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October 2022 Meeting Minutes

The scheduled meeting was held on October 11, 2022 at the Mitchell Hill BBQ in Rochester. The meeting was called to order by Nick Bickford at 7:10 pm. There were 30 members present.

Secretary's Report

Ginny Abresch presented the September meeting minutes to the membership. Copies of the minutes were available on site and were also posted on the website for members to review before the meeting.

The minutes were accepted as read.

Membership Report:

Deb McLaughlin reported 34 new memberships this month for a total of 49 members so far this year. She received 41 new memberships for a total \$1,435 since the Newsletter mailing went out last month. It was determined that the cost to mail the newsletter was worth the expense and we will continue the Newsletter mailings in the future.

Membership report was accepted.

Trail Master Report:

Bob Bickford reported we received some of our reimbursements for summer GIA. Nick Milliken is doing some grading work and should be finished in two weeks. He has offered to house the Southern groomer on his property on Quaker Road. Work on Camp Pride Trail is now 100% complete. We are working on gates for the RTP grant. The numbers of gates will be determined by the money we have left. \$47,000 in RTP has been awarded towards a new groomer next year. We will have to forfeit the money if we can't get the groomer. Mike G reported Drew Road to Middleton and Blueberry Trail are good, as well as Moose Mountain and Birch Hill to Kings Highway. We have 79.6 miles of trails according to GPS. Trail on Rt.11 needs to have bridge removed in front of Rochester Motor Sports. We need written permission from 5 landowners to clear up the DOT connector trail permit. Jim Matthews has 32 intersections for trail signs. 22 are

complete and 10 are left. New sign on Blueberry Trail, Middle Trail, 4 in the Den. Nick Bickford announced 3 Sundays in October for Trail Work. Groomer maintenance will take place at Chris Fela's house. Work parties are to meet at 8am at the New Durham Fire Hall.

Trail Master Report was accepted

Treasurers Report:

Deb McLaughlin reported our bank account is balanced through to 10/11/2022. There is a total of \$29,236.36 in the checking account and \$9,033.60 in the Capital Fund for a total of \$38,269.96. Membership dues collected since last meeting was \$790.

Treasurer's report was accepted

Old Business:

Ginny Abresch reported a total of 19 volunteers, including 3 members of Farmington HS NHS picked up 114 bags of trash on Oct. 2. With so much help this year, the entire 2.5 mile stretch of Rt 11 was cleaned up in just under 2 hours.

New Business:

Nick Bickford is selling NHSA Super Raffle tickets. Cost is \$20 per ticket.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Ginny Abresch