

COMMERCIAL LAW & BANKRUPTCY SECTION MEETING

15 June, 2022

MINUTES

Members Present:

Patrick Geile

Tecla Druffel

Matt Christensen

Brian Tucker

Reed Cotten

JB Evans

Jeff Andrews

Non-Board Members Present: Teresa Baker

1. Welcome: Patrick Geile- The Meeting was called to Order, and it was determined that a quorum was present.
2. Minutes: The Minutes for the May 18, 2022 meeting were presented for approval. Patrick moved to approve the minutes as presented, JB seconded. There being no objection, the minutes were approved.
3. Financials: The issue was passed and will remain on the agenda.
4. Brown Bag CLE-:

The discussion then proceeded to the Brown Bag Cle programing. Matt will provide and update regarding the July presentation. It was discussed that Judge Meier proposed alternate month programming with the bench sponsored programming. The Topic will remain on the agenda.

5. 2023 Seminar – Brian

Brian updated the Board on progress of Winter Bankruptcy Seminar scheduled for February 2, 2023, through February 4, 2023. The location will be Idaho Falls. The Hilton Garden Inn is the selected venue to accommodate attendees with conference space reserved at the new convention center.

Seminar Topics.

While the seminar agenda is still in progress, the following topics were discussed as having potential for presentation or otherwise will be part of the program:

- a. The judge's clerks will be presenting;
- b. JB is willing to host Jeopardy;
- c. Tara Twomey (CNCLC and NCBRC) had been contacted and agreed to attend and present;
- d. Judges Panel it was discussed that Suzanne Hickock would be the likely contact person, Judge Pappas's attendance would be explored, Judge Hursh from Montana was a candidate, JB would explore Utah contacts, that someone from the Eastern Washington bench would likely be contacted for availability;

Prior topics that have been discussed

- e. homesteads
- f. Conversions;
- g. Practical- balancing the practice with personal wellness.

After discussion, it was determined that everything is progressing and broadly the matter will remain on agenda for future discussion.

6. Annual Meeting Idaho State Bar Twin Falls 7/20/22-7/22/22

It was anticipated that an update will be provided regarding the section presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Idaho State Bar Association. The matter will remain on the agenda for any future discussion.

7. New Business/Update

Summer Board Meetings. It is noted that the Board will be in recess for the month of July, 2022. The matter will remain on the agenda for future discussion.

There being no further business, Patrick suggested that the meeting be adjourned and upon motion made, seconded, and unanimously approved, the Meeting was adjourned.