

Minutes
Lander County Sustainable Development Committee
Sept. 13, 2007
BLM Conference Room, Battle Mountain Field Office

Attending: Gene Seidlitz, Rod Davis, Charlie Hager, Dana Sue Kimbal, Jim Collard, Sharlet Berensten, Bugle reporter.

Minutes of July 12, 2007 approved.
Rod Davis chair in the absence of Chairman Smith.

1. Review of progress made Goals 1-4
 - a. Maintain Communication between SD groups: Sharlet has been forwarding meeting minutes of each group to the other two.
 - b. Develop Common Goals between groups: The groups are still attempting to get their leadership together, however resignation of Hepworth of Humboldt/Pershing group has delayed this. Sharlet reported that her contract has been renewed and that new leadership would soon be on board.
 - c. Maintain collaboration with public and private agencies: George Fenemore made his Sunlight Mine presentation to the LEDA board. It was very well received. Also attending was Rod Davis.
 - LEDA Chair John Sherve is drafting memorandum of understanding between LCSD and LEDA outlining basic missions and objectives of each group. He will be in contact with SD chair Jerry Smith.
 - Rod Davis met with Chamber representative Sara Burkhart and Kim Davis. Nothing new to report.
 - Davis received appointment as alternate to the Lander County Planning Commission. Met July 12. Commission now requiring road to all properties subdivided that meets county specs.
2. Community Needs Assessment: nothing new to report.
3. National BLM Award: Seidlitz gave information on the award to BM Bugle reporter. George Fenemore to represent our group at the ceremony in Wash. DC.
4. Northern Nevada Partnership website update: It is in progress and can be viewed at: www.northernnevadapartnership.com/draft
5. Other: Next meeting of Humboldt/Pershing group will be 8:30 am. 10-4-07. Sharlet reported on the Rural Summit-Gov. pushing renewable energy.

Submitted: Rod Davis