

## Iowa Snowdrifters meeting 2/9/2017

Meeting called to order at 7:41 – quorum present

Welcome any new members and guests

Meeting minutes approved – motion Ron with second from Michael. Motion approved from members.

Treasures report read through – no change on savings account. Motion to approved Mark S with Dean second. Motioned approved.

Volunteer hours to Brian Stanerson

Update on the tractor pull. Committee met Monday night. Waiting for a contract from Hawkeye Downs (HD). When contract is available information will be shared. Question from Chris H on relationship with Dirt Surfers (Motocross group - DS). Contract is with HD not DS.

Director Meeting – The directors met before the general meeting and set a goal of buying a tractor. Expecting a wheeled tractor with 100 HP. Tracks can be added at a later date if necessary.

Trails – how to close the trails discussion. Example: what Cresco does. It is possible to put up gates but hard to manage. Looking for help discussing trails around North Liberty and to the south. Any interest see Derrick. (Seth interested)

Convention this fall will be at the Double Tree. Anyone willing to help out please see Derrick. The convention group got together and has started putting the plan together for the year. Ron requested that fat tire bikes be removed from the proposed groups at the Iowa Recreation and Sports Show.

SnoCross if Mar 3-4. Help wanted contact Chris Willey. Parking is limited so please watch.

Nominations for Vice President, President, board are coming at next meeting. Voting in April.

Fat tire – Motion to purchase signs for no fat tire bikes on the trails – Motion Donnie Seth second. No motion moved to vote. Active discussion of how this would be perceived across landowners, DNR and the Corps leadership. Derrick to take feedback to the ISSA. Tabling issue.

Sign order is due May 1<sup>st</sup>. Joe needs the order to him by April meeting.

Snobikes on trails – Proposed legislation see handout. ISSA is supporting a law changing to be able to ride in Iowa.

One sticker – positive response from the members to be one sticker. Bring up at the ISSA meeting for nonresident cost – would they pay \$35? Derrick to let Chris know support.

Ron discussed possible snowmobile license plate – Derrick to ask ISSA meeting

Discussion on day of the week to meet as a snowmobile club – Suggestion of Tuesday night on the second Tuesday the month. Motion from Dean with second from Michael motion approved. Next meeting March 14<sup>th</sup> at Baxa's. Jeff to schedule.

Groomer operators – Some confusion on having 2 people in the groomer at each time. Don and Chris will sign off on people grooming by themselves.

ISSA Report – Feb issue will be digital. Other topics covered earlier in meeting.

ATV trip – Micheal Schmitz, Scott Stork are interested.

Motion to adjourn – Ron with Dean second. Approved by members.