

PIERCE COUNTY ATV/UTV ASSOCIATION MINUTES

GASLITE BAR AND GRILL

JULY 17TH, 2023

Members Present: Steve & Judy Sampson, Mark Denzer, Matt Waller, Linda Townsend, Dan & Denise Hager, Everett & Barb Fritz-Muhlhausen, Roger & Delores Fritz, Tina M. Huppert, Hank & Marge Lazarz, Dave & Kris Deiss, Randy & Sandy Bayer, John Marko, Yvonne Blodgett, Dan & Mary Wieser, Brad and Leann Gutting, Kevin & Gale Noll, Mark Books, Joanie Churchill, Scott & Hollie Forsman, Nancy Greske, Wendell Manore, Lisa Brown, Caleb Beebe, Sheldon Huppert, Doug & Judi Brunner, Kevin & Diane Johnson, Dick Nelson. Pierce County Recreation Officer-Jeremy Brookshaw.

The monthly meeting was called to order at 6:02 by Vice President Dave Deiss

Secretary's Report was distributed and emailed by Denise Hager.

Denise Hager read the June minutes. Motion to approve the Secretary's Report by Barb Fritz-Muhlhausen and second by Roger Fritz. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report was given by Tina Huppert and an updated report was handed out. Motion to approve the Treasurer's Report by Dwight Smith and seconded by Hank Lazarz. Motion passed.

Old Business:

Update on Visits to Towns to Update Ordinances-WI State Statue 23.3 by Sheldon Huppert and we are completing the last townships to sign and then we will work with the Highway Commissioner Chad Johnson and Neil Gulbranson and the Highway Traffic Safety Committee on the next steps in a few months.

Fair Booth volunteer schedule was handed out and we need 6 more people to help on various days on the schedule. We will hand out Pierce County ATV/UTV maps at no charge and the Wisconsin All-Terrain/Utility Terrain Vehicle Laws. Membership forms will be available too. Tina Huppert handed out tickets to use if you volunteer in the Fair Booth for your entry to the fair if you needed one.

Motion was made to not charge the locations that have maps upfront. We will ask for a donation for the maps. Leann Gutting and Mark Denzer made the motion and motion passed.

Parade August 13th put on by the Fire Department update given by Dave Deiss. Line up by 11:00 am and parade will start at 1:00 pm. More details will be coming.

A few machines participated in the Bay City Day's parade on July 16th and it worked well.

Dave Deiss noted the Ride for Kids with the Lions Club on September 17th 1-5 will be discussed at the August meeting.

New Business:

Tina Huppert gave an update on the office expenses were 282.89 last year and the By-Laws to spend up to 200.00. Motion was made to take line out of the By-Laws by Dwight Smith and Second by Mark Denzer. Motion passed.

Member Comments:

Dave updated about the Wisconsin ATV/UTV helmet and seat belt laws and the article will be in the July 19th issue of the Pierce County Journal.

Dave also is working with Krystle about the surrounding counties and the process they used on opening more roads.

Question about a safety course that youth could take or attend. There is a class online for 12 year old and up that could attain a certificate. Mark Kinneman is working with Dan Braun on the safety course update.

The next meeting will be at Clydes, Beldenville, WI, on Monday, August 21ST @ 6:00 pm. Please come early if you want to order food from Clyde's before the meeting.

Motion by Tina Huppert , seconded by Leann Gutting to adjourn the meeting at 6:36 pm.