



**Brule River Riders Snowmobile Club
Twin Gables Restaurant, Brule, WI
May 6, 2021**

The May 6, 2021 meeting was called to order by President Allan Makela at 7:06 pm.

Secretary's Report: Read and accepted by Dave Whitehead and Nicholas Makela. MP
Correspondence: the Furrow magazine, Midwest Farm magazine and U-Line catalog.

Treasurers Report: Report read. Motion to accept by Dave Whitehead and Zachary Makela.
MP.

Groomer Trails:

- The Tri-County Corridor has been graded. We are waiting on rain to grade the Wild Rivers Trail.
- Deadline for comments on the 40 foot rule is May 12.
- Discussed projects:
 - Culvert for South Shore Grade
 - Tweak the re-route east of Hwy D.
 - Culvert by Big Rock
 - Culvert near where accident happened on trail 4, south/east of the Poplar River.
Discussion of purchasing the culvert and play it by ear when able to do the project.
- Discussion of the pull behind grader: needs a little more work, but is ready to go. The mow board wore through and Al Makela added more metal.
- Trail 6 reroute will not be happening this year, but should happen next year. They want us to cross perpendicular but not in the middle of the intersection. Eric Shaffer will meet with the landowners this summer.
- Tractor Central had the 3 point hitch and blade in. Tractor should be in on July 1.

NTA:

- Eric Shaffer reported that not much happened.
- SWORDS want the support of NTA to repeal the 2-up law (cannot have 2 on an ATV unless it is built for 2 up)

AWSC:

- Bruce Bergsten reported about the only happening right now is the 40-foot rule.

Tri County Corridor:

- They owe us for winter grooming (about 1-2 months)
- Discussion of signs and posts needed for the corridor. Discussion of whether we need to use steel posts or wood posts. Al Makela will email the commission.

Social:

- Nothing

Unfinished Business:

- Landowners' Appreciation: Letters with gift cards will be mailed to our landowners in April. There was discussion of options to interact with our landowners. Recommended that we invite them to our picnic. Motion to send all landowners gift cards and invites to dinner by Dave Whitehead and Eric Shaffer. MP

New Business:

- Discussion of a new grill for the shack. Donna Bergsten will check on getting a discounted price on a gas grill from Miner's Ace Hardware.
- Discussion of other purchases: electric chain saw and charge to be in the groomer during the summer.
- Need of wood for the shack.

Next meeting is June 3, 2021.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Donna Bergsten
Brule River Riders Secretary