**US Endurance Gravel Grinder Pre Race Briefing**

Welcome to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
 (your event name)

Introduce Race Directors & key personnel

Point out the highlights of the area they will be racing in and remind racers to thank volunteers & hosts.

Thank hosts, sponsors, staff & volunteers.

Remind racers to represent gravel grinding with class. Not everyone in the area knows about or supports gravel grinders so be courteous and considerate to the general public and your fellow racers.

Respect your fellow racers property, space and experience.

This event benefits \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Charity name)

PARAMEDIC: (Introduce and give locations or contact information)

TRASH: Leave no trace; announce locations of dumpsters for after the race.

AWARDS CEREMONY: Announce time, location & how deep in each category awards will be given. (Example: Top 5 teams in all categories are awarded)

RESULTS: Announce time and date when results will be posted on website.

OASIS / WATER: (Announce locations and what is provided)

CUT OFF TIMES: Announce any cut off times and consequences for missing cut offs.

RIDING SAFETY & ETIQUETTE: Announce any known course safety concerns and a general safety warning to inexperienced racers. Please practice good cycling etiquette by giving way to faster racers. For example, if a faster rider requests to “Pass Left” you should move to the right at your earliest convenience and allow them to pass.

RULES: Review major rules and penalties and give location of official copy of the rules for racers to review.

QUESTION & ANSWER: Answer any questions racers have regarding the event.