

MINUTES

Outfitters and Guides Board

Boise, Idaho

March 22, 23 and 24, 1983

Tuesday, March 22, at 0830 the Outfitters and Guides Board convened at their Boise office, with the following members in attendance: Chairman James Baughman, Glen Foster, Norman Guth and Robert Salter. Member Harry Vaughn was absent.

Revised minutes for January 19, 20 and 21, 1983 were read and by motion by Norman Guth and seconded by Glen Foster: THE MINUTES WERE ADOPTED AFTER SUGGESTED CORRECTION CONCERNING STANLEY POTTS.

Forrest Wilson, White Bird, Idaho appeared before the Board regarding a new application for a formerly licensed area he had released to Twitchell, in Fish and Game Units 14 and 19. Twitchell has discontinued licensing the area. Mr. Wilson is requesting big game, cougar hunting and summer lake fishing in the Slate Creek Ranger District only.

Montana outfitter Bruce Scott, Florence, came in about outfitting on a one-square mile of private property which is in the big game area licensed to Jack Wemple. He was advised that Mr. Wemple has big game hunting licensed exclusively, but the Board will research the balance of his request for fishing and trailriding into Parachutes and White Sands Lakes, which will extend his Montana business.

Outfitter Business included review of a violation issued to Sam Whitten for trapping, and the conservation officer's comments in Mr. Whitten's behalf; David Whitworth, Inkom was approved for a license for Hammerhead Outfitters, Inc., and the Board will notify the Governor's office of the approval, as requested; and the request for an extension of area for Rick Grunch was denied by Idaho Code 36-2109, b-1 and b-5, length of time outfitting and total amount of area already licensed.

James Powell, Meridian and Olin Gardiner, Ketchum appeared before the Board about their joint licensing as managing agents for Idaho Guide Service and Salmon River Guide Service. Olin will manage the float boating and Jim the power boating and hunting. They also requested an additional floating area on the Snake River, Salmon Falls Dam to Bliss Dam.

Bruce Colston, Boise, a former Mackay Bar Corporation guide, came in about his Fish and Game violation of catching a chinook salmon in closed season on the spawning grounds. His concern was for another guide license, but has not submitted an application.

Dean Hoff and Dave Deeds, Hayden Lake, Idaho appeared before the Board concerning their proposed new operation in Unit 4, for elk, deer, goat, bear & cougar hunting. Their main interest was for bear hunting, but understood the moratorium. The big game area requested is currently licensed, but cougar hunting will be investigated for licensing.

Howard Manly, Boise came in to meet with the Board again concerning licensing Big Creek Property Owners Assn., Ltd., with Dave Stucker as managing agent. Mr. Manly asked what was needed to complete his application and stated he wants to be legally licensed. He advised that litigation may be filed to clarify the law, if licensing is not approved, and suggests possibly the Property Owners Assn. may not come under the Outfitters and Guides Law.

The meeting recessed at 1740.

The members of the Board reconvened at 0830 on Wednesday, March 23, 1983, with all present except member, Harry Vaughn. The first business was discussion of law and interpretation of section 36-2102-(c) guides service to the "public", and determined to make the word insertion in a future change of the law.

David Markham of Boise, a new applicant for cross-country skiing, appeared before the Board concerning his proposed business of Venture Outdoors. He is requesting backpacking also for a summer business. Mr. Markham teaches skiing and was a former lead guide for Sawtooth Mountaineering.

Enforcement Officer Albert Lewis came in about his investigation cases for the Board. He noted that Custer County court had made restitution to the Board of \$475.00 plus \$125.00 in fine monies in the Brent Hansen case.

Additional enforcement work was reviewed which included the resignation of David Giles. He has resumed as outfitter managing agent for the Salmon River Lodge. His badge and citation books were returned. The Board determined the unused portions of the books will be returned to the Department of Fish and Game.

Old Business was reviewed which included the Matthew Mullaney files being lent to the Board for copying of old hearing case documents. Mr. Mullaney has also advised he is still available to work for the Board as a Hearing Officer if requested.

The Board discussed the increased interest in licensing of pheasant and water fowl hunting, and determined that the Benjamin and Bishop Hearing Case files will be researched and the Findings of Fact copied and supplied to the Governor's office.

Review of the Senate Bill No. 1047 showed it was passed by the Legislature and forwarded to the Governor for signing.

FS/BLM/F&G Business included a copy of a brochure submitted by Wally Meyer on Ram River Expeditions; the BLM Owyhee Management Plan draft and the Board's response; Big Creek Lodge Environmental Assessment by the Forest Service; and review of the David Bobbitt problem in securing a permit in Clearwater National Forest.

A recess was called at 1700.

Thursday, March 24, 1983, the same four members reconvened, and the new license for David Bobbitt was again considered, the the following motion was passed as was proposed by Robert Salter and seconded by Glen Foster: THAT, BY THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MARCH 31, 1983, A 1983-84 OUTFITTER'S LICENSE BE ISSUED TO MR. DAVID BOBBITT WITH THE SAME CONDITIONS AS THE ONE HE HELD IN 1982-83.

Gary Armacost, Council, Idaho appeared before the Board for consideration of an outfitter license in his proposed purchase of the Jim Zanelli business from the heirs. Mr. Armacost has a home at Oxbow and will jet boat his clients to Hell's Canyon Dam for the boating, and is requesting backpacking along with bird hunting and fishing on the river.

Jack Fury, Challis and wife, and Lewis Racine, Jr. met with the Board about their ranch in the Stanley area and their plan to apply for the Marilyn Mueller area. They explained their meeting with the Forest Service and found there would not be a permit available, so will refer their ranch guests to Marilyn for hunting.

Board Business was reviewed which include the expense and income for February. Telephone charges by Mountain Bell on office long distance calls will be investigated for the reason they are not included in the state's TELCOM calls.

Glen Foster moved, and Norman Guth seconded the following motion which was then adopted: THAT A BUDGET SUMMARY OF THE IMMEDIATE PAST ONE YEAR'S REVENUE AND EXPENSE BE MAILED WITH THE NEXT YEAR'S OUTFITTER LICENSE APPLICATIONS.

A format for adding the rules adopted December 4, 1982 to the rules pamphlets already printed was approved, and the secretary was instructed to have the addendum to the rules printed immediately.

The Board passed a motion proposed by Robert Salter and seconded by Glen Foster THAT A SUITABLE NUMBER OF APPROPRIATE CHAIRS BE OBTAINED TO EQUIP THE OFFICE.

Minutes were then read and passed on by motion by Norman Guth and by Glen Foster's second: THAT THE MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 22, 23, 24 AND 25, 1983 BE APPROVED AS READ.

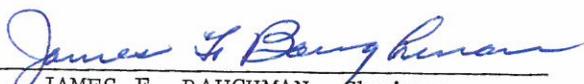
Outfitter Complaints included review of a letter from Mark Doliva in his complaint against Idaho River Co. that Richard Lingnaw had not contacted him as yet. A letter with information concerning the Ian Magee complaint was read which was received from outfitter Travis York. And the Board considered the proposal that outfitter Gerald Richie has made to his complainants, and it was resolved that the complainants would be contacted by the Board: THAT THE BOARD WANTS VERIFICATION THAT THE OFFER WAS MADE AND THE BOARD SUGGEST IT BE GIVEN SERIOUS CONSIDERATION.

Outfitter Business was finished. David Taff's letter advising he will not reapply was noted--a DA-8 license amendment fee will be refunded. The U-DO-IT trips being advertised by Hank Miller, Idaho Adventures, Inc. was considered very carefully. Hank will be contacted for further input in the Board's concern of untrained guiding on the rivers.

Thomas O. Webb, Macks Inn was approved for float boat licensing on the lower section of the Henry's Fork as it is the only space available. He relinquished his request for a upper river boating section on the Henry's Fork, by a telephone call to the Board chairman.

Area extensions requested by Hershel Coulter will be researched for license consideration, as well as the requests of both Terry Kayser and Richard Vander Meyden of Heron, Montana, for big game hunting in an area in Unit 4.

The meeting adjourned at 1800. A list of licenses issued, extended, amended or denied since the February board meeting follows as a part of these minutes.



JAMES F. BAUGHMAN, Chairman

ATTEST:



EDYTHE I. BLELE, Secretary

OUTFITTERS AND GUIDES LICENSES ISSUED, EXTENDED, AMENDED OR DENIED

February 19 - March 31, 1983
(1982-83 License Year)

LICENSES ISSUED

OUTFITTERS:

Steen, James W.	dba Steen's Wild River Tours
Vander Meyden, Richard Alan	M.A. for partnership with Richard A. Crain

GUIDES:

Paisley, Scott	Three Bear Lodge, Inc.
Rhoads, Jeff	Pebble Creek Ski Area Ltd.

LICENSES EXTENDED/AMENDED

OUTFITTERS:

none

GUIDES:

Tumelson, Thomas Clinton Jr.	Elk, bear and cougar hunting for Harvey Whitten
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LICENSES DENIED

none

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LICENSES ISSUED FOR 1983-84

OUTFITTERS:

Barker-Ewing Idaho, Inc.	Kasino Club, Inc.
Bernt, Bill	Kirk, William James
Briggs, Jack W.	Kooyers, Gerald P.
Callahan, William P., III	Lewis, Howard
Cole, Robert L.	Linford, Richard
Currey, Steven C.	Lockett, Albert dba Sawtooth Lodge
Currey (Steve) Expeditions, Inc.	McAfee, Dick dba Castle Creek Outfitters
Davis Del	McCallum, Edward A.
Drury, Omer H.	Mackay Bar Corporation
ECHO: The Wilderness Company #1	Mackay Bar - Mountain Air Float Trips
ECHO: The Wilderness Company #2	Madsen, Gary
Farr, Scott	Merrell, Don
Flying Resort Ranches, Inc.	Middle Fork Lodge, Inc.
Frontier Expeditions, Inc.	Mills, David F.
Gillett, Ron	Norris, Richard L.
Glacier Raft Company	Northwest River Company
Guth, Norman H.	Olson, George C.
Guth (Norman H.), Inc.	Olson, Ken
Haderlie, Vaughn	Piquet, Laren M.
Haderlie (Vaughn) and Sons	Rennie, Jim
Hatch, Don	Rocky Mountain River Tours, Inc. #1
Hatch (Don) River Expeditions, Inc.	Rocky Mountain River Tours, Inc. #2
Helfrich, Richard P.	Rogers, Loren G.
Herndon, James C.	Rugg, Ray
High Adventure River Tours, Inc.	Salmon River Challenge
Houghton, E. Edward	Sevy Guide Service, Inc.
Hughes, Jerry #1 dba Hughes River Expeditions	Sevy, Robert J.
Hughes, Jerry #2 dba Hughes River Expeditions	Shephard, Steven dba Salmon River Outfitters
Hughes, Mel dba Idaho River Expeditions	Sheridan, Merle M.
Hunt, Ed	Smith, Phillip Bub
Indian Creek Ranch, Inc.	Stone, Randy
Jacklin, Bob	Stoneman, Darwon
Jacklin's (Bob) Fly Shop, Inc.	Striker, James
Jafek, Ken	Swift, Gary C.
Jarvis, Leo	Tims, Douglas A.
Johnson, N. Wayne	Tonsmeire, Joseph Lewis
Jones, Howard R.	Tour West, Inc.

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OUTFITTERS: continued

University of Idaho Alumni Association

Vaughn, Ronald Keith

Walker, Jim dba Walker River
Expeditions

Wemple, Jack F. dba Wildlife
Outfitters

Wilderness River Outfitters and Trail
Expeditions, Inc.

Williams, David E.

Woods, Nolan F. dba Red Woods
Outfitter

York, W. Travis

York, Wally & Son, Inc.

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LICENSES ISSUED

GUIDES:

EMPLOYER:

Finley, Carole Jean

Jerry Hughes

Note: this license was issued for the 1983-84 license year.