

Idaho Retriever Club 01/21/2017 Board Meeting & Minutes

President George Rogers called the meeting to order at 6:15 pm at Louie's Pizza & Italian Restaurant in Meridian, immediately prior to the annual membership meeting and banquet. Also present were VP Ben Echevarria, Treasurer Chuck Kiehn, Secretary Brett Crow, and Board members Willie Alderson, Mike Wheeler, Chris Merrill, and Jack Smith. Board members Cheri Shanahan and Pat Kilroy were absent. Blaine Hyde and Rich Charrier also attended.

George presented a proposal to the Board: that IRC, in conjunction with the Treasure Valley Hunting Retriever Club, commit funds for gravel and grading work on the entrance lane to the Rock Hills property west of Emmett. TVHRC has already committed to an expenditure of up to \$1000, and George had in mind a similar amount. Preliminary estimates suggest a possibly lower cost, but it seems wise to not fall short. In addition, IRC will receive three (3) years of property use for occasional (though not all) club events. (For example, one 2017 picnic trial and the April Hunt Test are already planned for the property.)

After some discussion, Willie A. moved and Ben E. seconded a motion to approve spending up to \$1000 for said purpose, under the presented use condition. The motion passed on a voice vote.

The meeting adjourned at 6:35 pm, as the larger membership began to arrive.