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CAPInv. 2022: Apollonos Stratagίου [koinon]

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I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area	Aegean Islands
ii. Region	Rhodes
iii. Site	Rhodos

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	Ἀπόλλωνος Στραταγίου [κοινὸν]
ii. Full name (transliterated)	<i>Apollonos Stratagίου [koinon]</i>

III. DATE

i. Date(s)	iii - ii BC
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IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

ii. Name elements	Theophoric:	Ἀπόλλωνος Στραταγίου, <i>Apollonos Stratagίου</i> - From the god Ἀπόλλων, Apollon (Morrelli, <i>I culti in Rodi</i> [Pisa, 1959], 21-28, 102-110). This is the sole recorded attestation of the epithet Στρατάγιος, <i>Stratagios</i> attributed to Apollon.
Note	The character of the association is greatly reminiscent of other associations described as κοινὸν, <i>koinon</i> , although it is impossible to verify the descriptive term due to erosion.	

V. SOURCES

i. Source(s)	IG XII(1) 161
Online Resources	IG XII(1) 161 AGRW ID ¹²⁵³⁷
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	Dedicatory-honourific
i.c. Physical format(s)	A rectangular statue base of blue marble.
ii. Source(s) provenance	Found in the City of Rhodes.

XII. NOTES

i. Comments	The final line of the inscription has been damaged to a point where the descriptive term of the association is gone. Some scholars have restored the lacuna as <i>eranistai</i> (cf. Wescher, van Gelder). Others have restored it as <i>koinon</i>, which would be consistent with the rest of the inscription (Foucart, Hiller). The name of the association has also been a point of contention. The interpretations mostly see Apollon Stratagios as a cult, yet another interpretation has seen it as a personal name. Either interpretation would be the first of its kind on Rhodes or elsewhere (Morelli, Carratelli, List of Greek Personal Names).
ii. Poland concordance	B 272

XIII. EVALUATION

i. Private association	Certain
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