



Idaho State Association of County Coroners Business Meeting Minutes

Riverside Hotel, Boise, Idaho | Friday, September 29, 2023

Members Present - 21

Rich Riffle, Ada County
Sue Warner, Adams County
Torey Danner, Bannock County
Pamela Garlock, Boise County
Craig Rinehart, Cassia County
Brenda Laird, Clark County
Dennis Fuller, Clearwater County
Chad Workman, Custer County
Brenda Dye, Fremont County
John Buck, Gem County
PJ Curtis, Gooding County

Cody Funk, Idaho County
LaVar Summers, Jefferson County
Mike Ernest, Lemhi County
Mike Piper, Lincoln County
Sam Butikofer, Madison County
Lucky Bourn, Minidoka County
Mark Rose, Power County
Theresa Lerch, Teton County
Scott Carver, Valley County
Gary Jensen, Washington County

Members Absent - 23

Chad Walker, Bear Lake County
Carrie Nordin, Benewah County
Jimmy Roberts, Bingham County
Russ Mikel, Blaine County
Robert Beers, Bonner County
Rick Taylor, Bonneville County
Chad Workman, Boundary County
Tara Parsons, Butte County
Wesley Walker, Camas County
Jennifer Crawford, Canyon County
Jacob Fullmer, Caribou County
Nickie Campbell, Elmore County

Ron Smellie, Franklin County
Dan Chatterton, Jerome County
Duke Johnson, Kootenai County
Catherine Mabbutt, Latah County
Bruce Long, Lewis County
Joshua Hall, Nez Perce County
Brad Horsley, Oneida County
Aaron Tines, Owyhee County
Ethan Mittelstadt, Payette County
Rick Smith, Shoshone County
Gene Turley, Twin Falls County

Others Present

Brett Harding, Ada County
Terry Bell, Cassia County
Molly Hillman, Fremont County
Jeanie Harris, Gem County
Anna Short, Gem County

Muggy Hafen, Gem County
Kristin Cundiff, IAC
Rebecca Wood, Lincoln County
Lois Rinehart, Cassia County

I. Call to Order & Roll Call

Rinehart called the meeting to order at 8:02 am on Friday, September 29, 2023. 21 members were present and 23 members were absent.

II. Legislative Update

Scott Carver provided a legislative update for the members. There were 11 legislative resolutions that passed through their germane committee, the legislative committee, and the full IAC membership business meeting. The IAC Legislative Committee will meet in the next few weeks to determine which five resolutions will be IAC's priorities for 2024. There were no resolutions that affected coroners directly.

III. FY2024 ISACC Budget

President Rinehart reviewed the ISACC proposed budget for 2024. He stated that we are behind on our payments from Vital Statistics but that we're working with them to receive our funds.

Buck moved to accept the budget proposal, Garlock seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

IV. IACME Proposal for Basic ABMDI Class

The ISACC Board has been working with IACME on the potential for their organization to plan a basic ABMDI class in Idaho. The idea is that we could have more deputies attend and pass their ABMDI test. We've also discussed getting the course POST certified so law enforcement could attend and receive continuing education.

The membership discussed the idea of holding a basic class in Idaho. A few of the members mentioned the idea of presenting the full course online. Virtual training might work better for those deputies who can't make it to a two or three day training. After discussion, the membership deferred back to the board to make a decision. The board will meet soon to decide on the proposal.

V. Future ISACC Meetings

Another idea that came up in the ISACC Board meeting was to hold ISACC at the same time as IAC. This would allow the coroners time to meet with their commissioners, attend the general sessions, and then breakout into trainings or workshops throughout the conference. Carver mentioned the networking was really important for him, not only with his commissioners but also meeting other elected officials and hearing the successes or challenges that others face in their counties.

VI. Elections for Officers

President Rinehart opened up the floor for nominations for 2nd Vice President.

Ernest moved to nominate Sam Butikofer for 2nd Vice President, Danner seconded.

Piper moved to nominate Mike Ernest for 2nd Vice President. Ernest declined.

Buck nominated Chad Workman (Custer) for 2nd Vice President, Summers seconded.

Nominations were closed. A paper ballot was cast and Sam Butikofer was the successful candidate.

President Rinehart opened up the floor for nominations for the other board positions.

Warner nominated John Buck, Garlock seconded. Bourn closed nominations, Piper seconded. Motion to approve was unanimous.

Bourn nominated Carrie Nordin for District 1 and Sue Warner for District 3, Buck seconded. Motion to approve was unanimous.

Bourn nominated Torey Danner to represent District 5, Garlock seconded. Motion to approve was unanimous.

Meeting adjourned at 8:57 am.