

IDAHO OUTFITTERS & GUIDES BOARD

November 6 & 7, 1969

Boise, Idaho

Members present: Rex Lanham, Chairman
James Baughman
H. W. Guth

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Lanham at 10:30 a.m.

First on the agenda was a review of late applications for outfitter licenses.

The application of Jack Verschuur, Victor Montana, was reviewed. A motion was made by Mr. Guth and unanimously approved that the application be denied because the area applied for is, and has been for many years, licensed to Mr. John Buker, Victor, Montana. Idaho Code, 36-5409 (a), (b) (1), 5409A (b). Mr. Verschuur is to be informed that if he wishes to pursue the matter, the Board would like to meet with him, Mr. Buker, and the District Ranger.

The application for a nonresident outfitter license for Norman Thomas was reviewed. Our investigator, Mike Wilkins, visited Mr. Thomas's camp and talked to his son on September 28, 1969, and learned that Mr. Thomas is outfitting without a license. On October 16, 1969 Mr. Wilkins went back to the camp and obtained statements from hunters in the camp who were waiting for Mr. Thomas to come and pack them out. When Mr. Thomas returned on October 18, Mr. Wilkins arrested him for operating without first obtaining a license. Mr. Guth moved that the application be denied and that the overpayment of \$50 be refunded; seconded by Mr. Baughman and unanimously approved. Idaho Code, 36-5404, 5408, 5417. Our attorney is to be requested to draw up the notice of denial.

The meeting recessed for lunch and reconvened at 1:30 p.m.

The afternoon was spent reviewing rules and regulations and proposed changes for the Outfitters & Guides Act.

The meeting recessed at 5 o'clock until November 7.

The meeting reconvened at 9:30 a.m. with members present: James Baughman, Vice Chairman, H. W. Guth, and R. J. Holmes. Mr. George Detweiler, assistant attorney general, was present to offer legal advice.

The first business was a review of the case of Frank Santos vs the Outfitters & Guides Board of the State of Idaho, Civil No. 7394, and the order of Judge John H. Maynard. By motion of Mr. Holmes, seconded by Mr. Guth, and unanimously approved, the following is entered into the minutes, ordering the licenses of Frank Santos and Lyle Phelps reissued to cover the big game hunting areas as described on their respective 1967-68 outfitter licenses:

The District Court for the Second Judicial District of the State of Idaho, County of Idaho, having entered an opinion and order in the case of Frank Santos vs the Outfitters and Guides Board of the State of Idaho, et al, and pursuant to that opinion and order, the Outfitters and Guides Board does hereby grant to Frank Santos an outfitter license for the license year of 1969-70, covering the following described territory, all of which is in strict accord with the order of the court:

Up Bargamin Creek Cr. from its mouth to Cliff Creek, thence a line drawn from Cliff Creek to Brown Creek at its junction with Sabe Cr., thence down Sabe Creek to Main Salmon River, thence down Salmon River to point of beginning.

On South side of Salmon River, the breaks of Salmon from Sabe Creek to Bargamin Cr.

And further, pursuant to that opinion and order, the Outfitters and Guides Board does hereby grant to Lyle E. Phelps an outfitter license for the license year of 1969-70 covering the following described territory, which is also in strict accord with the order of the court:

Start at the mouth of Steep Creek, thence northwesterly to head of Steep Creek, thence approx. due west to point approx. due south of Sheep Hill, thence northerly on a line to a point that intersects the Sheep Hill Trail and thence to the mouth of Ladder Creek, thence across Bargamin Creek to a point on Trail 580 due north of Rainey Point, thence on this trail to Boston Mtn. and the Old Nez Perce Trail, thence along this trail to the head of Prospector Creek, thence down Prospector Creek to mouth on Bargamin Creek to mouth of Spread Creek, up Spread Creek to Spread Creek Point, thence northeasterly to Trilby Lakes and head of Camp Creek, down Camp Creek to Sabe Creek to mouth of Steep Creek, the point of beginning.

Joint use with Frank Santos: the Area between your south boundary as described above and his north boundary which is on a line from the mouth of Cliff Creek to the mouth of Brown Creek.

Mr. Detweiler was asked about advertising by unlicensed outfitters and/or guides. He said that advertising for a fee is grounds for arrest according to the Outfitters and Guides Act.

The Meeting recessed for lunch and reconvened at 1:30 P.m.

Mr. Detweiler reviewed, item by item, changes which he proposed for the Outfitters and Guides Act. These changes are primarily aimed at making the law more enforceable. The Board discussed changes which they would like to have and the rules and regulations which they would like to adopt to make the law better from the standpoint of the industry and conservation. Mr. Detweiler will study these to see if further changes would be necessary in the law..

The application of Mr. M. R. Peterson for an outfitter license to cover most of the Coeur d'Alene National Forest was reviewed. We had received no reply to our letter of October 7 in which we requested a map of the area applied for and information concerning his proposed operation, and references. Without this information the Board did not feel they could issue the license for such a large area at this time. They designated an area surrounding the camps specified on the application and approved the license for this area to be reviewed later if requested.

The application of Martin Vern Hill was denied because the area applied for has been licensed for several years to A. W. Angell and Lyle Kunz, and the game manager for Fish and Game Department has designated it an area in which the game harvest is adequate under the existing commercial operations and use by the general public.

The investigations of Mike Wilkins were reviewed and suggestions made of other areas where it might be well for him to make inspection trips.

Licenses were approved for:

Loyd H. Nelson	Clayton Badley	Jack Barham	Fay Park
Larry Moats	Kim Key	Larry Clay	Gordon Smith
Jim Smith	James Woodworth	Robert Simpson Jr.	Ronald Hansen
Larry Woodgeard	E. V. Clampitt	Tony Hincks	Frederick Siegfried Jr.
Thelma Beale	Randy W. Smith	Peter Dress	Bill Gaechter
Blaine Sanderson	John Coburn	Arlen Mund	Larry McIntosh
Kent W. Lamb	Raymond Tarbox	Jack Eden	George R. Fromm
Klea Grotzinger	Ted Strickler	Newton Kilpatrick	Eugene Boyd
Wayne G. Proctor	Harold A. Smith	James Langdon	Jerry Cloward
Gary Tumelson	Hurbert Wagoner	Norbert Lenz	Richard Wilczenski
Greg Remaklus	Nick Robinson	Edwin L. Gillihan	Ron O'Connell
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The following bills were approved:

Tillotson Real Estate	October office rent	125.00
Frances Nelson	Sec. Work 137 hours @ 1.80	246.60
Idaho Power Co.	Service 8/18 to 9/17/69	8.40
Mtn. State Telephone	Sept. Service, August LD	62.59
Finch's Office Supply	Office supplies, rubber stamp	22.74
Lois Merritt	Sept. Salary	450.00
State of Idaho	Emp.Ret. Fund, August	57.93
State of Idaho	Emp. Ret. Fund, Sept.	48.68
A-1 Business Service	Oufitter & Guide lists	114.40
Director Internal Revenue	Third Quarter Tax withheld	243.30
State of Idaho	Social Security Trust Fund 3rd quarter	129.60
State of Idaho	Dept of Employment, Third quarter tax	5.40
State Tax Commission	Third quarter tax withheld	40.11
Blue Cross of Idaho	November premium	6.00
Idaho Power	Service 9/17 to 10/16/69	6.80
Mountain State Telephone	October Service, Sept. LD	177.93
Tillotson Real Estate	November office rent	125.00
Lois Merritt	October salary	450.00
Frances Nelson	Sec. Service Oct 6 thru 27	189.00
James Baughman	Per expense account 9/5 to 11/7/69	328.70

The meeting adjourned.



Chairman



Secretary