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## SEPTEMBER 2010

### OCTOBER SPS CHAPTER MEETING

The regular business meeting will be held on the 5th of October 6:30 PM, at  
*The Great American Casino in Lakewood*

#### Minutes of the September 7, 2010 Chapter Meeting

There being a quorum present and Chapter President Mike McEvilly called the meeting to order at 6:50 P.M.

Pledge of Allegiance

July Meeting Minutes Approved – MSP

#### Introductions

**Attendance:** There were 13 members, 4 associates and 1 guest. Total: 18 (clearly room for improvement)

#### Treasurers Report:

Checking: \$8,390.11

Savings: \$1,890.18

Six (6) Month CD: \$7,505.80

#### Committee Reports:

Scheduling Committee: We are looking for a volunteer to head up this committee. So far, Gary Letzring's name is in the hat by default.

Pierce County Liaison: Doug presented an extensive report on the Pierce county consolidation plan. There are also recording requirement changes, issues concerning native growth buffers and dry sewers.

Old Survey Camp: Another success this year. Activities included Bingo, Archery, Horseshoes, a Scavenger Hunt and Hold'em Tournament.

Survey Career Awareness Committee: We are looking for folks to be involved with this committee. We have lost our committee chair and need to pick up where Dick Lovering left off last year.

2011 Fall Seminar: We are in the planning stages.

#### Board of Trustees:

1. The issue of prevailing wages is now in the State's hands.
2. The Free Fall seminar will be September 25<sup>th</sup> at Renton Tech.
3. The Fall seminar is the first full weekend of November. Sign up is required.
4. Scott Valentine was re-instated to the Board of Registration.
5. NSPS and ACSM split: more to come
6. For 2011 there will be a membership assistance program to have dues reduced by 50% for qualifying individuals.
7. The redefinition is still alive and in progress. LSAW is responding to the Board of Registration's request for changes.
8. State headquarters is investigating the possibility of having the ESS on-line for electronic distribution.

New Business: Surveyor and Associate of the year nominations. We will be voting at the October meeting. Members can vote via email to [info@lsawspsc.org](mailto:info@lsawspsc.org)

The chapter nominees for Surveyor of the Year are: Amanda Askren, Aaron Blaisdell, Dan Price, Jim Coan

#### Good of the Order –

1. Gary Allen reported that the Walker Cup was successful and passed on thanks to the chapter for donations and support.
2. Ken Swindaman reported that the LSAW Foundation has now achieved 501C3 status. They received 2 applications for scholarships and two were awarded.
3. Jerry Broadus' book on Washington State common law is now available from [www.lsaw.org](http://www.lsaw.org) for \$75 plus tax.
4. The new BLM manual is available from [www.acsm.net](http://www.acsm.net) (check out the estore)

Meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm.

**LSAW**  
**South Puget Sound Chapter**  
**October 5, 2010 Meeting Agenda**  
**(Agenda subject to change)**

**6:30 pm “Call to Order”**



**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Introductions and sign in sheet**

**Approval of July minutes**

**Treasurers Report**



**Committee Reports:**

- **Pierce County Liaison**
- **Survey Career Awareness**
- **Refresher Courses**
- **Scheduling**
- **2011 Fall Seminar**
- **Surveyor of the Year**

**(BREAK FOR DINNER @7:00)**

**Presentation**

**New Business**

**Good of the Order**