

OUTFITTERS AND GUIDES BOARD

Boise, Idaho

June 20, 21, 22 & 23, 1977

The Outfitters and Guides Board convened on June 20, 1977 in Boise, at 8:45 a.m., with the following members present: James Baughman, Vice-Chairman, Lon Jarvis and Bill Guth--also Mike Wilkins, Investigator.

John Jones' license extention was discussed. Mike Wilkins stated he had proof Mr. Jones did not make the training trip...that he went downstream a few miles and spent the day. The board unanimously agreed to start procedure to revoke his license.

The status of Wayne England's license was discussed.

Mike Wilkins said John Vail (with James Katz), has nine trips booked.

Rex Lanham joined the meeting.

Mike Wilkins discussed with the board how the law is to be enforced. He said he went by the rules and regulations and also wants a board decision on problems, not just one board member making a decision. There was also a discussion on separate outfitter and guide licenses for outfitters who guide.

The guide licenses of John Moorhead and Edward Tudor, for Terry Andreessen was discussed.

Dan Hamilton, new M.A. applicant for Galena Lodge, reviewed his application with the board.

Mel Norrick and Steve Schaeffers met with the board to discuss the proposed rules and regulations, and after reviewing some, stated the proposed changes were all fine with them.

A telephone call from Cecil Sanford, Investigator, was received. He stated he had checked a Wilderness Encounters, Inc. training trip, where they had three boats lashed together with just two guides.

The board reviewed the proposed rules and regulations.

Recess at 12:00 for lunch and the formal hearing for the rules & regulations at the Fish and Game office, balance of the day.

TUESDAY, June 21

At 8:30 a.m., the board meeting reconvened with the following members present: Jim Baughman, Bill Guth and Lon Jarvis. Mike Wilkins was also present.

The proposed changes in the rules and regulations were discussed.

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Ron Chandler, outfitter applicant for Jerry Spear's area, met with the board. He was advised that he needed a signature from the Forest Service, a bond, and a copy of the sales agreement between himself and Jerry Spear, before his application would be complete.

Peter Simer of National Outdoor Leadership School of Lander, Wyoming, met with the board to inquire how the board determined he was a commercial outfitter and not a school, as he was considered a school in Wyoming. The board explained the Idaho law, and gave him a copy of the guidelines for determining commercial outfitters.

Recessed for lunch.

Reconvened at 1:15 p.m., with Rex Lanham, James Baughman, Lon Jarvis, and Bill Guth present.

A letter from Alvin Hincks about forest insurance was read--the Secretary was instructed to write him and tell him to contact his Forest Service supervisor about getting his insurance waived.

Discussion on changes in the rules and regulations was continued.

The board set the dates of July 25 and 26 for the next board meeting.

Eric Ryback met with the board to discuss his outfitter license application. He said he would be taking 26-day backpacking trips in June, July and August of each year. He has friends in Parks and Recreation who will help him with his guiding.

The board discussed Jim Campbell's outfitter operation.

Jim Higgins, applying for a managing agent's license and a corporation license for Sulphur Creek, met with the board to discuss that operation. He said it would be run like Allison Ranch, with groups of not more than 8 in the summer and about 7 hunters in the fall. Terry Beeler will run the ranch.

Dave Wishney, attorney for Grand Canyon Dories, met with the board to discuss the logs needed for their guide applicants. The board informed Wishney the bond for O'Niell and Rambo had not been posted, and would have to be if they planned to be used on their July 5th trip.

The board recessed at 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, June 22

The board reconvened at 8:30 a.m., with Rex Lanham, Jim Baughman, Lon Jarvis and Bill Guth present.

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The board discussed the unlicensed guide Paul Henry, for Albert Lockett, and decided to call Lockett in for a discussion.

Outfitter and guide license applications were reviewed. A list of all licenses approved, denied or extended since last meeting is at the end of the minutes and a part of these minutes.

Patrick Hawn's denied guide application to work for Ray Ralls, was reconsidered and issued.

Tony Bonner, Attorney, Scott Farr and Bruce Minter attended the meeting to request a corporation license and managing agent license for Farr, for the Big Creek Corporation. The board could not see any problems.

Ronald Hicks, who is applying for a fishing outfitter license, met with the board. The board could not see reason for disapproval.

James Campbell met with the board to discuss his outfitter license for float boating on the Main Salmon--as he has sold one Forest Service permit to Grand Canyon Dories. He was asked for a power of attorney for his secretary--if she is to sign papers for him. The board asked Mr. Campbell about lashing three boats together with only two licensed guides. He admitted doing this--stating he felt the trainees needed the independence.

Sam Blount talked to the board about outfitter requirements as he is considering buying the Idaho operation of Western River Outfitters for Jack Currey.

The board reviewed some more on the proposed rules and regulations changes and then recessed for lunch.

Reconvened at 1:15 p.m., following lunch, with the same board members present; and continued working on the rules and regulations.

The following motion was made by Bill Guth, "The board will approve the proposed rules and regulations as rewritten at this meeting, if no further written material is received in the ten day period allowed." Seconded by Lon Jarvis and passed unanimously.

The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

Letters from John Hill, complaining about Spence Warner illegally outfitting on the South Fork of Snake River; Division of Budget, on guidelines for legislative submission, Hunter Safety Program & water rights information; Office of the Governor, on Local Public Works Capital Development & Investment Program; two letters from Richard Linford of ECHO: The Wilderness Company, on a private trip on Main Salmon; Farmers Insurance Company, on reinstatement of Stanley A. Sweet's outfitter bond; Insurance Companies, cancelling Kimball bond, and Carter's bond; complains from Mr. Stoltjfus and

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Mr. Greenwell, on Chuck Overland; Frank Church; Ryan Hunt, about cougar hunters around Challis; Maurice Harding, conservation officer retiring; State Insurance Fund, on Workmen's Compensation Law; Idaho Personnel Commission, on changes in discretionary & meritorious increase policies; ECHO: The Wilderness Co., on new rules and regulations; Dave Giles, on permission to Gary Merritt to hunt in his area; BLM, with permission for Joe Leonard to commercially float boat on Owyhee River; and Steven Dupuis, for information on rivers in Idaho, were read.

All mail will be answered.

The board reviewed the list sent by Mike of guides John Vail took down the Salmon River.

Recessed at 5:20 p.m.

Thursday, June 23

The meeting reconvened at 8:30 a.m., with Rex Lanham, Chairman, Jim Baughman and Lon Jarvis present.

The board completed discussing the proposed rules and regulations and a copy will be sent to the Attorney General's office to be checked, to be sure all changes are legal.

Rex Lanham discussed the Forest Service insurance and the necessity of an insurance company to be formed by the association, with a 'hold harmless agreement with the Forest Service.

The agency liaison persons with the legislature will be Rex Lanham and James Baughman.

Letter from John Vail about his trip on Salmon River. He is to be informed that the trip could not be considered a training trip, as there were no licensed guides with the group.

A letter from Manderson L. Miles, about Ray Tarbox and the reply that was written; a letter written to Sunrise Scenic Tours, about licensing requirements were read. The news letter from the Forest Service, on waivers of insurance coverage requirement, was read.

The board approved the transfer of the guide license fee from Robert S. Melville to Richard Byars, as Mr. Melville will not be guiding in Idaho this year.

John Vail's outfitter application is to be returned to him for the Forest Service signature.

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The board reviewed Grand Canyon Dorries guide applications, but the training trips are not complete.

The meeting adjourned at 12:00 noon.

James F. Bangeman

Alaine Bobbitt, Sec.

APPROVED

Outfitters

Bernt, William C.
Big Western Pine Motel, Inc.
Chang, Curtis
Grand Canyon Dories, Inc.
Howell, F. W.
Seely, Clyde G.
Smith, Kenneth Lee
Three Bear Lodge, Inc.

Guides

Adams, Joseph H.
Allen, Walter R.
Anderson, Lori Kay
Anderton, Gregg
Bailey, Jill Ann
Bailet, Jay T.
Bailey, Susan Mary
Baker, Richard H.
Banducci, Donald Bruce
Barber, Sam
Bassett, Susan Pomeroy
Best, Guy Edward
Bitton, Kenly D.
Brim, Gregory Carl
Browning, Dan R.
Butterfield, Sandra

Campbell, Robert F.
Capps, Cammie
Clentzos, Peter D.
Close, Norman Roy
Conley, J. Cort
Copley, Russell W.
Cromer, Phillip

Dixon, Drake Diller
Dorr, Donald James
Dorr, Kenneth W.
Drury, Larry A.
Dupuis, Barbara P.

Edelberg, Rudy
Ellis, Loyd Evan, Jr.

Ferdon, Charles Walter

Gale, Steven Ward

Guides (continued)

Garnsey, Jack
Geaccone, Donald
Gehr, Christopher David
Gibbs, Peter
Gibson, Douglas
Gray, Frank J.

Hammel, Stephen Mark
Hansen, Judith Ann
Harbaugh, Mark S.
Hassinger, Linda
Hawley, Daniel H.
Hawn, Patrick Michael
Hayes, Peter
Heck, Ronald E.
Helfrich, Kenny R.
Hoffmaster, Richard Kenneth
Horner, Kevin D.
Hunley, Craig
Hurley, Paul L.

Irving, James S.

Jabens, Richard Lee
Jansak, Eugene
Johnson, J. C.

Keller, Scott C.
Kelly, Austin Emmett
Kelly, Robert F.
Kleven, Darian F.
Knauff, Daryl A.
Koslow, Stephen G.
Kutzscher, Bernd M.

Lagodich, Sergei Paul
Lane, James H.
Lawton Rebecca
Lempke, C. Bing
Lempke, Chris Dean
Lynn, William

McGuire, Lawrence Dean
Mancini, George
Mansfield, Timothy A.
Miller, Randy S.
Mitchell, Gerald E.
Monk, John O.
Montgomery, Richard
Moorhead, John Brett
Moyle, Kevin D.

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Guides (continued)

Nies, Stephen
Nitz, Edwina J.
Noyes, Ann Marie

Olsen, Christian

Paulson, Rodney D.
Persinger, Kenneth Ray
Piper, John Carter
Porter, Robert J.
Price, John Daniels

Rimbeaux, Billy Clyde
Ross, Robert T.

Sackett, Lee
Salo, William M.
Settles, Mac C.
Shine, Robert M.
Siem, Jerry
Slavin, William O.
Smart, Graeme Douglas
Smith, Jack P.
Snell, Dean
Steele, Donald R.
Steinmuller, George A., Jr.
Strunk, Donald R.
Studer, Florian Andre

Thomas, David
Tonsmeire, Edward C.
Troy, Thomas (Tim) J.
Tudor, Edward T.

Vermillion, Jim
Vice, Roger

Waite, Richard H.
Wasserman, Barry
Wert, Eric Christopher
Wheeler, Raymond
Wood, David M.
Wouda, Don

Young, Harvey J. B.
Youngs, Grant Barton, Jr.

Zanotti, Don B.

EXTENDED --(AMENDED AND CORRECTED)

Outfitters

Jones, John Robert - License extended to include guiding as LEAD BOATMAN on the Main Salmon River from mouth of Middle Fork to Spring Bar when he guides for outfitter licensed for that river.
Kovalik, Vladimir - License extended to include outfitting on MAIN SALMON, SPRING BAR TO SNAKE R
Masoner, Kenneth C. - License extended to include guiding as BOATMAN on Snake River from Hell's Canyon Dam to Lewiston, when guiding for an outfitter licensed for that river.
Smith, Robert (Bob) - License corrected to delete outfitting on MIDDLE FORK OF THE SALMON RIVER, as it was transferred to another outfitter.
License extended to include guiding as LEAD BOATMAN on Middle Fork of the Salmon River, when working for an outfitter licensed for that river
Wilderness Encounters, Inc. - License corrected to delete outfitting as FLOAT BOATING on the Main Salmon River from mouth of Middle Fork to Spring Bar, as sold business to another outfitter.

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Bernt, Bill - License amended to include BOATMAN on Main Salmon from Spring Bar to Snake River.
Brockette, Brian - License extended to include FLOAT BOATING on Henry's Fork of the Snake River
Gardner, Charles John, Jr. - License extended to include FLOAT BOATING on Main Salmon River from Buckskin Bills to Spring Bar.
Jester, James V. - License extended to LEAD BOATMAN on the Main Salmon River from mouth of the Middle Fork to Spring Bar.
Krambeer, Larry Dennis - License extended to FLOAT BOATING on Henry's Fork of the Snake River from Henry's Lake Outlet to St. Anthony.
Lee, James V. - License extended to include LEAD BOATMAN on Main Salmon from mouth of Middle Fork to Spring Bar, when guiding for an outfitter licensed for that section of the river.
Olsen, Stephen Richard - License extended to include BOATMAN on Middle Fork of the Salmon River
Slavin, Sam - License extended to include LEAD BOATMAN on Main Salmon from Corn Cr. to Mackay Bar.
Snell, Dean - License extended to BOATMAN on Main Salmon from Spring Bar to Snake River.

Licenses extended, amended, corrected and denied from May 24 through June 23, 1977 (continued)

EXTENDED --(AMENDED AND CORRECTED) continued

Guides (continued)

Steele, Donald R. - License extended to include BOATMAN on the Middle Fork of the Salmon River, when working for an outfitter licensed for that river.
Wise, Ronald - License extended to BOATMAN on Middle Fork of the Salmon River when guiding for an outfitter licensed for that river.

DENIED

Outfitters

Chang, Curtis - denied guiding on the MAIN SALMON FROM MOUTH OF MIDDLE FORK TO SPRING BAR as no log of experience has been submitted.

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Campbell, Robert F. - denied FLOAT BOATING on Main Salmon from mouth of Middle Fork to Spring Bar, as a log of experience has not been submitted.
Conley, J. Cort - denied GUIDING on Owyhee River as log submitted is for Orego
Dupuis, Barbara P. - denied FLOAT BOATING on the Selway River as a log of experience has not been received.
Hassinger, Linda - denied FLOAT BOATING on the Main Salmon River from Salmon City to mouth of the Middle Fork, as a log of experience has not received.
Hunley, Craig - denied LEAD BOATMAN status on the Middle Fork of the Salmon and on the Main Salmon River from Spring Bar to the Snake River, as no log of experience submitted.
Jansak, Eugene - denied FLOAT BOATING on the Owyhee River as log submitted was for trips made in Oregon.
Montgomery, Richard - denied LEAD BOATMAN status on the Main Salmon as a log of experience was not received.
Noyes, Ann Marie - denied FLOAT BOATING on the Main Salmon River from North Fork to Middle Fork and French Creek to Riggins, as a signed log of experience is needed.
Price, John Daniels - denied LEAD BOATMAN status on the Middle Fork of Salmon as a log of experience is needed.
Shine, Robert M. - denied FISHING in Idaho as Wyoming law states must be a resident, reciprocal agreement.
Slavin, William O. - denied FLOAT BOATING on the Middle Fork of the Salmon from Dagger Falls to Indian Creek as a log of experience is needed.
Tonsmeire, Edward C. - denied FLOAT BOATING on the Selway River as a log of experience is needed.
Troy, Thomas (Tim) J. - denied FLOATBOATING on the Middle Fork of the Salmon from Dagger Falls to Indian Creek as a log of experience is needed.