

Florence County Blue Ox Trail Riders
Meeting Minutes For: Monday, April 1, 2024

1. **Meeting Called to Order:** By President Fran @ 5:32
2. **Approval of Minutes from the last meeting:** by Jerry H., 2nd Jim P., Motion Carried.
3. **Treasurer's Report:** Treasurer handed out Monthly/Up to Date financial reports.
Monthly Financial Report: All paperwork and worksheets were submitted to the County.
Funding Report: Summer ATV Funding (07/31/23-06/30/24) currently non-grooming \$1481.35, grooming \$10,454.40. 23-24 Snowmobile non-grooming \$5295.70, grooming \$5882.50, Winter Atv Funding 0
4. **Secretary's Report- Nothing**
5. **Vice-President Report- Absent**
6. **President's Report- Nothing**
7. **Equipment Managers Report:** Arrowhead drag is rebuilt; another drag will be rebuilt.
8. **Public Relations Report: Nothing**
9. **Trail Coordinators Report:** Future problem with running Rabbit groomer down road in Aurora area, need a solution.
10. **AWSC Report: Nothing**
11. **WATVA Report:** Jerry H. will be attending meeting in Stevens Point in April, update to follow.
12. **Old Business Update:** Jerry H: Uphill Truck Drags event has a final meeting this week and will give us the final numbers on the event. There will be a volunteer party on April 20, 1-4pm at One O One. Some routes in Fence will remain closed when the trails open in May, at this time we are not sure on which.
13. **New Business- President:** April Elections—VP (Craig Balfanz), Treasurer/Funding Director (Dean Lefebre) Equipment Manager, (Ron Julian) Florence/Spread Eagle Coordinator (Tim Wilcox) Homestead/Fence Coordinator, (Matt Petraska). Director-at-large, (Jim Hixon & Jim Gehloff).

Motion made by Jim L., 2nd by Jerry H., to pay the balance of sewer bill \$13,700 in full, Motion carried. Motion made by Ron J., 2nd by Jerry H., to pay \$3734 for maintenance completed on two tractors. Motion carried.

A Motion was made by Rick Knepper, 2nd Jerry H., to have Blue Ox Trail riders support in writing, for the meeting addressing the new Ordinance Opening all roads in the Town of Florence. The meeting will be held at the Florence Community Center on April 16, at 6:30pm. Motion carried.

14. **New Member Introductions**-Craig & Tammi Balfanz, Daren Setner, Karen Louis, Tracey R., Tim & Becky Wilcox, Sabrina & Bryan Leffler, Dave L., Eric Jensen, Ray Mills, Ed Hedlund, Devan Wilcox, & Steve Wilcox.
15. **Social Gathering & Volunteer Fund**- Going to One O One. The raffle total funds \$215. The winner was Tami B who received \$107.

16. **Next Meeting is**- Monday, May 6, 2024 @5:30

17. **Meeting Adjourned:** By President Fran @ 6:35.