

Governing Council Meeting
ISB Child Protection Section
January 21, 2025 // Noon – 1:00 p.m. (MT Time)
via Zoom
MINUTES

1. Welcome – Meeting began 12:01pm MST.
2. Review & Approval of Minutes from October 2024 and December 2024 GC Meetings
 - a. Both approved unanimously.
3. Treasurer's Report- The Section Has a cash balance of just over \$5,000, and we are under the carry over limit so we are not required to spend any funds at this time. We will likely discuss the budget next month.
4. Old Business
 - a. U of I Law School Section Fair report – The fair went well in both locations.
 - b. CLE schedule, additions/concerns – discussed the January and February 2025. Jessalyn's presentation on sibling representation will take place in May 2025 due to scheduling.
 - i. Discussed March CLE. Merritt suggested federal legislation/administration changes. Jessalyn suggests Disability Rights Idaho presenting on the ADA and child protection cases. Jessalyn to reach out to DRI, and Amey to reach out to her contact, to discuss ADA in CPA sections. Jessalyn mentioned a presentation about *Ingram v. Mouser*. Judge Ellis mentioned the Idaho Juvenile Rule changes in response to *Ingram* were approved by the Idaho Supreme Court. Judge Ellis offered to present on *Ingram* impacted changes from a judicial standpoint in March 2025.
 - c. Jan/Feb 2026 Advocate issue, we should be on the lookout for ideas and authors, the Bar will need this info later this year.
5. New Business

- a. Interest in collaborating on CLE w/ other sections in future?
 - b. CFI is scheduled to be held on April 17 and 18, 2025 in Boise.
6. Announcements
- a. Next General Section Meeting is January 24, 2025. CLE will be a presentation on the Parents for Parents pilot program, presented by Tawny Welch.

Meeting adjourned at 12:25pm MST.

Next Meeting: *The next Governing Council meeting will be held Tuesday, February 18, 2025, from Noon to 1:00 p.m. Mountain Time. Zoom link information remains the same from one meeting to the next.*