   a. School of team or individual who will advance.
   b. School hosting next round of competition.
   c. WIAA office.