



Idaho State Association of County Coroners Joint Board & Education Meeting Minutes

Via Google Meet | March 13, 2024

Board Members Present

Pamela Garlock, Boise County, President
Torey Danner, Bannock County, 1st Vice President
Sam Butikofer, Madison County, 2nd Vice President
Craig Rinehart, Cassia County, Past President
Carrie Nordin, Benewah County, District 1 Rep

Cody Funke, Idaho County, District 2 Rep
Sue Warner, Adams County, District 3 Rep
Lucky Bourn, Minidoka County, District 4 Rep
Mike Ernest, Lemhi County Coroner, District 6 Rep
John Buck, Gem County, At Large

Board Members Absent

None

Others Present

Kristin Cundiff, IAC
Brett Harding, Ada County

I. Call to Order - ISACC Board of Directors

President Garlock called the ISACC Board meeting to order at 1:00 pm MT. 10 Board members were present, 0 absent.

II. Review of OPE (Office of Performance Evaluation) Report on Coroners in Idaho

President Garlock turned the meeting over to 1st Vice President Torey Danner since he was present when the report was presented to the legislature.

The Office of Performance Evaluation's Casey Petit, Senior Evaluator, presented the final report "County Coroners and Death Investigations" to the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee (JLOC) on February 29, 2024. Minutes for the report: <https://legislature.idaho.gov/wp-content/uploads/OPE/JLOCMinutes/240229%20Minutes.pdf>.

Danner was present for the full presentation informed the Board that the feedback from the committee was positive. Moving forward, JLOC would like to continue to be involved in finding solutions to improve the office of the coroner and death investigations in Idaho. They requested that Danner meet with the membership and bring back the top ten changes they would like to see made in the next few years.

The Board discussed how to best get the input from the full membership. It was decided that the board members would turn in their top 10-20 major issues that they see need to be addressed to Kristin. Kristin will put together a document for the board to review at their next meeting on Friday, March 22. Once the Board decides on 10-20 issues, those issues will be emailed out to the full membership to be ranked in order of importance. The board was instructed to send their changes to Kristin by Monday, March 18.

Meeting adjourned at 1:58 pm MT.