

OUTFITTERS AND GUIDES BOARD

Boise, Idaho

May 19, 20 & 23, 1977

The Outfitters and Guides Board convened on May 19, 1977, at 8:35 a.m. with the following members present: James Baughman, Vice-Chairman, Lon Jarvis, Bill Guth & R. J. Holmes.

Minutes of the March meeting was read and approved as read.

At 9:00 a.m. Rex Lanham arrived.

Ray Ralls and his attorney, Pat Riceci, met with the board to review the denial of Mr. Rall's outfitter license. Mr. Riceci asked to be notified of the board's decision whether to issue a license or continue to deny it. After Mr. Ralls and Mr. Riceci left the board discussed all of the evidence presented, and Mr. Baughman made a motion to give Ray Ralls a one year probationary license and put "probationary license" on the license. The motion was seconded by Rocky Holmes and unanimously approved.

The board reviewed Daniel Supple's outfitter license denial and then met with Mr. Supple. Mr. Supple stated that he had no guests last year and explained his two fish and game violations. Mr. Supple was advised that all outfitters must make an extra effort to obey the fish and game laws and if he was given a license that he must be very conscious of all the laws. After Mr. Supple left the board discussed all of the evidence and Mr. Baughman made a motion to give Daniel Supple a one year probationary license and put "probationary license" on the license. The motion was seconded by Rocky Holmes and passed unanimously.

The minutes for the April 12 & 13 and April 18-20 meetings were read and approved.

Val Johnson, M. A. and NezPerce outfitter licenses were discussed. The secretary was instructed to send Frank Elder copies of the letters the board wrote to Val Johnson last year about obtaining an agreement with the forest service before we would issue him a license for summer activities.

Ann Marie Noye's guide application was discussed.

The board reviewed Grand Canyon Dorries application

At noon the board recessed for lunch, and then reconvened at 1:15 with the same members present.

Guy Hurlbutt of the Attorney General's office arrived. The board discussed with Guy about proposed changes in our law. Mr. Hurlbutt told the board to send him a rough draft of the changes they wanted and he would put them into legal form and present them to the Governor's office before August.

Dave Wishey, and Jim Reid, attorneys for Grand Canyon Dorries, met with the board to discuss what was necessary to complete Grand Canyon Dorries applications. The board advised them they needed their license fees, late filing fees, Supplement I forms, and a letter from Wilderness Encounters, Inc., releasing their license on the Main Salmon River from Corn Creek to Spring Bar.

A letter from Bill Bernt was read asking if he could deposit \$5,000.00 in a bank with his name and the boards in lieu of an outfitter bond. The board's decision was that he should try to make this arrangement with the Association and be advised of such.

Mark Olney's application was approved.

All the board members were appointed to the grievance committee.

The board advised the secretary to allow enough money in next years budget to have the area description master files microfilmed.

Paul J. Henry's incomplete guide application and a copy of check from Terrance North issued to Sawtooth Lodge for a hunt with Henry was discussed and will be followed up.

The board discussed training trips for boat trainees and decided the trips must be complete trips on the river or section of river the applicant was applying for.

A list of guests that were with Hank Miller on a National Outdoor Leadership School trip and with Terry Andreessen on a river trip were received from Mike Wilkins.

The board discussed who could sign outfitter and guide licenses, and Bill Guth made the following motion: "In the event that the chairman or vice-chairman is not available any board member may sign a license if it has been duly approved." Seconded by Lon Jarvis and passed unanimously.

The board recessed at 5:10 p.m.

Friday, May 20, the board reconvened at 8:45 with Jim Baughman, Bill Guth, Lon Jarvis, and Rocky Holmes present.

Mr. Baughman told the board of his telephone conversation with Mike Wilkins on Terry Andreessen.

Joe Leonard met with the board to discuss the proposed rules and regulation. He was concerned with No. 26b for kayakers, and No. 41 for cross country skiing. Joe Leonard also asked for the Owyhee River for kayaking. The board told him he must contact the BLM as we have a moratorium on this river, which the BLM requested, and we must receive written permission from them, then the board will review the request.

Weldon Reynolds, an employee of the Parks and Recreation Department of Fremont County discussed with the board his outfitter application for snowmobiling. He stated that snowmobilers use county and forest service roads that are closed in the winter. He stated there was over 400 miles of trails and roads that were kept groomed in Fremont County.

Mr. Reynolds requested for the Fremont County Commissioners a list of all outfitters and guides licensed on Henry's Fork and all outfitters along with their activities and areas in Fremont County. This is to be sent to James Siddaway, Fremont County Court House, St. Anthony, Idaho.

The board asked Mr. Reynolds if there were any retired law enforcement people who would be qualified for a part time law enforcement job with this board. Mr. Reynolds said he would inquire.

The board checked with Ned Pence, ranger at Island Park, about licensing Bob Beuhler, a new outfitter applicant, in the Island Park area for backpacking. Mr. Pence said he would have to have proof of need before signing his application.

Clinton Bobb Smith, an outfitter applicant, for snowmobiling, met with the board. Mr. Smith said he carried a flare gun, first aid kit and repair kit whenever he was out snowmobiling.

The board suggested adding in the proposed rules and regulations a regulation for all snowmobile trips to carry emergency equipment.

A letter and brochure from Gerald Bentley about an unlicensed outfitter, advertising river trips in Idaho, was read. The board recommended a letter be written to Ted Birdseye

telling him of Idaho's licensing requirements.

A letter from the Governor's office accompanied by a letter from George Jensen on a complaint against Dale Ney was read. The governor's office and Jensen will be written telling them the meeting Dale Ney and his attorney had with the board was just to hear Dale Ney's reply to the complaint. After hearing Mr. Ney's reply and reviewing the written complaints the board's decision was that there was not enough evidence for the board to revoke or suspend Mr. Ney's license, therefore a formal hearing would not be held. If a formal hearing had been held the complaintants would have been invited to attend. They have the opportunity to file a claim with the bonding company to get a refund on their payment.

The board recessed for lunch and then reconvened at 1:00 with the same members present.

Robert Buehler met with the board to discuss his outfitter application. He said he would work out of Last Chance and Wild Rose Ranch. The board told him that the chance of licensing another outfitter for fishing on Henry's Fork area was not favorable, but if he could get permission from the forest service, fish and game and the Parks Dept., then the board would consider it. He asked about bird hunting from Grandview to Homedale and the Island Park area, and was instructed to write area descriptions for each activity.

Enos Kimball of Weiser, met with the board on his outfitter application for bear/cougar and predator hunting. The board told him they would have to review his proposed area before a decision could be made on his application.

Skip Zapffee met with the board on his outfitter boating application. The board approved it.

Timothy Gardner, applicant for an outfitter license, and Jay Baillet, applicant for a guide license met with the board to discuss their proposed trailrides in the Elkhorn area at Sun Valley.

The board set June 20, 21 and 22nd for the next meeting.

A letter from National Outdoor Leadership School was read, and an appointment in June will be set up.

A letter from Eldon Handy requesting the guide fee on Joe Stephens be transferred to Robin Handy as Mr. Stephens will not be guiding in Idaho this year, was read. This request was approved by the board.

Paul Lagodich's guide application was approved.

Letters from Moose Creek Ranger District to Flying Dutchman, Johnson and Zeedyk about complaint on Gladys York, Legislative Auditor about netcom use, Vladimir Kovalick request for boating the lower Salmon, Val Johnson about Willmore's area, Manderson Miles, attorney, about Ray Tarbox, and Garry Merritt's agreement with Dave Giles were read.

The board reviewed applications. A list of applications approved, denied and extended is attached.

The meeting recessed at 5:45 p.m.

Monday, May 23rd, at 9:00 a.m. Jim Baughman and Lon Jarvis met. As there were not enough members present to form a quorum no business was officially conducted.

A telephone call to Ted Anderson of Challis National Forest confirmed that Andreessen's

float trip was a private trip.

To clarify the records it was stated Ray Rall's probation is to be for one year for outfitting without a license.

Mackay Bar guide licenses are to be probationary licenses for those who have fish and game violations.

A letter is to be written to Bill Hathaway of St. Anthony telling him that the hunting area and rivers for boating that he is applying for on his outfitter application are all full, but snowmobiling might be considered and to send a map of the area he wants.

Bill Buehler returned and asked about areas for bird hunting and snowmobiling.

The secretary was instructed to write Dick Merrill and tell him there was an opening for power boating on the Clearwater River as he is the first on the priority list.

The outfitter and guide license applications were completed.

The meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

James F. Baughman

Alaine Lobbett, Sec.

APPROVED -- Outfitters

American River Touring
Association

Beamer's Heller Bar
Excursions

Berry, Randy

Beuke, Wayne C.

Buehler, Robert J., Jr.

Chivers, Tom E.

Christensen, Garn G.

Cutright, Stephen Lee

Danskin, James R.

Dunford, J. Hulme

Gardiner, Timothy Mather

Hatch, Don

Held, Floyd F.

Kimball, Enos J.

McCullough, Kurt

Ralls, Ray A. (Probationary)

Reynolds, Weldon

Robson, Dale R.

Smith, Clinton Bob

Smith, Kenneth L.

Stanley Basin Cow Camp

Supple, Daniel E. (Probationary)

Twitchell, A. Wayne

Woolstenhulme, Thomas K.

Zapffe, Carl R.

APPROVED -- Guides

Abbott, Leslie

Ahrendes, James E.

Allard, Don

Allred, Dave Ross

Allred, James Jeff

Allred, Paul Rodney

Austin, George J.

Bahnson, Edward Reid, Jr.

Bender, Bill

Bernt, Bill

Bernt, Peggy Jo

Blackadar, Robert L.

Blackburn, James W.

Braun, Andrew Neal

Brock, Roy F. (Probationary)

Brockette, Brian

Camerer, Michael B.

Campbell III, Albert James

Chinn, Larry A.

Conard, Roger M.

Cromwell, Charles E.

Cushing, Kimberly Mark

Eppinger, Robert G.

Erickson, T. Rick

Foster, Glen R.

Foster, Kenneth D.

Foster, Kevin

Foster, Melvin D.

Foster, Silvon Kay

Foster, Verl

Gardner, Charles John, Jr.

Gardner, Wayne

Hagan, James Gilmore

Handy, David E.

Handy, Robbin T.

Hanna, William R.

Hansen, Jeffrey N.

Hansen, Laurence Gene

Harrop, Gordon R.

Harrop, Irvin Rene'

Hatch, Barry

Hatch, M. Bradley

Heinecke, Perry R.

Holmes, John Alvin

Hughes, Mel

Jackson, Brad

Jewell, Greg E.

Kohagen, Karl

Krambeer, Larry Dennis

Kramer, John H.

Kvarme, Michael

APPROVED -- Guides (continued)

Lamm, Robert W.
Landowski, Robert B.
Larson, Mark Thomas
Leidecker, Joel K.
LeMoyne, Henri
LeMoyne, Russell
Lentz, Steven C.
Lilly, Gregory Francis
Link, Ed
Lowe, Richard B., Jr.

McAfee, William R.
McClain, Diana Dee
McClure, Vernon L.
McGowan, Larry

Matson, Kenneth F.
Mawhirter, Terry Robert
Michener, Roger
Monroe, Michael Leslie
Mott, Billy E.
Mullinnix, Larry
Myers, Gerald David (Probationary)

Neher, Christopher J.
Nicholson, Robin W.
Norton, James Howard

O'Connell, Richard F.
Olney, Mark
Olsen, Stephen Richard

Pettit, John K.
Pond, Ralph C.
Pope, Douglas
Porter, John F.
Pullin, Wiley J.

Ring, Terry William
Rouse, Chester

Schaplow, Barry Milton
Schopf, Gregory E.
Sevy, Janice L.
Sholes, Douglas K.
Siefert, Doug (Probationary)
Smith, Edward J.
Smith, Nathan R.
Smith, Roland K.

Stone, Randy L.
Sturgill, Michael Eugene
Sturgill, Stephen Jerry

Thorpe, Brad J.
Tonsmeire, Daniel L.
Tonsmeire, Frances
Tonsmeire, Robert C. (Mike)
Trefz, Delwyne Lee
Tubbs, Robert E., Jr.

Washer, Robert Drew
Weber, Chip
Wert, Cyrus R.
Wilkinson, Clayton H.
Windle, Eldon

Young, Neal Allen

Licenses extended, amended and denied from April 21 through May 23, 1977

EXTENDED

Outfitters

Berry, Randy - License amended to read "Qualified to guide YES, all licensed activities".

Epley, Ted - License extended to include FLOAT BOAT GUIDING on the Middle Fork of the Salmon River, Indian Creek to the confluence.

Lawson, Michael Jack - License extended to read "Qualified to guide YES, all licensed activities".

Guides

Monroe, Michael Leslie - License amended to include BOATMAN on the Main Salmon River, from Iron Creek to Middle Fork.

Munn, Rusty - License extended to include HUNTING: BIG GAME, BEAR/COUGAR AND PREDATORS for Outfitter, Dave Giles.

DENIALS

Outfitters

Barker, John A. K. - denied BACKPACKING as no area of description was submitted.

Beamer's Heller Bar Excursions - denied POWER BOATING on the Salmon River, from Spring Bar to the Snake River, as maximum number of outfitters licensed
Beuke, Wayne C., MA, Beamer's Heller Bar Excursions - denied POWER BOAT guiding on Salmon River as outfitter not licensed, and FLOAT BOATMAN guiding on the Middle Fork of the Salmon River as no log of experience submitted.

Buehler, Robert J., Jr. - denied FISHING AREA as Island Park Ranger has said the area has enough public use, and denied BACKPACKING as Forest Service requirement on application has not been completed.

Held, Floyd F. - denied POWER BOATING on the Clearwater River, as number of power boat outfitters licensed on that river is at maximum.

McCULLOUGH, KURT - denied FLOAT BOATING on the Main Salmon River from mouth of Middle Fork to Spring Bar, as the maximum number of outfitters are licensed.

Merrick, Robert A. - denied HUNTING: BIG GAME, BEAR, COUGAR AND PREDATORS as pursuant to Idaho Code 36-2109 (b-4), accessibility of the area, and 36-2109 (b-5), total number of outfitters licensed in area are licensed regarding hunting pressure, environment and harvest effect.

Supple, Daniel E. - previous denial reviewed, and PROBATIONARY LICENSE ISSUED.

Guides

Allred, James Jeff - denied LEAD BOATMAN status on the Main Salmon, Middle Fk. to Spring Bar, and on Selway, Bruneau and Owyhee Rivers, as no log of experience has been submitted.

Blackadar, Robert L. - denied LEAD BOATMAN status on the Main Salmon, Middle Fork to Spring Bar, as log submitted is incomplete.

DENIALS (continued)

Guides

- Brockette, Brian - denied FLOAT BOATING on Henry's Fork and South Fork of the Snake River as no log of experience has been submitted.
- Hanna, William R. - denied FLOAT BOATING on the Main Salmon from Iron Creek to Middle Fork, as no log of experience has been submitted.
- Heinecke, Perry R. - denied POWER BOATING on the Main Salmon from mouth of the Middle Fork to Spring Bar, and denied CROSS COUNTRY SKIING, day tours, as no log of experience has been submitted.
- Holmes, John Alvin - denied LEAD BOATMAN status on the Main Salmon from mouth of the Middle Fork to Spring Bar as no log of experience has been submitted.
- Krambeer, Larry Dennis - denied FLOAT BOATING on Henry's Fork and South Fork of the Snake River as not log of experience was submitted.
- LeMoyne, Henri - denied LEAD BOATMAN status on the Middle Fork of the Salmon River as no log of experience was submitted.
- LeMoyne, Russell - denied LEAD BOATMAN status on the Middle Fork of the Salmon River as no log of experience was submitted.
- Pond, Ralph C. - denied FLOAT BOATING on the Salmon River from Stanley to Challis as no log of experience was submitted.
- Ring, Terry William - denied FLOAT BOATING on the South Fork of the Snake R. as not log of experience was submitted.
- Ross, Robert T. - denied GUIDE LICENSE APPLICATION as pursuant to Idaho Code 36-2109 (c) and no log of experience was submitted. *issued later*
- Smith, Sebern J., MD - denied FLOAT BOATING on the Middle Fork of the Salmon River, and on the Main Salmon from Stanley to Challis, as no log of experience was submitted.
- Stone, Randy L. - denied LEAD BOATMAN status on the Middle Fork of the Salmon River and BOATMAN on the Main Salmon from Stanley to Challis as no log of experience was submitted.'
- Wert, Cyrus R. - denied LEAD BOATMAN status on the Main Salmon, Middle Fork to Spring Bar, as no log of experience was submitted.