

OUTFITTERS AND GUIDES BOARD MEETING

Boise, Idaho

July 15 & 16, 1974

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m. by Vice Chairman Baughman with members present Lon Jarvis and R. J. Holmes.

A discussion was had on information supplied by the Fish and Game Department regarding outfitting activities of C. J. Prock after March 31, when his outfitter license expired.

Mr. Holmes made a motion that the board pay the plane fare from Ft. Worth, Texas, for a bear hunter who will appear as a witness against C. J. Prock. Second by Jarvis, approved by Baughman, Jarvis and Holmes.

Bob Flint, Boise appeared to discuss establishing a stable for horse rentals in Atlanta and to guide a few fishermen and hunters. He was told that the fishing and trail-rides in the area would be feasible but the big game hunting would be marginal and there is insufficient game harvested by the general public.

Rex Lanham appeared.

Applications were reviewed.

Mr. & Mrs. Ted Epley appeared to appeal the area designated on his license for trail-rides. He explained that he runs a stable in McCall and has many requests for day rides close to McCall. He designated the trails that he wished to use and deleted much of the area originally requested.

J. J. Ferris appeared to discuss his proposed purchase of St. Joe Outfitters from Carl Nagel. Advertising in Field and Stream appeared under his name. He explained that he had applied for a guide license for this year but had a contract to purchase the outfit on December 1, 1974, subject to approval by the board. He has done considerable packing during six years employment in timber management for the Forest Service and guiding with hounds in Nevada. His guide application was approved and he was told no commitment could be made on an outfitter license until a complete application is filed.

Applications were reviewed until a recess until 1 p.m. was declared for lunch.

Maurice Clements, new owner of Cox Dude Ranch, appeared with three applicants for guides licenses, Dwayne Fry, manager of the ranch, Mark Clements and Kevin Peterson. They were questioned on their experience and knowledge of the area. They have been cleaning trails and learning the area. They were advised to rely on Mr. Cox's many years' experience and seek his assistance until they are more knowledgeable. Their applications were approved.

Wayne Crookston appeared at 2 p.m., this being the time set for consideration by the board of complaint No. 74-010, Idaho Vacations vs Steve Jordan and the applications for license for Steve Jordan and Idaho Vacations. Board members present were Chairman Rex Lanham, James F. Baughman, Lon S. Jarvis and R. J. Holmes. Mr. Crookston read the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Recommendations submitted by the hearing officer, Ron J. Twilegar and filed in Formal Hearing Records No. 74-010.

A discussion was had. The complainants ask that Steve Jordan be denied an outfitters license because of alleged lack of moral fitness, which they failed to prove. They did not show any reason why Idaho Vacations, Inc. should be granted a license except thru denial of a license to Steve Jordan.

The moratorium on the issuance of new license on the Main Salmon, adopted January 28, 1971, precludes the issuance of a new license to Idaho Vacations, Inc.

If Jordan's big game hunting is denied because he employed unlicensed big game hunt-

ing guides, he will necessarily be denied both the James Ranch area and the Lowman area.

McLaughlin, Mott, Hensley and Greener appeared and Steve Jordan. They were told that the board would consider an interim decision to license Idaho Vacations, Inc. for big game hunting in the James Ranch area and no boating and Steve Jordan for boating and big game hunting in the Lowman area if he is willing to withdraw his application for big game hunting in the James Ranch area. Or any other proposal made by the parties would be considered. Jordan was offered an opportunity to consult his attorney before making any commitment. He did not do so.

Idaho Vacations, Inc. withdrew for consultation and returned with an offer to accept big game hunting in the James Ranch area and jet boating. Jordan objected to this solution. Greener then proposed that identical licenses be issued to both for hunting the area and boating to give them a chance to work out a solution.

The board and Jordan would not accept this because the area is too small for two hunting operations.

No agreement was reached. The meeting recessed at 5:15 delaying further study of the matter till the following day.

The meeting reconvened at 9 a.m. July 16, with members present Chairman Lanham, Baughman, Jarvis and Holmes.

The board authorized Lois Merritt, administrative assistant to sign documents for the chairman. Three copies of certified authorization were prepared and sent to the state auditor.

Applications were reviewed until noon when the meeting recessed until 1. p.m. The meeting reconvened with the same members present.

Correspondence was reviewed, including requests for area revisions which are to be investigated.

Wayne Crookston appeared. Further discussion was had on the applications of Idaho Vacations, Inc. and Steve Jordan and the options open to the board in light of the decision of the Hearing Officer and the applications.

Don Knickrehm and Steve Jordan appeared. Mr. Knickrehm said Mr. Jordan would concede the big game hunting area near the James Ranch if he can keep the Lowman area and his boating.

Dick Greener and Dick Mott and Reynold Hensley appeared and proposed that both parties be licensed identically.

A motion was made by Lon Jarvis that Steve Jordan's license be approved for big game hunting in the Lowman area and for power and float boating on the Snake River from Hells Canyon Dam to Lewiston, the Main Salmon River from the mouth of the Middle Fork to the mouth of the Salmon, Clearwater River, Bruneau River, Selway River and the Payette River from Banks to Black Canyon Dam. Seconded by Baughman. Approved by Baughman, Holmes, Jarvis and Lanham.

Holmes proposed a resolution to license Idaho Vacations, Inc., for big game hunting in the area known as the "James Ranch" on the Salmon River. Second by Baughman. Approved by Holmes, Baughman, Jarvis and Lanham.

Holmes proposed a resolution that Idaho Vacations, Inc. be denied a license for commercial power and float boating, due to the moratorium on the issuance of new licenses on the Main Salmon River. Seconded by Baughman. Approved by Baughman, Jarvis and Holmes. Lanham abstained.

After the adoption of the above resolution Mr. Jordan submitted a revised boating application which did not include certain rivers included in that resolution: Clearwater, Brunear, and Selway. Therefore the board ordered the license to include only those rivers requested in the application: power and float boating the Main Salimon from the mouth of the Middle Fork to the Snake River, the Snake River from Hells Canyon Dam to Lewiston and the Payette River from Banks to Black Canyon Dam.

The license of Idaho Vacations, Inc. was ordered drawn up in conformance to the above resolutions and the application for activities other than boating.

The license for Norman Close, M.A. for Idaho Vacations, Inc., was ordered drawn the same as the corporation.

The application of Bitterroot Wilderness, Inc. was denied and a refund of license fee of \$50.00 approved to be sent to Garry France, the reason being that all outfitting equipment had been returned to the former owner and the corporation does not intend to outfit.

A refund of the license fee and late filing fee was approved for C. J. Prock whose application for an outfitter license was denied because he lacked equipment to operate.

Application approved or denied since the last meeting, via telephone, by Lon Jarvis and Ray Holmes, were reaffirmed. A list of licenses approved and denied follows and is a part of these minutes.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

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OUTFITTERS

Banning, Richard R., MA
 Barnes, A. E. Pat
 Bridges, Lee
 Capps, Randy
 Clements, M. L., MA
 Close, Norman, MA
 Cox Dude Ranch
 Davis, Eugene R.
 Filer, Paul O.
 Flying R. Outfitters, Inc.
 Idaho Vacations, Inc.
 Jensen, Marriner R.
 Johnson, Val B., MA
 Jordan, Steve W.
 Merrick, Robert
 Nez Perce Out. & Guides
 Page, Ralph
 Pruitt, Leroy
 Ramlow, Paul
 Smith, Robert L.
 Timber Ridge Ranch

Cummins, Dick
 Cutright, Rena F.
 Cutright, Stephen L.

Davis, Edison
 Davis, Frank H.
 Dees, Lamont H.
 Denney, Albert
 Dill, Don
 Downs, Chris
 Dupuis, Barbara
 Dupuis, Steven
 Durtschi, Dave

Eggers, Lorin L.
 Ellis, Evan L., Jr.

Ferris, J. J.
 Fisher, Ronald J.
 Frazier, Preston S.
 Fry, Dewain L.

Gardner, Wayne
 Gibbs, Peter
 Gillespie, Wm. J, Jr.

Hagan, James G.
 Hagmann, Dean
 Hahn, Lloyd
 Harding, Harvey C.
 Hatch, Brad
 Hawkes, Steven
 Helfrich, James D.
 Hendrick, Jim
 Henry, Paul J.
 Heston, Fraser C.
 Hill, Leslie W.
 Hill, Wm. S.
 Hoffman, Roy M.
 Hogan, Chris
 Holmes, John
 Hughes, Mel
 Hunley, Craig

Ihli, Michael B.

Jansak, Eugene P.
 Jantz, Stanley R.
 Jones, John R.
 Jones, Kenneth A.
 Jones, Steven R.
 Jones, Vane K.

Kelly, John F.
 King, R. Steve
 Kleven, Darian
 Koldewyn, Craig E.

Kuykendall, Herman C.

Lawson, Michael J.
 Leachman, Mark C.
 Leonard, Thomas H., Jr.
 Lewis, Jerry A.
 Lucas, Willard
 Lym, John C.

McCarthy, Terrance
 McGowan, Larry
 Mancini, George
 Mansfield, Tim
 Michener, Roger
 Monk, John O.
 Morse, Philip G.

Nesbitt, Laurel A.
 Nichol, Kent
 Northrop, Alexander

Olsen, Christian
 Orton, Michael
 Paulson, Rodney D.
 Parmenter, Jeffrey D.
 Perry, EARL
 Persinger, Kenneth R.
 Peterson, Kevin V.
 Petrillo, Rick
 Pickering, Mark
 Piper, John C.
 Ploss, Warren R.
 Porter, John F.
 Preece, Nolan

Recondo, Jose M.
 Roberts, Harold B.
 Rolland, Siegfried B.
 Rose, John V.
 Ross, Jamie
 Rosso, Robert E.
 Rummler, Chas. H.

Shine, Robert M.
 Shockley, Kim T.
 Simons, Edward E.
 Slavin, Sam
 Smith, Kenneth L.
 Stevens, Floyd C.

Thompson, Chas. K.
 Thompson, David M.
 Thompson, Michael J.
 Tillinghast, Jack W.
 Tipton, Gregg K.
 Tobler, Wayne
 Tonsmeire, Daniel L.
 Tonsmeire, Edward C.
 Tonsmeire, Frances

Vaughn, John B.
 Vinagre, Gary
 Vogler, Lonnie
 Webb, Clayton L.
 Welch, Clarence W.
 Wells, Kevin B.
 Winn, Steve L.
 Wouda, Donald
 Young, Bill
 Young, Robert

GUIDES

Agee, Wynn
 Allison, Jerry
 Anderton, Greg
 Andreessen, Terry L.
 Arnoldi, Lewis H.
 Baldrige, Dave
 Banducci, Don
 Bender, Gavin J.
 Bender, William G.
 Benedict, Donald D.
 Bennett, James E.
 Best, Guy E.
 Biggers, Melvin
 Blackburn, James W.
 Bleckmann, Clarice E.
 Blom, Sherman
 Blosser, Bret
 Bosler, Gary Lee
 Braun, Neal
 Butler, Frank E.
 Buzzard, Robert F., Jr.
 Cady, Byron L.
 Camerer, Michael B.
 Carpenter, Chuck
 Champlin, O. Raymond
 Chandler, Kim
 Clements, Mark S.
 Coleman, Marvin L.
 Colston, Bruce
 Crowder, M. A.

Denials to July 16, 1974

Andreessen, Terry; float boating on Main Salmon from Iron Creek to Salmon City - outfitter employer not licensed for that segment of the river.

Bender, Gaven; Lead Boatman on Middle Fork and Boatman on Main Salmon and Selway - log not submitted with necessary information.

Blosser, Bret; Boatman on Main Salmon and Snake - no experience shown

Cady, Byron L.; Boating on Main Salmon from North Fork to Middle Fork and French Creek to Riggins - outfitter employer not licensed.

Hatch, Brad; Boatman on Snake River - experience not shown

Hawkes, Steven; trailrides and backpacking - outfitter employer not licensed for these.

Hughes, Mel; Lead Boatman on Main Salmon; Boatman on Selway - experience not shown.

Jones, John Robert; float boating and fishing on Main Salmon from mouth of the Middle Fork to White Bird and Clearwater - no experience shown

Lead Boatman on Snake River from Hells Canyon Dam to Lewiston - do^{es} not show six trips

King, R. Steve; Lead Boatman on Owyhee - no record of experience

Main Salmon from North Fork to Middle Fork - outfitter employer not licensed.

Lawson, Michael J.; float boating and fishin on South Fork of Snake R. - outfitter employer not licensed.

Michener, Roger; boating on Main Salmon, Stanley to Challis and from mouth of Middle Fork to French Creek not enough experience.

Clearwater, Selway, Bruneau, and Owyhee - outfitter employer not licensed

Petrillo, Rick; Lead Boatman on Snake, Salmon and Selway - does not show enough experience

Owyhee - outfitter employer not licensed.

Ploss, Warren Robert; float boating and fishing on Main Salmon from Stanley to Challis - outfitter not licensed for this segment of river.

Porter, John F.; Lead Boatman on Middle Fork of Salmon and Main Salmon - did not submit log of experience.

Rolland, Siegfried B. - Backpacking - outfitter employer not licensed for this activity.

Shine, Robert M.; Leadboatman on Selway - not enough trips.

Slavin, Sam; Float boating on Salmon River from Iron Creek to Middle Fork and French Creek to Snake - file does not show any training had on these sections.

Stevens, Floyd C.; Boatman on Snake River - no recored of experience.

Webb, Clayton L.; Boatman on Main Salmon and Selway R. - no recored of experience.

Welch, Clarence W.; Cross country skiing - no experience shown and outfitter no licensed.

Ramlow, Paul; cross country skiing pending receipt of qualifications.

Licenses denied on Main Salmon from the mouth of Middle Fork to French Creek:
John Holmes and Craig Elliott Koldewyn

Lead Boatman on Main Salmon denied for lack of trips:
Larry McGowan
Kent Nichol

Licenses denied for float boating on Main Salmon from North Fork to Middle Fork for lack of experience: John Carter Piper & Kim Tracy Shockley

Jones, Kenneth A.; Lead Boatman Status on Snake and Owyhee rivers because no log was submitted and two outfitters not licensed on Owyhee

Licenses denied for float boating and fishing on Owyhee River for no experience shown:
Christian Olsen and Rick Petrillo

Licenses denied on Main Salmon and Selway for lack of experience shown and Lead Boatman status on Middle Fork for same reason: James W. Blackburn and Steven R. Jones

Carpenter, Chuck; Lead Boatman on the Main Salmon, Snake and Selway for lack of six qualifying trips; Owyhee, Clearwater and Bruneau Rivers shows no experience on these rivers; Main Salmon: Stanley to Challis, Salmon City to Middle Fork, French Creek to Snake; Henry's Fork and St. Joe River denied as employing outfitter is not licensed.

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Licenses denied on Selway for lack of experience:

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| Gary Bosler | Stephen L. Cutright | Laurel Nesbitt |
| Michael Orton | Barbara Dupuis | Guy E. Best |
| Tim Mansfield | Rene Cutright | |

Licenses denied on Middle Fork for lack of experience:

Nolan Preece
Guy Best

Licenses denied for cross country skiing and mountain climbing for lack of experience shown:

Randy Capps
Sherman Blom; outfitter not licensed for these activities, either

Licenses denied on South Fork Snake River as outfitter is not licensed; St. Joe, Bruneau, and Owyhee Rivers as no experience shown; cross country skiing until they have a certificate from recognized ski association:

Daniel L. Tonsmeire
Edward Tonsmeire

Bob Smith denied guiding on all classified rivers until he has a Red Cross First Aid card; boating the Main Salmon from Stanley to Challis until a history of previous use can be supplied.

Val Johnson denied big game hunting as we understand he has sold.

Flying R Outfitters, Inc.; Trout Creek area has been given to Mr. Nichols and replaced by the drainage of Magpie Creek.

Robert L. Duncan denied license as the outfitter employer is not licensed this year.

July 15,16, 1974 Guide license extentions

Brunzell, Robert H. - K. E. Masoner - Boatman on Selway

- ✓Bender, Gavin J. - Don Hatch Outfitter - LB on Middle Fork; Boatman on Selway River
- ✓Best, Guy Edward - ARTA Outfitter - Boatman on Selway and Middle Fork
- ✓Blackburn, James W. - Don Hatch Outfitter-- Boatman on Main Salmon; Selway River
- ✓Bosler, Gary Lee - Don Hatch Outfitter - Boatman on Selway River
- ✓Cutright, Rena Fudacz - ARTA Outfitter - Boatman on Middle Fork
- ✓Cutright, Stephen Lee - ARTA Outfitter - Boatman on Selway River
- ✓Hughes, Mel - Don Hatch Outfitter - Boatman on Selway River
- ✓Jones, John Robert - Norman Riddle Outfitter - Lead Boatman on Snake R. from HCD to Lew.
- ✓Jones, Steven Ryan - Don Hatch Outfitter - Boatman on Selway River
- ✓Mansfield, Tim - ARTA Outfitter - Boatman on Selway River
- ✓Nesbitt, Laurel Anne - ARTA Outfitter - Boatman on Selway River
- ✓Nichol, Kent - World Wide R. Exped. - Lead Boatman on Main Salmon
- ✓Heald, Mark W. - David Giles - Power Boating on Main Salmon from mouth of M. Fk to Fr. Cr.
- ✓Thomas, David - ARTA - Lead Boatman on Selway River

July 15, 16, 1974 Outfitter license extentions

Capps, Martin R. - Power Boating on Main Salmon from Iron Creek to Snake River; Snake River from Salmon River to Lewiston **** Float Boating on MF; Main Salmon from Iron Creek to Snake River; Snake River from Salmon River to Lewiston; Selway River *****
Qualified to guide all rivers listed for power boating and LEAD BOATMAN on all Float R.

Danskin, James R. - Extended to include Henry's Fork from the mouth of Warm River to Ashton Bridge.

Farr, Scott - Extended to include trailrides and fishing from Chamberlain Basin to High Lake.

Hassinger, Woodrow M. - extended to include Boatman on Main Salmon

King, Kenny - Lead Boatman on MF

Knauff, Daryl A. - Guide activities for Nez Perce Outfitters - Boatman on MF

Riddle, Norman - Extend big game hunting area

Sevy Bros. Guide Serv., Inc. - extend backpacking area in Seven Devils Area

Sevy, Robert J. - extend backpacking area in Seven Devils Area

Wemple, Jack F - extend trailride area