



STOREY COUNTY WILDLIFE ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

Wednesday, January 28th 2015 @ 4:30 P.M.

ICE HOUSE

110 EAST TOLL ROAD, VIRGINIA CITY, NEVADA

AGENDA

MEMBERS: GREG HESS, CHAIRMAN; RICH BACUS, VICE-CHAIRMAN; ROB DUFRESNE; BILL CLARKE; GREG "BUM" HESS; DENY DOTSON, CLERK-TREASURER

CALL TO ORDER AT 4:30 P.M.

*Meeting called to order @ 4:35pm by Chairman Greg Hess
Present: Gregg Hess, Rob Dufresne, Greg "Bum" Hess, Deny Dotson, Carl Lackey, Jake Kramer and Dave Silva*

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC COMMENT

No Public Comment

CONSENT AGENDA

***Approval of Agenda for January, 28th, 2015**

***Review & Approval of Minutes for April 28, 2014**

Motion to approve Consent agenda by Greg "Bum" Hess / Second by Deny Dotson / Motion carried: all ayes

AGENDA ITEMS:

***DISCUSSION/POSSIBLE ACTION:**

Appointment of officers:

Chair; Vice Chair; Secretary-Treasurer

Rob Dufresne motioned to keep Greg Hess as Chairman, Rich Bacus as Vice-Chair and appoint Deny Dotson as Secretary-Treasurer; Second by Bum Hess; motion carried: all ayes

***DISCUSSION ONLY:**

NDOW; Update on Bighorn sheep reintroduction into Storey County

Carl Lackey updated the board saying that the total population was approx. 80 head w/ two separate groups. He also stated that the NBU was in the process of putting up signs to help detour trespassing on TRI.

***DISCUSSION/POSSIBLE ACTION:**

2015 Big Game Season Recommendation(s) for:

- Resident Junior Mule Deer, any legal weapon
- Resident Nelson Desert Bighorn, any legal weapon
- Resident & Nonresident Mule Deer, any legal weapon
- Resident & Nonresident Mule Deer, Muzzleloader
- Resident & Nonresident Mule Deer, Archery
- Resident & Nonresident Black Bear Season

Lackey explained that the sheep season still needed to work out a few landowner issues and that language would need to be included pertaining to hunting access for any sheep tag holder.

Bum Hess stated that there has been a definite improvement in the deer herd and buck to doe ratios since moving the season up a few years ago.

Bum Hess motioned to approved the suggested seasons by NDOW for all unit 195 species / Dufresne second / Motion carried: all ayes

***DISCUSSION ONLY:**

BLM Draft Resource Plan for Storey County

Board was presented BLM plan. Lackey commented that there were several alternatives and that much it the plan still needed to be worked out. Dotson commented on the need for clearer signage along the Truckee river / TRI corridor.

*** DISCUSSION ONLY: FUTURE MEETINGS AND AGENDA ITEMS**

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BOARD COMMENT

None

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5:02pm

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By _____
Deny Dotson, Clerk-Treasurer