

**Minutes of Meeting  
Parks & Waterways  
Waterways Advisory Board Update  
October 17, 2018  
1:00 p.m.**

The Kootenai County Board of Commissioners: Chairman Marc Eberlein, Commissioner Chris Fillios and Commissioner Bob Bingham met to discuss the following agenda item. Also present were Parks & Waterways (P&W) Director Nick Snyder and Deputy Clerk Tina Ginorio. Also present were Parks and Waterways Advisory Board Chair Terry Werner and Vice Chair Craig Brosenne.

- A. Call to Order:** Chairman Marc Eberlein called the meeting to order at 1:02 p.m.
- B. Changes to the Agenda (Action):** There were no changes to the agenda.
- C. Business:**

**Consideration to Increase Speed Limit at Night for Boats (Action)**

Parks and Waterways Advisory Board Chair Terry Werner explained that Tom Torgerson had brought a concern to their meeting on September 4, 2018. He said Mr. Torgerson had pointed out that the current speed limit for boats on Lake Coeur d’Alene after dark was 20 mph; however, larger boats cannot achieve hydroplaning at that speed. Mr. Werner said the driver of the boat’s field of vision was limited by this, making a higher speed actually safer for everyone. He suggested that the speed limit on the lake, after dark, be increased to 25 mph.

Chairman Eberlein suggested that Parks & Waterways (P&W) Director Nick Snyder contact Civil Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Jamila Holmes and work with her on writing a resolution to increase the speed limit as discussed. Mr. Snyder agreed.

- D. Public Comment:** This section is reserved for citizens wishing to address the Board regarding a County related issue. Idaho Law prohibits Board action on items brought under this section except in an emergency circumstance. Comments related to future public hearings should be held for that public hearing. There was no public comment.
- E. Adjournment (Action):** Chairman Eberlein adjourned the meeting at 1:08 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

JIM BRANNON, CLERK

MARC EBERLEIN, CHAIRMAN

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tina Ginorio, Deputy Clerk

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