

Canyon County Gun Range Advisory Board

MINUTES

Thursday, August 15, 2023 Meeting: #13

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Date: Thursday, August 15, 2024

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Location: Lake Lowell Park Office: 12996 Iowa Ave, Nampa, ID 83686

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Jim Nuzzo (Chairperson), Nathan Guy (Secretary), Bob Sobba, Lew Shaver, Mathew Andrew

RAB PURPOSE: The Board shall be an advisory body to the Board of County Commissioners, and its purpose shall be to make recommendations concerning the operation and administration of the County Gun Range.

RAB MISSION STATEMENT: The Range Advisory Board works to provide access to a sustainable, quality public shooting range that provides a safe, recreational facility that promotes responsible firearm activities and shooting experience for the citizens of Canyon County.

IN ATTENDANCE: (Quorum = 3/5 Advisory Board Members present in person)

- Jim Nuzzo (Chairperson, voting member)
- Nathan Guy (Secretary, voting member)
- Bob Sobba (voting member)
- Lew Shaver (voting member)
- Mathew Andrew (voting member)
- Greg Rast (non-voting advisory member – CC-COO)
- Captain Harold Patchett (non-voting advisory member - CCSO)
- Nicki Schwend (non-voting advisory member – CCPC&NR)
- Alex Eells (non-voting advisory member – CCPC&NR)
- Brian Crawforth (CCSO)
- Anthony Newton (Kimley>>>Horn)
- Kerry O’Neal (Owner of Total Range Solutions)
- Dale Jeffers (Upper Deer Flat Fire District Chief)

MEETING CHAIR:

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Meeting called to order by Jim Nuzzo

INTRODUCTIONS & OPENING REMARKS

ACTION: APPROVE MEETING MINUTES

- Meeting minutes were approved for the July 18th, Meeting # 12
 - Motion to Approve: Nathan
 - Seconded: Lew
- Motion
 - **Passed**
 - Amended

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- Review traffic counter for July 2nd- July 15th – Nampa Highway District #1
 - TRS liked the traffic study and the data that is provided. It helps with understanding usage of the Gun Range
- Continue brain storming ideas for Gun Range Plans
 - Nicki mentioned we have a 501 3C account where donations for the Gun Range can be collected.
 - Kerry mentioned we want to build a gun range were everyone wants to go there and we can review a variety of different plans of ranges TRS has completed
- Review proposal provided by Kimley>>>Horn
- Next steps in planning/design process
 - Contract needs signed off then contractors can begin services
- Nathan was able to speak with NRA and the Fish and Game related to grant opportunities
 - In the next couple months is when it would be a good time to develop grant applications

ACTION ITEMS:

- NONE

AGENDA ITEMS NEXT MEETING

- Review range designs and concepts to decide on type of public gun range we would like
- Make recommendations to contractors on the type of range design we would like to see

ADJOURN: 7:20 p.m.

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

Thursday, August 22, 2024, 6pm,

Lake Lowell Parks Office: 12996 Iowa Ave, Nampa, ID 83686

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