



**Brule River Riders Snowmobile Club
Twin Gables Restaurant, Brule, WI
December 5, 2019**

The December 5, 2019, meeting was called to order by Vice President Eric Shaefer at 7:05 pm.

Secretary's report was read. Motioned by Dave Whitehead, seconded by John Deterling. MP
Correspondence: The Furrow Magazine and credit card bills

Treasures report: Matt Hughes read report. Motion to accept report and pay bills by Dave Whitehead, second by Zac Makela. MP Discussion of loan payment. Motioned by Bob Peltonen, seconded by Bruce Bergsten to increase payment by \$8000. MP

Groomer Trails:

- Wednesday, three members rode out to Pikes Peak Rd. Thursday, they started grooming. Matt Hughes when to Poplar. Bruce Bergsten went top Middle River Rd. Brian Christenson will go to town.
Need to get out to the Shack; clean up trail #6 (should take 4 guys about 2 hours); Priem's area has a hole near the railroad.
- Trail 635 needs packing.
- Blueberry Trail on hold.
- Workday: Saturday a group will go out to the Shack. Depart Covered Wagon at 9:00 AM
Saturday, Bruce Bergsten and groomer will go down Trail 27 with Zac Makela and 2 friends in front.

Northwest Trails Association:

- Bruce Bergsten will distribute maps in our area.
- ATV road routes – there will be a Transportation Committee Meeting on December 10 at 9:30AM at the Douglas County Shop on Highway E. We need people there for show of support.

Tri-County Corridor:

- Next meeting will be Monday, December 2. The TCC Commission borrowed money from Ashland to pay bills. The TCC has agreed to grooming contract.

AWSC:

- Nothing

Social:

- Christmas party, December 19, social at 6:00 pm, dinner at 6:30 with Naughty Santa gift exchange for those who want to participate.
- Drivers Meeting, December 12 at 6:30 PM at Riverside

Unfinished business:

- Web site needs updating
- Discussion of credit cards for groomers.

New Business:

- Discussion of Mark Hughes using his personal gater and drag for club work. Discussion of either building or buying a drag for Mark's use. Chad Sisko will look at drag we own to seek what needs to be done to upgrade. Motion by Bruce Bergsten, seconded by Dave Whitehead to have a price limit of \$1000 for the rebuild. MP
- Discussion of the use of Mark's personal gater for use on our trails. The reimbursement for the use of his gater is \$25/hour. Brian Christianson motioned to reimburse Mark Hughes the \$25/hour that the club bills for grooming, seconded by Dave Whitehead. MP

Next meeting: January 2, 2020

Meeting adjourned at 7:51

Respectfully submitted,

Donna Bergsten
Secretary

SPECIAL MEETING:

December 19, 2019 at 7:33 p.m. Twin Gables, Brule

Discussion of purchase of drag.

The swamps are tough to freeze this year. Discussion of taking a 6 foot drag and modify to work with Mark Hughes gater or purchase of a pre-drag for \$4025. Motioned by Dave Whitehead, seconded by Bruce Bergsten to purchase drag. MP

Special Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Donna Bergsten, Secretary