

Idaho State Bar Commercial Law and Bankruptcy Section

Governing Council Meeting Minutes

Date	September 16, 2026
Time	4:00 p.m. to 5:08 p.m. Mountain Time
Attendees	Jon Brian "J.B." Evans, Tecla E. Druffel, Rhett M. Miller, Holly E. Sutherland, Julia C. Schoffstall, Heidi Buck Morrison, Matthew T. Christensen, and Teresa Baker

Welcome and Call to Order

The Governing Council meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m. Mountain Time.

Previous Minutes

Rhett will circulate the minutes from the previous meeting.

Section Finances

The Section remains in the black, with a balance of just over \$10,000. An updated financial report will be requested for presentation at the next meeting.

Upcoming Section Fair

The Section Fair is scheduled for September 23, 2026, in Boise.

- Holly Sutherland will attend on behalf of the Section.
- The Section will sponsor two \$25 gift cards.

Practice Section Council Officer Orientation

The officer orientation is scheduled for September 21, 2026, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Idaho State Bar office in Boise, with remote attendance available by Zoom.

The Advocate

The Council discussed the opportunity for the Section to host an issue of The Advocate. Further coordination will be required before proceeding.

Brown Bag CLE

The Council discussed using current cases as the subject of a future Brown Bag CLE.

Seminar Update

Tecla presented a draft seminar outline.

Historical Project

J.B. will check in with Dave Swartley before the next meeting, and the Council will continue considering whether to form an active committee, solicit participation from Section members, and confirm the project's next steps.

Next Meeting

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 21, 2026, at 4:00 p.m. Mountain Time.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 5:08 p.m. Mountain Time.