

IDAHO APPELLATE PRACTICE SECTION
Minutes of August 8, 2016 meeting, 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

In attendance: Christine Salmi (chair), Jessica Lorello, Stephen Kenyon, Brian Dickson and Brian Church.

1. Secured approval of minutes for May 12, 2016 meeting - moved by Brian Dickson, second by Jessica Lorello.
2. Discussion of up-coming CLEs and other Bar activities
 - Discussed possibility of hosting a dinner/lunch reception between Idaho appellate judges and members of the Fourth District Bar in March 2017. Considered including a CLE component or roundtable discussion between bar members and appellate judges to discuss causes/concerns related to increased decline in appellate filings.
 - Briefly discussed Idaho federal bar conference CLE presentations scheduled for Fort Hall on September 23, 2016 and Boise on October 28, 2016. C. Salmi will follow-up with S. Hargrove and D. Kristensen to obtain update on event details and determine where assistance may be needed.
 - Remaining CLE lunch meetings for 2016 include B. Dominick's presentation regarding appellate oral argument on September 8, 2016, and possible ethics CLE for December 2016 lunch meeting. C. Salmi to follow-up with S. Adams regarding specifics of December CLE.
 - Next year's Idaho State Bar conference will be held during second week in July in Moscow; need to explore options for IAPS' participation in Moscow conference.
 - Discussed need to identify/explore in more detail potential CLE topics and presenters for 2017 at next governing council meeting in October 2016.
3. Discussion of IAPS' July 2016 breakfast reception – reception was well attended by attorneys and judges, with good opening remarks by Chief Justice Jim Jones.
4. Pending Requests for Donations
 - Discussed requests for donations from Access to Justice, Love the Law program, Concordia and possible pro bono appeal program.
 - Consensus was to defer voting on donation requests until next governing council meeting on October 13, 2016, when more governing council members are present.