

**IDAHO APPELLATE PRACTICE SECTION**  
**MEMBER MEETING – April 12, 2018, 12:00 p.m.**  
Minutes

Location: Idaho State Bar Office 525 W. Jefferson, Boise, ID 83702

Attending: See sign in sheet, attached

Section Chair Brian Dickson, presiding.

**1. Welcome**

Brian Dickson, Section Chair, greeted attendees & gave opening comments

**2. Elections**

Brian introduced the slate of candidates for the six (6) **uncontested openings** on the Council; **members voted to approve slate and to elect to the Council**:

Officers:

**Chairperson – Brian Dickson (SAPD)**

**Vice Chair – Syrena Hargrove (Office of U.S. Attorney)**

**Secretary/Treasurer – Kim Coster (SAPD)**

Court Liaison at-large:

Emily Joyce – law clerk to Judge Gutierrez, Court of Appeals

At Large Members (to serve out the two open one-year terms):

**Ben McGreevy (SAPD)**

**Ted Tollefson (AG's Office)**

Brian advised of a **forthcoming electronic ballot for the contested election** (i.e., two openings, three candidates) which will be sent via email, to fill the two Council-Member-At-Large positions; the three (3) candidates, in alphabetical order, are:

Brian Church (AG's Office)

Christopher Graham (Jones, Gledhill, Fuhrman, Gourley)

Will Smith (Hawley Troxell)

Brian then acknowledged and thanked the following Council members who are stepping away from the Council: Christopher Pooser, Cheryl Rambo, Lars Lundberg, Corey Stegelmeier. We wish them well & hope they stay close!

**3. Upcoming Events**

**May Edition of *The Advocate***

Brian acknowledged and thanked the contributing authors: Stephen Adams; Debora Kristensen; Leslie Hayes & Brian Nickels; and Corey Stegelmeier & Kolby Reddish; and the internal editing committee: Christopher pooser, Christin Salmi, and Stephen Adams.

Brian invited all interested members to consider participating as authors or editors in future editions, as this is something the IAPS is interested in doing again.

**Supersedeas Bonds CLE @ ISB Annual Meeting**

Brian announced the CLE & invited members to help with the event

**\*Post-event remarks re April 19ths - Meet & Greet with the Appellate Judges**

Brian also described for members this roaringly-successful event at which Justice Bevan presented remarks and first drink plus food was hosted

**4. Member Business**

Award Presentation to IAPS: ISB deputy director Mamood Sheikh presented our Section with the Bar's "Section of the Year" Award. Mamood cited the IAPS's valuable contribution, e.g., CLEs, publication, Handbook and strong membership as reason for selection for this year's Award.

**5. CLE Presentation** - Cathy Derden presented information on Rule 54(b) Certificates; Cathy also provided overview of Supreme Court's new e-filing rules, noting the rules have been officially adopted, though "effective date" is TBD - stay tuned.

**6. Adjournment** - upon conclusion of Cathy's presentation, the member meeting was adjourned.

**7. Upcoming Meetings:**

Governing Council - May 10, 2018 @ Perkins Coie

Member Meeting - June 14, 2018 @ ISB Offices - feature CLE presentation by retired Justice Jim Jones on the Abuse of Discretion Standard of Review