

Gem County Rod & Gun Club Meeting Minutes June 12th, 2023

Directors Present: Director Larry Robertson, Director Dave Timony, Director Paul Kaczmarek

Officers Present: Vice President Heather Bunting, Secretary Jim Bunting

Others present at meeting: Robert Thomason

The meeting was brought to order by Vice President Heather Bunting at 7:05 pm June 12th, 2023 at the Senior- Community Center located on 719 S Johns Ave in Emmett, Idaho.

Meeting Minutes approval: A motion was made Director Larry Robertson to approve the April and May 2023 GCRGC monthly meeting minutes. The motion was seconded by Director Dave Timony and it carried.

Range Status: Member Robert Thomason reports that the weeds have been sprayed at the gun range. Robert also reports that the last of the wood backings for the rifle range has been used (he will order more) and some of the steel targets on the pistol range need repair. Secretary Jim Bunting states he repaired a washout of the ground around several target backings at the rifle ranges. Secretary Bunting states it was easy to repair but it brings to the attention that we need to keep an eye on the back of the rifle ranges now for water erosion.

Member Concerns: none

Treasurer's Report: Director/Treasurer Shannon Wells reports by email that the clubs checking is \$19,942.11, club savings \$89,148.48.

Membership is 1348. New membership application submissions are very slow to almost nonexistent right now. This will change some come September.

Membership Caps: The membership caps for Gem County and Non-Gem County residents are set by the GCRGC Board of Directors/Officers. These numbers can increase or decrease year to year with the deciding factors being the use of the gun range by current membership and volunteers/managers to maintain the range. The managing body determines whether that number should go up to serve more individuals or down to better serve the current membership. The current rule is that once a certain number in total membership is reached then and only then will the Club stop excepting Non-Gem County resident applications. Gem County applications will still be accepted for the rest of the year. This is the current rule as of May 2023.

Motion of Rule: Director Larry Robertson makes the motion to increase the cap for Non-Gem County residents by 400 members. The motion is seconded by Director Paul Kaczmarek and it carries.

Firearm Training at the Range: Andrew Wold of Gem State Tactics and Training has spoken to the Board of Directors/Officers on many occasions concerning giving firearm classes and the GCRGC. The following motion is a result of those conversations.

Motion is made by Secretary Jim Bunting to allow Andrew Wold of Gem State Tactics and Training to conduct firearms classes at the gun range twice a month. Conditions are that he will pay \$100 a class and \$10 per student. Andrew Wold will also be required to show proof of one million dollars in insurance and must have a hold harmless agreement signed by each student. A copy of proof of insurance and a hold harmless agreement must be provided to the Board of Directors/Officers before classes can be scheduled. Motion is seconded by Director Larry Robertson and it carries.

CCTV: Director Larry Roberts would like to train the other Directors/Officers on the CCTV he installed for security at Gem County Rod and Gun Club.

Director Robertson also stated that the Club waiver is now on the GCRGC website. Director Robertson did a tremendous amount of work with the Clubs website improving the communication between the membership and management.

Director Paul Kaczmarek makes a motion to adjourn the June 2023 Gem County Rod and Gun Club monthly Board of Directors/Officers meeting. The motion is seconded by Director Larry Roberson and it carries.