

OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MINUTES
March 27, 2017
OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE
MURPHY, IDAHO

Present were Commissioners Aberasturi, Merrick and Hoagland, Clerk Barkell, Assessor Endicott, Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Blocksom, Indigent and Charity Director Evans, Sheriff Grant, Deputy Sheriff Bowman, Museum Director Amy Johnson, Jon Skinner, Deputy Treasurer Dygert, Natural Resources Director Desmond, Citizen and Sean Chaney with the Owyhee Avalanche.

At 8:30 a.m. The legal staffing portion of the meeting was held. No action was taken.

Commissioner Merrick made a motion to set the agenda. Seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

Commissioner Merrick made a motion to approve the minutes of the March 20th and March 23rd meetings. Seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

Commissioner Hoagland made a motion to donate \$250.00 to the 2017 Idaho Weed Awareness Campaign. Seconded by Commissioner Merrick. Motion carried.

Commissioner Hoagland made a motion to approve applying for the Idaho Small Airport Planning Study Grant in the amount of \$30,000 with no matching County funds. Seconded by Commissioner Merrick. Motion carried.

Commissioner Merrick made a motion to approve hiring Haylee Smith for the Treasures office at the rate \$12.95 per hour, beginning April 3rd. Seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

A request by Deputy Sheriff Bowman to purchase AED batteries and pads was tabled until a list of all devices can be provided.

Citizen Jon Skinner ask the Board if they had any reply from the BLM regarding his request for maintenance on Spivey Road. Commissioner Hoagland reported that they have not yet had a response and that Dale Nichols from Boise BLM said they would look into it. Commissioner Hoagland suggested that Mr. Skinner contact Dale Nichols directly.

Commissioner Hoagland made a motion to reappoint Bill Statham to Historical Preservation Committee for a 4 year term, ending December 31, 2020. Seconded by Commissioner Merrick. Motion carried.

At 9:50 a.m. Indigent and Charity Clerk Evans presented to the Board.

Commissioner Hoagland made a motion to place a lien on Indigent and Charity cases 17-13, 17-14, 17-15, 17-16 and 17-17. Seconded by Commissioner Merrick. Motion carried.

Commissioner Hoagland made a motion to deny Indigent and Charity case 17-09. Seconded by Commissioner Merrick. Motion carried.

Commissioner Merrick made a motion to deny Indigent and Charity case 17-10. Seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

Commissioner Merrick made a motion to approve Indigent and Charity case 17-16. Seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

At 10:30 a.m. Commissioner Merrick made a motion to go into executive session under Idaho Code Idaho Code 74-206(i) – Records exempt from disclosure. . Merrick – aye, Hoagland – aye, Aberasturi - aye. Motion was unanimous. No action was taken. The Board resumed open session at approximately 11:30 a.m.

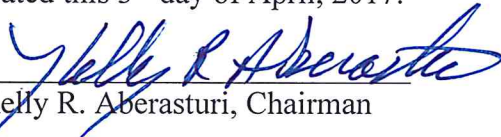
Natural Resource Director Desmond reported that he has not received any answer on the request for the extension of time submitted to the BLM regarding Canyonlands West and Grand View Travel Management Plans and suggested sending a comment just in case the request was not granted.

Commissioner Merrick made a motion to send a scoping comment regarding the Canyonlands West TMP to Lara Douglas, BLM. Seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.


Commissioner Merrick made a motion to send a scoping comment regarding the Grand View TMP to Lara Douglas, BLM. Seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at approximately 11:59 a.m.

Dated this 3rd day of April, 2017.


Kelly R. Aberasturi, Chairman

Attest: Angela Barkell, Clerk

By: 
Brook Russell, Deputy Clerk