## **MINUTES**

## Professionalism & Ethics Section Tuesday, August 5, 2025

- **Noon 12:55 pm MDT**
- I. Call to Order (Chair Larry Hunter) and Introductions: Bob Aldridge, David Ballard, Jo Beeman, Sarah Davis, Jim Dickinson, Monica Fabbi, Jonathan Gradin, Michael Hanby, Larry Hunter, Dan Knowlton, Greg LeDonne, Sherry Morgan, Justin Porter, Floyd Swanton, Morgan Swegles, Jeffery Ventrella, and Jaron Whitehead. (17 total)
- II. Minutes for the Tuesday, June 3, 2025 section meeting read by Jo Beeman and approved.
- III. Financial Update from Treasurer Bob Aldridge
  - A. No change from May meeting.
  - B. Always need new members.
  - C. Ethical Happy Hour will be a good venue to encourage membership in the Professionalism and Ethics section.

## IV. Old Business

- A. Future Meetings and CLE presentations
  - 1. October 7th: Bob Aldridge will present CLE.
  - 2. December 2nd: CLE will be presented; speaker to be determined.
- **B.** Ethical Happy Hour
  - 1. Will be sponsored with the Young Lawyers Section;
  - 2. Brad Andrews and Steve Herring are working with the State Bar office on setting a date and location.
- C. Dick Fields Civility Award
  - 1. Nominations are still open and encouraged.
  - 2. Will be entitled 2024/2025 Civility Award.
  - 3. The award will be presented during the annual road show (early November) in the district where the honored attorney is a member.
- V. No new business.
- VI. CLE presentation: Typography for Lawyers Jonathan D. Gradin, Pedersen Whitehead & Hanby
- VII. Adjourn 12:55 pm (Next Meeting: Tuesday, October 7, 2025, 12:00 p.m. MDT)