General Meeting Minutes September 13th 2018 - 7: 30 pm Baxa's Bar, Sutliff

Meeting called to order at 7:30 PM

Welcome new members and guests

Additions to the agenda: membership letter, trail 1 needs boss, tool cat and brush mower, grant award, Issa convention, events, Walford road trail

Approval of August Minute s- Dean Miller, Seth Allender - approved

Treasurer's Report - Receipts - Snowdrifters clothing, bank interest. Payments - parade candy

Equipment Fund - Receipts - sponsorships, Payments - tractor pull expenses.

Mel's Scholarship Fund - receipts - interested and donation from Mike SChultz, Payments to scholarship recipients

Motion to approve - Joe Latta, Ron Roe - approved

Volunteer Hours to Brian Stanerson

Old Business

Tractor Pull - Wonderful event, great night, thank you to everyone for showing up and members and volunteers. Expenses up with ECIPA and Need to focus on sponsorships and controlling expenses next year. Around 1200 through the gate. Board discussed it at their meeting and discussed committee should identify ways to control the expenses and get creative on ways to turn trend around. Consider joining or if you have ideas please come to a meeting.

Golf Outing - Saturday, September 29th - 4 sponsors for the golf outing. Would like 5 more sponsors. 5 teams signed up right now. Lake McBride pricing - \$35 per person, charging \$50/person no minimum. For members who have their own carts ask to have it donated back to the club. Create Event on Facebook page. Prizes for some of the games.

Membership Committee - designed to drive membership with creative ideas. Would like to separate from the event committee. Membership letter - send out letter to all registered snowmobiles. Getting list from ISSA on every registered Snowmobile in areas. Created spreadsheet and sent to the DNR agent and they will send it the permit directly to the paid membership. Would like to see the letter on the handout be the next update from the ISSA membership.

Trail Work Dates - October 27th - Mowing/clearing. November - 17th - Marking will be added to meet at Legion 8 am for breakfast. Trail 7 - Ron having surgery - Derrick will take care of if this year.

Trail 1 needs a trail boss - Wyndym to County Line . If no one uses it then maybe we let it go or don't mark it. Motion to mark abandon trail from Wyndym South to Count Line - Scott Storck - Andy Lawerence - Approved.

Walford Road from 965 to Walford- need someone to mark about 5-7 miles. Chris talking to Bowman.

New Business -

Tool Cat and Brush Mower - try to get it for November 17th. Bill will talk to Jlm Wiley to see if we can get it.

Rental Tractor - Chris Handley Motion to rent tractor from Krommingas again - Dean Miller, approved.

Trail Maps - need to be updated this year. Need map sponsors. Add photo on newsletter of the groomer and drag. Would like to have sponsors back by next meeting. Look at maps. Need to get map finalized by November. Trail boss meeting at 6:30 before the next meeting. Scott Storck - do we want to wait a year until after the bike trails have been rode on.

Look at inviting BRad to trail boss meeting and possibly to talk at general meeting on an update. Otherwise Derrick will organize another meeting.

Landowner List - needs to be updated at trail head meeting.

Other New Business

ISSA Report. - two sticker pass into one sticker did not pass. Chris Wiley will be done in October and Brian Carmichael will take over in November. 18 clubs have asked for new equipment this year and 18 groomers. Groomer training - Chris get one scheduled for around here at Fridas. ISSA magazine going to send it out to every registered Snowmobile in November. Might be an opportunity to

ACSA realigning chapters.

Registration open for the convention.

Convention - November 16-18 - Arrow woo resort, okoboji.

Prinoth has not been purchased yet. Need to put up for bid to get a purchases price and then it will be purchased.

Grant updated - Fuel \$2000.00 \$500.00 maintenance.

Trail signs good.

Upcoming Event Golf Outing Nov 2-3 FOCL Dam of the Dead SEpt 29th - National Land Day Nov 16-18 - ISSA Convention

Motion to adjourn - Dean Miller - CHris Handley - approved Adjourned 8:50 PM