

Minutes of Meeting
County Seal Presentation
May 3, 2013
9:00 a.m.

The Kootenai County Board of Commissioners: Chairman Todd Tondee, Commissioner Dan Green and Commissioner Jai Nelson met to discuss the following agenda items. Also present were North Idaho College Graphic Design Instructor Philippe Valle and Dean of General Studies Bob Murray; Parks and Waterways Director Nick Snyder, Juvenile Probation Director Debbie Nadeau, Reprographics Supervisor Dave Reid, Information Systems Director James Martin, Solid Waste Director Roger Saterfiel, Interim Human Resources Director Wade Larson, Administrative Assistant Lori Cogley, and Deputy Clerk Nancy Jones.

A. Call to Order: Chairman Tondee called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m.

B. Introductions: There were no introductions made.

C. Changes to the Agenda: There were no changes made to the agenda.

D. New Business:

Commissioner Jai Nelson welcomed the contest participants, who had come before the group to present an original Kootenai County logo design. This contest was held in anticipation of the County's 150th Anniversary celebration, which will take place next year. Commissioner Nelson explained that each Department Head under the Board of County Commissioners would be asked to review the designs, and that the winner would be chosen by popular vote. One (1) local citizen, two (2) County employees, and seven (7) North Idaho College graphic design students submitted designs for consideration. Graphic Design Instructor Philippe Valle described the structure and development of the North Idaho College Graphic Design program. Mr. Valle also spoke of the importance of presenting a cohesive public image, including "branding" with a single, easily identifiable logo. The contestants each presented their design(s), explaining the thought process behind their creations, and noting the incorporation of references to the anniversary celebration. Generally, the designs reflected the natural beauty, history, industries, and culture of Kootenai County.

Commissioner Nelson thanked presenters Ernie Bauer, Lauren Brandt, Joel Chiu, Nathan Dreschel, Jamie K. Marble, Josi Meredith, Mary Ausburn, Bob Otto, George Ponz, and Stephen Wright for the time, effort, and thought that were incorporated into each of their designs. Mr. Valle stated that the designs would be made available in digital format, for further consideration. The Board had not yet determined a specific date for the winner to be announced.

E. Public Comment: This section is reserved for citizens wishing to address the Board regarding a County related issue. There was no public comment.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

CLIFFORD T. HAYES, CLERK

BY: _____
Nancy A. Jones, Deputy Clerk