

ATV Maine Meeting
Hosted by: Pine Tree Trail Riders
Minot Moonshiners Snowmobile Clubhouse
1299 Whitman Hill Rd., Minot, Maine

2018 – 12 – 08

Meeting called to order at 0908.

Please turn off also phones.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Introduction of Officers: President – Real Deschaine
 Secretary – Terry Sinclair
 Northern Region VP – Dick Howlett
 Western Region Delegate – Ed Zilinsky
 Web/Facebook administrator – Administrator

Directors Count: 11.

Appropriate Meeting Conduct.

Secretaries Report: Motion to accept minutes as written by Ed Zilinsky, seconded by Cheryl Friedman, MSVP.

Treasurers Report: Motion to accept the treasurers report as presented and printed by Ed Zilinsky, seconded by Earl Oak, MSVP.

Presidents Report: Tami has resign from ATV Maine. ATV Maine has been contacted by a legislator who wants to put bills in to see if we can get an increase of the gas tax money and have it going into the trail fund. ATV Maine also has 2 other bill in for the ATV registration increase and that money will all go to DACF for trail grant and the other is for an definition of ATV's & UTV's.

Free Weekend will be August 16th, 17th, and 18th will be the free ATV'ing weekend in 2019. The ATV's must be registered from where they live.

Old Business: Liability insurance is going to change so that it runs with the membership year. Present policy will be canceled on June 30 and restarted on July 1. Then, as of July 1, 2019, the liability insurance policy will run with the ATV Maine membership year, July 1st through June 30th.

The AD&D insurance has been brought back for all ATV Maine clubs and club members. The AD&D insurance was restarted on November 4, 2018. Tami is still working with Shane on the members.

New Business: The D&O insurance will change because it was cheaper, bringing the cost down from \$900.00 to \$558.00.

DACF – ATV Definition: The proposed change covers ATVs/UTV's up to 65 inches. Dual registration of vehicles for street and trail will not be allowed. Landowner restriction would be covered. Motorcycles are defined separately.

A Recreational Trail Program [RTP] bill is being put in federally to increase the amount of money going into the RTP fund from the gas tax with better documentation.

Break: 1035 – 1051.

Northern Region Report: Bypass trail in Presque Isle is open for snowmobiles this winter. It will be open for ATV's next summer.

Western Region Report: Roxbury has a new trail master.

Web/Facebook Administrator's Report: Anyone having questions on the website please contact Daryl. Send club updates to Daryl so he can put them on the website, I. E., Officers and directors, changes in addresses and phone numbers.

Elections: Since no officer were opposed, a motion is made for the secretary to cast one vote for all officers. Motion made by Sue Lanouette, seconded by Cheryl Friedman, MSVP.

Secretary has cast one vote for the following officers:

President – Real Deschaine.

Vice President – Doug Kane.

Secretary – Terry Sinclair.

Treasurer – Sue Lanouette.

Northern Vice President – Dick Howlett.

Eastern Vice President – Daryl Friedman.

Central Vice President – Vacant.

Western Vice President – Ed Zilinsky.

Southern Vice President – Vacant.

Trails Vice President – Real Deschaine.

Safety Officer – Vacant

A Thank You to Find Tree Trail Riders for hosting the meeting and for lunch!

Hosting Club 50-50: Won by Mike Lanouette.

Helmet Award: Donated by Richard Kawasaki of Lee and won by Terry Sinclair who Donated it to ATV Maine for the safety trailers.

Club Door Prizes: Several given out including a 100 gallon Dead River home heating fuel certificate.

Pot-Of Gold Drawing: #52, Topsham – present - \$50.00.

A motion to adjourn: made by Daryl Friedman, seconded by Earl Oak, MSVP. 1205.

Reminder to all member clubs!
The Annual Banquet for ATV Maine
will be held on Saturday, April 13, 2019
at Jeff's Catering, in Brewer.

Minutes respectfully submitted,
Terry Sinclair
Secretary, ATV Maine