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Rationale:

This proposed change to the championship aligns the 4WD and 2WD methodology for championship awards. In neither case will the O4WD nor O2WD be awarded a championship prize. The logic is that in both classes it is most often the same teams that wins both the Open and Overall.

Championship awards for O2WD Driver, Co-Driver and Marque would be sunset, although the historical results would remain in the rule book.

The classes are:

O4WD
O2WD
P4WD
P2WD

Championship awards would go to:

Overall Champions (Deak & Fiddler) can be any class based on overall points (20 point system)
Overall 2WD Champions (Wood & Epp) can be any 2WD class based on overall 2WD points (20 point system)
Production 4WD (9 point system)
Production 2WD (9 point system)

Marque Championships would go to:

Overall Marque (all classes compete)
Overall 2WD Marque (all 2WD classes compete)
Production 4WD Marque
Production 2WD Marque



RULE CHANGES**25.5 2WD Canadian Rally Drivers Championship for the Ross Wood Trophy**

25.5.1 This overall two wheel drive (2WD) Driver championship recognizes those who are competing in the Canadian Rally Championship in a 2WD vehicle. There will be separate championships scored for drivers, co-drivers and marques. Awards will be the Ross Wood Trophy for first place, plus keeper awards to fifth place.

25.5.2 Competitors will count all events run if there are six or fewer events in the series. If there are more than six events, competitors may count the number of events run in the championship less 1 (e.g. if 7 events run, minus 1 = 6 events count). The Marque championship will count all events in the series. Points and standings will be awarded, based on event overall 2WD finishing position (regardless of vehicle class) as per 25.1.6 In a case of a tie for first position in the championships, the tie breaker procedure, outlined in 25.1.8 will be used.

25.5.3 Awards will be presented to the winning driver, co-driver and marque by CARS.

25.5.4 3 Previous winners:

Driver:

| | | |
|------|-----------------|----------------|
| 2009 | Jan Zedril | Winnipeg, Man. |
| 2010 | Jan Zedril | Winnipeg, Man. |
| 2011 | Jan Zedril | Winnipeg, Man. |
| 2012 | Eric Grochowski | Calgary, AB. |
| 2013 | Paul Hartl | Toronto, Ont. |
| 2014 | Simon Dubé | Jonquière, QC. |

25.6 2WD Canadian Rally Co-Drivers Championship for the Terry & Linda Epp Trophy

25.6.1 This overall two wheel drive (2WD) Co-Driver championship recognizes those who are competing in the Canadian Rally Championship in a 2WD vehicle. Awards will be the Terry & Linda Epp Trophy for first place, plus keeper awards to fifth place.

25.6.2 Competitors will count all events run if there are six or fewer events in the series. If there are more than six events, competitors may count the number of events run in the championship less 1 (e.g. if 7 events run, minus 1 = 6 events count). Points and standings will be awarded, based on event overall 2WD finishing position (regardless of vehicle class) as per 25.1.6 In a case of a tie for first position in the championships, the tie breaker procedure, outlined in 25.1.8 will be used.

25.6.3 Previous winners:

~~Co-Driver:~~

| | | |
|------|-------------------|-------------------|
| 2009 | Leanne Junnila | Calgary, AB. |
| 2010 | Jody Zedril | Winnipeg, Man. |
| 2011 | Jody Zedril | Winnipeg, Man. |
| 2012 | Leanne Junnila | Calgary, AB. |
| 2013 | Chuck Storry | North Gower, Ont. |
| 2014 | Spencer Armstrong | Calgary, AB. |

25.7 2WD Canadian Rally Championship for Marques

25.7.1 This overall two wheel drive (2WD) Marque championship recognizes those 2WD manufacturers who are competing in the Canadian Rally Championship. The winning manufacturer will receive the trophy to be held for one year, plus a keeper award.

25.7.2 The marque championship will count all events in the series. Points and standings will be awarded, based on event overall 2WD finishing position (regardless of vehicle class) as per 25.1.6 In a case of a tie for first position in the championships, the tie breaker procedure, outlined in 25.1.8 will be used.

25.7.3 Previous winners:**Marques:**

| | |
|------|------------|
| 2009 | Mitsubishi |
| 2010 | Mitsubishi |
| 2011 | Mitsubishi |
| 2012 | Volkswagen |
| 2013 | Volkswagen |
| 2014 | Volkswagen |

Remainder of sections in 25 re-numbered

25.9 Canadian Rally Championship for Open 2WD Drivers

25.9.1 This championship recognises those drivers who ~~are competing~~ in the Canadian Rally Championship in Open 2WD vehicles from 2013 - 2014. From 1995 through 2012, the class was called Group 2 for 2WD vehicles with an adjusted displacement no greater than 2400cc.

~~25.9.2 Sections 25.1 shall be observed in this championship except for scoring which shall be as per 25.6.2~~

~~25.9.3 Awards will be presented to the winners by CARS.~~

25.9.4.2 Previous winners:

| | | |
|------|-----------------|-------------------|
| 1995 | Jon Nichols | Baie D'Urfe, QC. |
| 1996 | Chris Havas | Richmond, VT |
| 1997 | Jon Nichols | Baie D'Urfe, QC. |
| 1998 | Jon Nichols | Baie D'Urfe, QC. |
| 1999 | Jon Nichols | Baie D'Urfe, QC. |
| 2000 | Karoly Toth | Mississauga, Ont. |
| 2001 | Gord Olsen | Brooks, Alta. |
| 2002 | Gord Olsen | Brooks, Alta. |
| 2003 | Gord Olsen | Brooks, Alta. |
| 2004 | Jon Nichols | Lachine, QC. |
| 2005 | Jon Nichols | Lachine, QC. |
| 2006 | Maxime Labrie | La Prairie, QC. |
| 2007 | Colin Armstrong | Calgary, Alta. |
| 2008 | Eric Grochowski | Calgary, Alta. |
| 2009 | Jan Zedril | Winnipeg, Man. |
| 2010 | Jan Zedril | Winnipeg, Man. |
| 2011 | Simon Dubé | Jonquière, QC. |
| 2012 | Eric Grochowski | Calgary, Alta. |
| 2013 | Paul Hartl | Toronto, Ont. |
| 2014 | Simon Dubé | Jonquière, QC. |

25.10 Canadian Rally Championship for Open 2WD Co-Drivers

25.10.1 This championship recognises those co-drivers who ~~are~~ are competing in the Canadian Rally Championship in Open 2WD vehicles from 2013 - 2014. From 1995 through 2012, the class was called Group 2 for 2WD vehicles with an adjusted displacement no greater than 2400cc.

~~25.10.2 Sections 25.1 shall be observed in this championship except for scoring which shall be as per 25.6.2~~

~~25.10.3 Awards will be presented to the winners by CARS.~~

25.10.4.2 Previous winners:

| | | |
|------|---------------------|---------------------------|
| 1995 | Mike Koch | Nepean, Ont. |
| 1996 | Mike Koch | Nepean, Ont. |
| 1997 | Mike Koch | Nepean, Ont. |
| 1998 | Mike Koch | Nepean, Ont. |
| 1999 | Mike Koch | Nepean, Ont. |
| 2000 | Tom Bartman | Markham, Ont. |
| 2001 | Kathy Olsen | Brooks, Alta. |
| 2002 | Kathy Olsen | Brooks, Alta. |
| 2003 | Dave Shindle | Falls Church, VA |
| 2004 | Carl Schenk | Montreal, QC. |
| 2005 | Carl Schenk | Ste. Anne-de-Bellvue, QC. |
| 2006 | Jean-François Guité | Québec City, QC. |
| 2007 | Ryan Warrington | Calgary, Alta. |

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|-------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| 2008 | Leanne Junnila | Calgary, Alta. |
| 2009 | Jody Zedril | Winnipeg, Man. |
| 2010 | Jody Zedril | Winnipeg, Man. |
| 2011 | Pat Lavigne | Mirabel, QC. |
| 2012 | Leanne Junnila | Calgary, Alta. |
| 2013 | Chuck Storry | North Gower, Ont. |
| | Patrick Lavigne | Mirabel, QC. |
| 2014 (tied) | Billy Irwin | Puyallup, WA. |

25.11 Canadian Rally Championship for Open 2WD Marques

25.11.1 This championship ~~was used~~ is to encourage manufacturers to participate with vehicles in Open 2WD ~~from 2013 – 2014.~~ ~~vehicles.~~ From 1995 through 2012, the class was called Group 2 for 2WD vehicles with an adjusted displacement no greater than 2400cc.

25.11.2 ~~Sections 25.1 shall be observed in this championship except for scoring which shall be as per 25.6.2~~

25.11.3 ~~In each rally the Marque will receive the number of points earned by the highest placing vehicle of that marque in Open 2WD.~~

25.11.4 2 Previous winners:

| | | | |
|------|------------|------|------------|
| 1997 | Volkswagen | 2008 | Volkswagen |
| 1998 | Volkswagen | 2009 | Mitsubishi |
| 1999 | Volkswagen | 2010 | Mitsubishi |
| 2000 | Nissan | 2011 | Volkswagen |
| 2001 | Volkswagen | 2012 | Volkswagen |
| 2002 | Volkswagen | 2013 | Volkswagen |
| 2003 | Volkswagen | 2014 | Volkswagen |
| 2004 | Volkswagen | | |
| 2005 | Volkswagen | | |
| 2006 | Honda | | |
| 2007 | Volkswagen | | |