

**MINUTES**  
**PAYETTE COMMUNITY FORESTRY COMMITTEE**  
**March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2011**  
**3:00 P.M.**

**ROLL CALL:**

Members Present: Gene Gray, Tony Mell, and Curt VanPatten were present.

Members Absent: Dick Bronson and Larry Kelley

Staff Present: Randy Fales and Bobbie Black.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

- A. Elect Chairman & Vice-Chairman: Tony Mell made a motion to nominate Gene Gray as Chairman. The motion was seconded by Curt VanPatten and passed by unanimous voice vote. Tony Mell made a motion to nominate Dick Bronson as Vice-Chairman. The motion was seconded by Curt VanPatten and passed by unanimous voice vote.
- B. Arbor Day: The celebration for Arbor Day will be held April 29<sup>th</sup> at Centennial Park. The Committee will help plant seedlings at the school on April 28<sup>th</sup>. Gene Gray has ordered the spruce tree seedlings. T-shirt sizes need to be obtained for Ms. Thompson 5<sup>th</sup> grade class and committee so that Mr. Gray can order. Idaho Power will pay for them. Curt VanPatten will contact Davey Trees to help with Arbor Day. Will need to coordinate with the teacher for what times will work for the kids.
- C. Payette Community Forestry Ordinance: Nothing discussed

**GENERAL DISCUSSION**

Tony Mell stated he like the idea of GPSing the trees. If we can get an idea of what the cost will be to have the trees GPSed then it might be able to be budgeted. Gene Gray will contact Jim Floutt who plants bare root trees to give a presentation to the group.

**AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting will be held April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2011 at 3:00 pm

The meeting was adjourned at 3:35 p.m.

Recording Secretary

Bobbie Black