IDAHO APPELLATE PRACTICE SECTION

Minutes of Council Meeting, July 9, 2015, 12:00 p.m.

Chairman Christopher Pooser presided. Vice-Chair Christine Salmi and Council Members Jessica Lorello, Cathy Derden, Brian Dickson, Brian Church, Stephen Adams present.

1. Secretary/Treasurer's Report

- a. Meeting minutes for May and June 2015 meetings approved.
- b. No new budget information has been received.

2. Revisit June 2015 Member Meeting

a. Approximately 15 people attended the June 2015 member meeting, which included a CLE by Judge Sticklen

3. <u>Idaho Appellate Law Handbook</u>

- a. 13 of the 14 chapters have completed or are in the final phases of formatting and editing.
- b. Derden suggested that if we do not use all of the \$3,000 from U of I for handbook related expenses, perhaps we can use the remainder for the CLE in October or for advertising for the handbook.
- c. The handbook will be distributed on a thumb drive and can be sold at the October CLE.
- d. We may consider a joint price for the handbook and the CLE.

4. CLE Subcommittee

- a. Church reported that Burnett and Seamon are confirmed speakers for the CLE. Other speaker options were discussed.
- b. The CLE subcommittee is meeting again next week and will discuss pricing and marketing options for the CLE
- c. Planning for 2015 Lunch CLEs Sept. 10, and Dec. 10: the Council decided to cancel the September meeting due to the October CLE. Since the October CLE does not include any ethics credits, the December CLE will likely focus on ethics.
- d. The CLE will be broadcast at U of I in Moscow. Dickson suggested also broadcasting to the U of I satellite in Idaho Falls.

5. Advocate Subcommittee

a. The articles have been submitted to The Advocate and are "good to go." There will be excerpts of some of the chapters from the handbook with an introduction.

6. Other Section Activities/Misc. Issues

- a. Received thank you note from Edith Pacillo and Attorneys for Civic Education for \$50 donation.
- b. Pooser received a request from IVLP for a pro bono attorney to handle a divorce case. If anyone is interested or knows someone who would be, let him know.
- c. Status of weekly opinion notice: no new issues.

- Status of IAPS calendar (Stephen): no new issues. Status of website: no new issues. d.
- e.
- Pooser will send updated contact list. f.

Adjourned 12:55.