

BOARD MEETING

KETCHUM, JUNE 13-14, 1966

Present: Al Tice, Chairman
Arlie Johnson
James Baughman
Martin Capps

Lois Merritt, Secretary, and Michael Southcombe, Deputy Attorney General, were also present.

Area outfitters were notified that the Board would meet in Ketchum as it was anticipated that many of them would be there to attend the hearings of the Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation in regard to the establishment of a Sawtooth National Park or a Sawtooth National Recreation Area.

Warren Brewer appeared to protest the unlicensed outfitter operations of Stan Tappan. He stated that the Forest Ranger refused to sell him campsites in the area where he wished to operate because he had allotted them to Stan Tappan even though Mr. Tappan had not applied for an outfitters license for many years.

Mr. Brewer was told to make out his application for the area he wanted. If the ranger refused to sign his application for this area, he should send the application in to the Board without the ranger's signature and the Board would take the matter up with the ranger.

Jack Simpson appeared to inquire why he did not receive an outfitter license last year. He was told that the area he applied for almost entirely overlapped the area of E. D. Bennett. Mr. Bennett was in attendance and agreed to grant Mr. Simpson non-transferrable joint use of his area, terms and conditions to be put in writing and signed by both parties and placed in their files. If Mr. Simpson would make an affidavit that he did not operate in 1965, he could make application for a 1966-67 license for the \$10 re-examination fee.

A representative of Isabelle Miller stated that she did not intend to apply for a big game area this year. This cleared up many area overlaps and will make it possible to issue licenses without delay.

Mike Wilkins was there to discuss provisions of his contract as investigator for the Board. Michael Southcombe said he would draw up a new contract in accordance with provisions agreed upon.

Martin Capps made a motion that the Board set up a rate for transportation allowance in accordance with state regulations, which is 10¢ per mile for the first 500 miles and 8¢ per mile thereafter for each trip. Second by Mr. Johnson. Motion carried.

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Mike Wilkins was instructed to make calls collect to the office phone; to keep a diary by the day on time and cases investigated. He must investigate violations by licensed outfitters as well as unlicensed. Mike and the Fish & Game Department should exchange information but his primary purpose is to uphold the Outfitters and Guides law.

Mr. Southcombe said he would draw up a witness deposition form for him to use.

The meeting adjourned.

The morning of June 14 the Board attended the Subcommittee hearing on the Sawtooth Park vs the Sawtooth Recreation Area. Returned to Boise after noon.

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Lois Merritt, Sec