

Minutes of the Mineral County Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife Meeting-Draft Minutes

Date & Time: Monday September 21, 2020 at 6:00 PM

Location : EOC Building 205 South 'A' St, Hawthorne, Nv - Training Room

Present: Glenn Bunch, Chairman,

Members Present: Billie Williams Jr., Wayne Larson,

Marlene Bunch – Adm Assist.

Absent: Darren Hamrey, Johnny Peterson

Public Present: None

The meeting was brought to order by Glenn Bunch, Chairman at 6:06 PM

- 1* **Commission Regulation 20-01, Amendment #1, Fishing Seasons Regulations for January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021.** The board will discuss and make recommendations to the Commission as they will consider amending Commission Regulation 20-01 to remove the fishing season closure and modify the harvest limits for mountain whitefish and warmwater game fish other than black bass for Topaz Lake in Douglas County; to modify the game fish harvest limit for Lake Tahoe and tributaries in Douglas, Carson City and Washoe Counties to remove the reference to mackinaw or lake trout; and to adopt a limit of three game fish for Seeman Pond in Douglas County.

Glenn Read the report as provided by the Dept relative to the change in Lake Tahoe to 5 game fish. Topaz Lake to be open year round
And Seeman Pond added.

The Board reviewed the recommendations from the Dept.

The Board was glad to hear that Topaz Lake is being recommended to be open year round..

Also read to the Board the recommendation that was submitted by Darren Hamrey, Member.

After further discussion:

It was moved by Billie Williams, Seconded by Wayne Larson to support the recommendation as presented by the Dept. Motion Carried.

- 2* **Commission General Regulation Workshop**

A.* **Commission General Regulation 494, NAC 501 Simplification**

B.* **Commission General Regulation 495. ANAC 502 Simplification**

The Board will review the above items and will discuss the recommendations regarding language updates and simplification of Nevada Administrative Code 501 & 502.

Glenn reported that last month we had discussed the Simplification recommendations and sent in our approval at that time.

Glenn advised the board that the Tiffany East, Chairperson of the Commission, had reached out to him to be on the Simplification Committee. He noted that he gladly would serve on the Committee.

Glenn informed the Board that some people are unhappy with some of the practices of the Dept. He has attended his first meeting and sees the recommendations

Most is house cleaning. Glenn read to the board all the recommended changes from the Committee meeting. Explaining he various issues.

After reviewing all the suggested changes, the board felt that all the recommended changes made sense and could see where it all made sense.

Glenn further noted that NAC 503 is being put off for now.

It was moved by Wayne Larson, seconded by Billie Williams to approve the changes as was recommended by the Simplification Committee. Motion Carried.

3. The Board May Review remaining items of the September 25, 2020 Commission Agenda.

There were no further items brought to the attention of the Board.

4. Public Comment:

Meeting adjourned at 6:30 PM

A recording of the meeting may be made available to those requesting a copy by contacting Marlene Bunch, Administrative Assistant at 775-945-0441