Pierce County ATV/UTV Association Minutes Clyde's Corner Bar & Grill, Beldenville, WI January 16th, 2023

Members Present: Tina Huppert, Dan & Denise Hager, Roger & Delores Fritz, Sheldon Huppert, Gaylen & Sue Langer, Daryl Fay, Gary Huppert, Jack & Mary O'Neil, Kevin & Diane Johnson, John Marko, Caleb Beebe, Ron Gutting, Randy Bayer, Brian Stein, Linda Townsend, Barb LaCroix, Wendell Manore, Dick Nelson, Pierce County Recreation Officer Jeremy Brookshaw

The monthly meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm by Board Director Member Sheldon Huppert, in the absence of Vice-President Darren Place.

Secretary's Report was distributed & emailed by Barb Fritz-Muhlhausen. Motion to approve the Secretary's Report by Roger Fritz, seconded by Daryl Fay. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report was given by Tina Huppert. Motion to approve the Treasurer's Report by Daryl Fay, seconded by Gaylen Langer. Motion passed.

Old Business

Sheldon Huppert reported that he and Gary Huppert have attended several town board meetings to discuss the ATV/UTV ordinances and State Statute 23.33 and responses have been favorable. Gary and Sheldon will continue to attend town board meetings and report on any further updates.

Sheldon reported Gary and Sheldon met with Pierce County Highway Commission Chad Johnson, and Highway Committee Chair Neil Gulbranson on Thursday, January 12th to discuss exactly what is needed from the Pierce County ATV/UTV Association to get all towns on the same page. The towns will be asked to vacate their present ordinances regarding atv/utv's and adopt State Statute 23.33 and add 40 mph speed limits. Forty mph speed limit will be printed on the new maps, and also placed in the new ordinance, and the hours of operation will be removed. Discussion took place with club members regarding the 40 mph speed limit and members were in agreement.

Tina had mailed out the Pierce County ATV/UTV stickers for ATV's and UTV's to the members that needed them or handed out at the meeting.

New Business

Sheldon noted to the membership about the open positions for the upcoming election in April. They are as follows:

President: Larry Johnson (resigned November 2022) Vice President –Darren Place Secretary – Barb Fritz-Muhlhausen Sheldon asked for volunteers to be on a Nominating Committee but there was no response, so tabled until the next meeting. Please contact Sheldon Huppert (jshupp7@gmail.com) or Barb Fritz-Muhlhausen (<u>evbarb@gmail.com</u>) if you are interested in being on the Nominating Committee or would like to run for one of the open positions listed.

Future meetings:

February 20th - 715 Steer and Beer, Ellsworth

March 20th - 63 Bar & Grill, Ellsworth

April 17th - GasLite Bar & Grill, Ellsworth

May 15th - Ellsworth Country Club, Ellsworth

June 19th - Sabes Loft, Bay City

The next meeting will be held on Monday, February 20th, 2023 at 6:00 pm at 715 Steer and Beer, Ellsworth.

Motion by Daryl Fay, seconded by Gary Huppert, to adjourn the meeting at 6:30 pm. Motion passed.

Respectfully Submitted by Denise Hager, Acting Secretary