

# Canyon County Gun Range Advisory Board

## MINUTES

Thursday, August 22, 2024 Meeting: #14

### Meeting #14

**Date:** Thursday, August 22, 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 Crawford (CCSO)
- Anthony Newton (Kimley>>>Horn) – Attended through zoom
- Kerry O’Neal (Owner of Total Range Solutions)
- Dale Jeffers (Upper Deer Flat Fire District Chief)

### MEETING CHAIR:

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## **INTRODUCTIONS & OPENING REMARKS**

### **ACTION: APPROVE MEETING MINUTES**

- Meeting minutes were approved for the August 15<sup>th</sup>, Meeting # 13
  - Motion to Approve: Nathan
  - Seconded: Lew
- Motion
  - Passed
  - Amended

### **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

- We now have a signed contract for Architecture/Engineering Services for four-year phased plans
- Discussion continued from August 15<sup>th</sup> Range Advisory Board meeting on ideas for Public Gun Range
  - Kerry with Total Range Services (TRS) discussed his experience with building Gun Ranges
  - Kerry brought samples of sound proofing material and ballistic rubber that is used for backstops at Ranges
    - Ballistic rubber is reused rubber from tires which Kerry owns a patent for
  - Multiple examples of designs, concepts, and photos of ranges were provided at the meeting to help promote discussion and help make decisions
  - Anthony with Kimley>>>Horn attended the meeting through zoom and was able to display his screen which showed live Auto CAD drawings of the public range
    - Anthony was able to make changes to the range layout to help the Range Advisory Board make decisions on the public range layout

### **ACTION ITEM: (No decisions were made for this action item)**

- Consider recommending potential range design features to Kimley>>>Horn and Total Range Services for the public gun range

### **AGENDA ITEMS NEXT MEETING**

- There will be weekly meetings on Thursday evenings until the end of September that way we are on track to receive design services that are part of the contract

**ADJOURN: 7:14 p.m.**

### **NEXT COUNCIL MEETING**

Thursday, August 29, 2024, 6pm,

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

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