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March 2025 Meeting Minutes

The scheduled meeting was held on March 11, 2025, at the Granite Steak and Grill in Rochester. President Nick Bickford called to the meeting to order at 7:08 pm. There were 34 members present,

Secretary's Report:

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

The minutes were accepted.

Membership Report:

Membership director Deb McLaughlin reported there were 259 members to date. Last year we had 227, an increase of 32 from this time last year. \$2575.00 has been collected in membership fees from NHSA as of last month, \$280.00 has been collected in donations from NHSA as of last month and \$1030.00 has been retained for PMSC membership dues.

Membership report was accepted.

Trail Master Report:

We have been reimbursed over \$16,000 for February grooming. So far, we have about \$1,000 for grooming in March. We will need a turbo charger repaired on the 1000 groomer. The 2000 is due for a 250-hr. service – fluids and filter. We will apply for GIA – P1 will be bridges and trail hardening on Corridor 22 in Alton, P2 will be grading the railbed from Quaker Rd. to Ridge Road and west of Powersports Junction. BOT will do work on the railbed from Spaulding HS this summer. P3 will be Robert's Cove and P4 will be Ellis Hatch on the way to Moose Mountain. RTP for SELT property in spring for next summer on back side of Jessie and Camp Pride project. Mike Gelinas reported the success of BOT ride back in February for our 30th anniversary. We received very good reviews; a little Pittsburg but with better community support and involvement – as in donations, signage, people involved and trails best they could be. All gates are now shut. It should be easier to get ready for

next fall. We may possibly make a roller from an old drag to pack snow if needed. Jim Matthew reported that two signs were knocked over. We sold one sign at the Cookout and there are 15 left to sell. We added a new intersection.

Trail Master Report was accepted

Treasurers Report:

Cash on hand: Checking account: \$30,213.95 and Capital fund - \$11,226.94 for a total of \$41,440.89. The Cookout was a huge success. We made a net total of \$2,883.50. Food -1637.00, Ray Gamble Memorial Poker Run - \$1370.00. Payout to winner \$692.00. The 50/50 Raffle - \$275.00, Payout to winner \$137.50, Club Raffle - \$195.00 and Club Merchandise – \$236.00. NHSA Membership dues was \$275 and we received \$280 in donations. We received \$756.72 for the NHSA Super Raffle and a reimbursement of \$469 from Allies Insurance to remove the 2005 Tucker - S# 1005R788 from our policy. Expenses were \$400 for plowing \$1,432.44 for grooming and \$1,395.97 for groomer maintenance.

Treasurer's report was accepted

Old Business:

Jim reported again the success of the Cookout. We ran out of food right down to the last bag of chips and 84 burgers, hot dogs, rolls, soups and chili. It was estimated that there were over 300 sleds. 135 hands in Poker Run and new this year was the kiddie track.

New Business:

Ginny Abresch reported 20 sleds at the family ride. Due to weather, the night ride was not able to happen. It needs more planning due to crossing Rt 11 at night and involving assistance from F&G and police. NHSA nominations are coming up. The raffle will be next month and the prize list is still growing.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:52 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Ginny Abresch