## **MINUTES**

# Government & Public Sector Lawyers Section Thursday, December 4, 2014 ● Noon ● ISB Law Center, 525 West Jefferson, Boise

#### I. Call to Order, Introductions

President Emily Kane called the meeting to order at noon on Thursday, December 4, 2014. Those attending in person were: Don Howell, Edith Pacillo, Paul Kime, Emily Kane, Texie Evans, Stephanie Christensen, Brian Benjamin, Emily MacMaster, and Steve Olsen. Those attending via phone were: Andrea Pogue, Scott Keim, Angela Kaufmann, Joe Gibberman, Brian Werst, Dave Wynkoop, and Teresa Baker.

#### II. Minutes of November 6, 2014 meeting

Emily MacMaster moved that the minutes of the November 6 meeting be approved as prepared by Emily Kane. Texie seconded the motion. Vote in favor of the motion was unanimous.

#### **III. New Business**

There was no new business.

#### **IV. Old Business**

Angela Kaufmann reported that the section's sponsorship of the February edition of the *Advocate* is well in hand. Articles will be submitted by Cally Young (regarding public records requests), Judge Lansing (regarding civics education as pro bono work), Don Burnett (regarding the public's perception of the judiciary), Lawrence Wasden (regarding the We the People competition), and Ben Ysursa (regarding the importance of civic education to government and elections).

#### V. CLE

Edith Pacillo, representing Attorneys for Civic Education (ACE), provided a 45-minute CLE entitled "Helping Aspiring Government Lawyers Meet Their Pro Bono Aspirations, While Helping Idaho's Schoolchildren Understand Their Government." Emily Kane will apply for ethics credit due to tie-in with IRPC 6.1.

### V. Adjourn; upcoming meetings/events

The January section meeting will be cancelled. The next meeting will be on Thursday, February 5, 2015, at noon, at the ISB Law Center (525 West Jefferson, Boise, Idaho). Emily Kane adjourned the meeting at 1:00 p.m.