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Colorado Board of Geographic Names
Minutes of the September 7, 2011 Meeting
Colorado State Archives
1313 Sherman St., Room 1B20, Denver, Colorado 80203-2274

Board members in attendance:

Terry Ketelsen	Colorado State Archives
Bob Malcolm	US Bureau of Land Management
Maria McCormick	United States Geological Survey
George Orlowski	Colorado State Archives
Sally Pearce	Citizen
Janice Wilson	United States Forest Service

Guests:

Carol Giffon	USGS liaison for Colorado
Lowell Forbes	Proponent regarding Frontier Visions Peak

1. Opening

Terry Ketelsen called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

2. Approval of Minutes

Terry Ketelsen motioned, *Bob Malcolm* seconded, and it was unanimously agreed to approve the CBGN meeting minutes dated July 13, 2010.

3. Old Business

3a. Frontier Visions Peak. (RL 401): A summit in the San Isabel National Forest, covering both Chaffee and Saguache counties, approximately 1.9 miles west of Mount Princeton; the proposal recognizes and honors the artists and photographers of the American West. The proponent *Lowell P. Forbes* was present to clarify several points regarding the proposal:

- There were originally two proposals: *Frontier Visions Peak* and *Padre Peak*, both proposals were not approved by the CBGN.
- According to the June 4, 2009 CBGN minutes, Chaffee County did not endorse the name proposal. Mr. Forbes presented a letter stating approval from the Chaffee County Board of Commissioners dated March 10, 2009.
- The peak is not in a Wilderness Area.
- Mr. Forbes explained the connection to Colorado that many early artists and photographers have, and brought in several books and quoted materials.

- Mr. Forbes explained his purpose is to recognize the lesser known artists and photographers, in addition to their more famous colleagues such as William H. Jackson.

The presentation of Mr. Forbes was followed by discussion. The Board reiterated the point that "not every feature needs to be named." We have already been informed that Saguache County does not endorse the proposal, and states: "No need to name the peak." The Board also reiterated that there must be a truly justifiable reason to name the peak, and the connection between proposed name and specific feature must be very strong.

Mr. Forbes thanked everyone for their time and it was agreed that he should re-submit his proposal.

4. New Business

4a. Lake Tahosa (change name from Tumblesom Lake) (R.L. 403):

The Forest Service does not approve the proposal, and there has been no response from the three Native American groups who were queried, or Boulder County. The Forest Service is considering submitting a proposal, correcting the spelling from "Tumblesom" to "Tumbleson," the appropriate spelling of the person being commemorated.

Sally Pearce motioned, seconded by *Maria McCormick*, and voted for unanimously to defer any decision until we have received opinions from the above mentioned groups.

4b. Log Chute Park (R.L. 405): The Forest Service does not endorse. Saguache County issued a "no opinion" statement. The BLM fire ecologist approved. There has been no response from the Fish and Wildlife Department.

Sally Pearce motioned, seconded by *Maria McCormick*, and voted for unanimously to not endorse the proposal citing the Wilderness Policy.

4c. Bouldin Gulch (name change from Bolden Gulch) (R.L. 406): Bob Malcolm motioned, seconded by Sally Pearce, and voted for unanimously to defer until we receive any decisions/ opinions from Arapahoe County and the Native American tribal interests within the area.

4d. Wolverine Peak (R.L 407): No action taken.

4e. John Denver Peak: No action taken.

4f. Rueter-Hess Reservoir: No action taken.

5. Definitions:

An open discussion regarding the following terms/definitions: gulch, valley, stream and draw. It was agreed that these terms needed to be reviewed on a case by case basis beyond the basic generalized use of each term.

6. Adjournment

Terry Ketelsen made a motion, seconded by *George Orlowski*, and approved unanimously to adjourn. The meeting was adjourned at 11:10 a.m.

7. Our Next Meeting

We do not have another meeting scheduled.

Respectively submitted September 28, 2011
George Orlowski, Secretary
Colorado Board on Geographic Names
Colorado State Archives