

FORMAL HEARING IDAHO OUTFITTERS AND GUIDES BOARD

August 12, 1969

Boise, Idaho

August 12, 1969, 9:00 a.m.--Formal hearing for outfitters on the Middle Fork of the Salmon River.

Present for the Board: James F. Baughman, H. W. Guth, Mr. George Detweiler acting as hearing officer.

Outfitters present were: R. G. Hetherington, K. R. Strickler, Albert Lamper, Dan O'Connor representing Dr. Bacon, and J. Spencer Parker. Representing Flying Resort Ranches were W. H. McNeal, Loyal Willis, Burley Estes, Roger Thompson and Skip Carbon.

Applicants present were: James Muscutt and Scott Farr.

The meeting was called to order at 9:45 a.m. by hearing officer Mr. Detweiler.

Mr. Baughman stated that the hearing was called because there are overlaps in the areas and proposed changes in some of the operations.

Each operator was sworn in and allowed to make a statement concerning his customary use of areas applied for. These statements were recorded on tape.

Mr. McNeal read a letter sent to the Board May 6, 1968, in which he explained some of the accomplishments and plans of Flying Resort Ranches and their need for additional big game hunting areas.

The hearing was adjourned at 11:55 a.m. with everyone invited to return for informal discussion after lunch.

Mr. Don French and Mr. William Sullivan came in for consultation with the Board about obtaining big game hunting area in the vicinity of the Ramshorn Ranch. They are negotiating for part of the Lamper area at Duck Peak on Little Jacket Creek, they also applied for area on the Opal Creek Drainage and the Pahsimeroi River and asked if it would be approved. They were assured that the Board would do all possible to assist them. The Opal Creek Drainage area, however, is licensed to Ted Strickler.

A real effort toward cooperation was made by all outfitters at the hearing and several overlaps were resolved by mutual agreement. These will be reviewed by the Board and new area boundary lines will be drawn up.

An Ada County Deputy Sheriff served the Board with copies of a Petition for Writ of Prohibition by Charles E. Grotzinger entered in District Court of the Second Judicial District of the State of Idaho, Idaho County, and an Order granting Alternate Writ of Prohibition and Alternative Writ of Prohibition signed by John H. Maynard, District Judge.


Chairman


Secretary