Pierce County ATV Association Minutes May 16, 2022 Ellsworth Country Club, Ellsworth WI

Members Present: Tina Huppert, Larry & Sharolyn Johnson, Wendell Manore, Teri Nelson, Roger & Delores Fritz, Henry Lazarz, Marge Zultowski, Scott & Joanne Gulbranson, John & Jean Marko, Kevin & Diane Johnson, Daryl Fay, Lisa Plummer, Elle Leonard, Brian Stein, Scott Ryden, Mark Kinneman, Gary Huppert, Paul Frandsen, Jack O'Neil, Dan & Denise Hager, Donnie Sabby, Jay Oricchio, Richard & Lisa Brown, Dwight Smith, Greg & Marcy Reid, Craig Dressel, Mike Johnson, Barb & Everett Muhlhausen

The monthly 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 Hank Lazarz, second by Roger Fritz. Motion passed.

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

Old Business:

Update on Meat Raffle – They had 10 rounds of meat, 2 money, good turnout. Check was received and thank you to Donnie Sabby from Sabes Loft.

Polaris Ride Command Status – problems were reported hope it improves.

Durand Bridge Update – was not approved so put off for another year.

Signage for Village of Ellsworth – Jack O'Neil will work with the village of Ellsworth to put up the 7 signs. Larry has the posts and extensions.

Update on Other Municipalities – only update was Cty Road S is not open for access to the village of Maiden Rock.

New Business:

Thank you to Donnie Sabby and Jay Oricchio for volunteering to help Mark Kinneman with signage in Diamond Bluff.

Meeting dates and locations were discussed. Motion by Tina Huppert, second by Jack O'Neil to rotate the meetings between the Gas-Lite, Sabes Loft and the Ellsworth Country Club. Motion passed. Locations and dates are as follows:

June 20 – Gas-Lite

July 18 – Sabes Loft

August 15 – Ellsworth Country Club

September 19 – Gas-Lite

October 17 – Ellsworth Country Club November 21 – Sabes Loft

Member Comments:

Jack O'Neil explained the project ride for young special needs kids on his property in Esdaile. He would like to do it on September 17th and volunteers would be needed to give rides and coordinate activities. The Service Agency would charge \$300 for the day for insurance. Motion by Matt Feuerhelm, second by Larry Johnson, to go ahead with the project ride. Motion passed.

Mark Kinneman had a list of road route requests and discussion took place. Motion by Mark Kinneman, second by Dwight Smith, to continue asking Pierce County for road routes. Motion passed.

Gary Huppert explained costs of signs for road segments is expensive and the association should just ask the County Board what roads we can't have. Discussion took place. Motion by Gary Huppert, second by Roger Fritz, to ask for roads we can't have from Pierce County Board. Motion passed.

Matt Feuerhelm asked why we paid out money in taxes this year. The association never had many funds previously so now we applied for non-profit so will not have to pay taxes in the future.

Joanne Gulbranson asked the number of members in the Pierce County ATV/UTV Association; it is now 210.

Question was asked how to drive into Prescott but there is no access at this time. Everett Muhlhausen told members they need to contact their County Board Supervisors and request to open all county roads for ATV/UTV travel. Members should also contact the City of Prescott and members in Clifton need to contact the Town Board to request routes.

The next meeting will be on June 20th at 6 pm downstairs at the Gas-Lite Bar & Grill, Ellsworth.

Motion by Gary Huppert, seconded by Hank Lazarz, to adjourn the meeting at 6:51 p.m. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted by, Barb Fritz-Muhlhausen Secretary PCAA