

ROCK COUNTY ALLIANCE OF SNOWMOBILE CLUBS

April 4, 2015

Call to Order: at Junction Pub by President Bob Kaiser

Roll Call: Alliance officers present: Bob Kaiser, Sandy Tiffany, Don Myers, Jackie Olson. 8 clubs present. Absent: Evansville Sno-Devils and Oaks Ridge Riders

Secretary's Report: On file in the secretary's book. One correction to last month's report: N Rock Cty Club & Youth Riders were present last month, missing was Oaks Ridge Riders

Treasurer's Report: Copies of the treasurer's report were distributed. Jackie Olson read it, a copy is on file in the secretary's book. Levi Olson made a motion to approve the treasurer's report. Mark Hubka seconded it, motion carried. Thanks to everyone who helped at the hospitality room, especially Sundowners, Lake Koshkonong, Fencehoppers, Milton Snow Riders and Snow Chiefs.

Pay Bills: Bills were presented for payment. Wally Goeglein made a motion to pay the bills as presented. Kate Fuchs seconded it, motion carried.

AWSC Director's Report: Morris had lots of compliments on our hospitality room. Thanks to everyone who helped, and congratulations on an awesome job. AWSC officers remain the same. Since most of the state had very little snow this year, the few counties who were able to get into supplemental will get the full amount. The trail pass issue was the main topic of conversation at the general meeting. Morris explained how it will work. Once you join a club, the membership person sends it to the AWSC, and the DNR will mail the trail pass. AWSC membership is good for one year. Trail pass is good from July 1 to June 30. We hope to raise \$3 million in the program, and should have an increase in club memberships. It would be beneficial for each club to have a website and/or Facebook page.

Trail Report: Road signs must be turned by April 15. The county will repair road signs, contact Levi if this is necessary. Levi needs trail take out reports ASAP. Once he gets these he can determine how much is left to order signs. The grant must be spent by June 30. We have used a little over half so far - \$22,678.83 has been turned in of the \$56,600 grant. The county bill should be less this year because we did the landowner checks. All clubs should have these. Make sure bridges are checked for needed repairs or redecking. List the work to be done and take pictures, and don't forget the bolts. Levi needs this info by June 1. Material will be purchased by the county.

President's Report: Try to get new people involved in club activities. Sometimes it takes more time to teach someone than to do it yourself, but is worth it.

Groomer Report: None

Old Business:

Hospitality room: Thanks again to all who donated time, food, raffle items and helped make it a success. Kate read the report of expenses and income, a copy is attached to the treasurer's report. We made \$1,117.14 in profit, with some money still to come in for leftover items that were purchased. Thanks to Kate for taking charge and making it a success.

Youth rep: Erica thanked the Alliance and all who made the hospitality room successful, and all the support given her.

New Business: Jackie has some cash from map boxes. Aly Wilson is in charge of a March of Dimes Fundraiser on April 19. She would like to borrow the raffle wheel at the clubhouse. It belongs to the Fencehoppers. Sandy will check with club members and get back to Bob. Levi made a motion to pay for

Erica's room at convention. Motion was seconded by Steve Fausnaugh and carried. On Oct. 14, 2014, a motion was made and seconded to pay for our Youth Rep's room, same as for the Alliance officers and trail chief. Jackie got a letter from WEX bank (Citgo's bank) stating that they would charge \$3 monthly for mailing paper statements. Jackie should decide how to receive statements. Discussion was held on how much interest to pay. Mark Tiffany made a motion to pay \$4,400. Motion seconded by Wally Goeglein. This has to be paid in May so we will decide next month, along with all bills to be paid over the summer.

Announcements:

May 6 – Alliance meeting, Milton Snow Riders, 7:30 pm at Jake's Junction Pub, 130 Merchant Row, Milton Junction

Wally Goeglein made a motion to adjourn. Steve Fausnaugh seconded it, motion carried. Thanks to the Lake Koshkonong Club for providing snacks.

Submitted,

Sandy Tiffany
Secretary