Pierce County ATV Association Minutes Lawton Bar, Ellsworth WI November 20, 2017

Members Present: Tina Huppert, Jerry Johnson, Larry and Sharolyn Johnson, Everett & Barb Muhlhausen, Ken Majeski, Darren Place, Kurt, Cindy & Kyle Sundquist, Ron Wilkens, Gaylen Langer, Ron Gutting, Pierce County Recreation Officer Jeremy Brookshaw

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by President Larry Johnson.

Secretary's Report was read by Barb Fritz-Muhlhausen. Motion to approve the Secretary's Report by Tina Huppert, second by Sharolyn Johnson. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report was given by Tina Huppert. Motion to approve the Treasurer's Report by Sharolyn Johnson, second by Jerry Johnson. Motion passed.

Old Business:

President Larry Johnson attended the Town of Rock Elm meeting as they like to see someone from the club. President Johnson mentioned to the board about making some changes to the ordinance such as removing the 10 MPH limit by residences and to remove closing the routes on November 1st. The board will discuss it at their next meeting.

President Johnson reported that he removed the ATV route signs on the Chad Westfield property along Cty V even though the route is open until the end of the year. He also posted a "route ends" sign.

President Larry Johnson requested the county to open Cty V from 610th Street to 620th Street as an ATV route. He also requested the county open Cty K from 810th Street to 620th Street and from 430th Avenue to 840th Street.

Vice-President Darren Place asked the members about working the Showdown in Curd Town event in June, 2018. Motion had been made in September to offer 10 people to work. Deadline was December 1st to give our firm decision so the club will be going ahead with the offer.

New Business:

President Johnson reported he would like to see all town ATV ordinances uniform. Discussion took place. Motion by Everett Muhlhausen, second by Ron Wilkens, to remove the limit of hours of operation and get all the ordinances for the county and towns all uniform. Motion passed.

The following meeting locations for 2018 were proposed:

January 15, 2018, El Paso Bar and Grill, El Paso February 19, 2018, Broz Bar, Ellsworth March 19, 2018, Cenex, Ellsworth April 16, 2018, The Big Horn Bar, Beldenville – ANNUAL MEETING May 21, 2018, Sandbar, Elmwood June 18, 2018 Subway, Spring Valley July 16, 2018 Longbranch, Elmwood August 20, 2018, Sneakers Pub & Eatery, Spring Valley September 17, 2018, Bendilly's Bar and Grill, Ellsworth October 15, 2018, Lawton Bar, Ellsworth November 19, 2018, Exile, Plum City

Motion by Sharolyn Johnson, second by Tina Huppert, to approve the meeting locations. Motion passed.

Member Comments:

Vice President Darren Place asked about County V access from the property on the south side. Muhlhausens will still contact the new owners as a back-up, but opening a portion of County V is the safest and first choice.

Pierce County Recreation Officer Jeremy Brookshaw asked about the inquiry earlier in the year to open routes in the Town of Oak Grove. Nothing more has been heard.

Gaylen Langer asked about access to Beldenville from the west but Hwy 65 limits any access. Discussion took place.

The next meeting will be Monday, January 15th at 6:00 p.m. at El Paso Bar and Grill in El Paso. Motion by Tina Huppert, second by Gaylen Langer, to adjourn the meeting at 6:53 p.m. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted by, Barb Fritz-Muhlhausen Secretary