NOWECOS Minutes October 4, 2016

Meeting called to order - 7:00 pm – Pres. Brad Moore Quorum established

April Minutes- Joe Tonso moved to accept, Dave Watson. 2nd - **Minutes accepted**.

Treasurer's Report – President Brad Moore gave report. Ralph Stewart in Utah– Ralph to wait to pay Prinoth for groomer track work until the adjusted bill is received. Motion to approve, Joe Tonso - 2nd, David Bray, **Treasurer's report accepted.**

Trails Report- Brad Moore – Before there is too much snow, we need to drive through California and Slater Parks to replace, set up or repair marker poles, also need to replace some reflectors on marker poles. Saturday, Oct 1, club members cut out 48 fallen trees and cleaned on snowmobile trails C2, C3, C5 and C6. It took the 9 club members 8 hours of volunteer work, equating to 72 charity volunteer hours. Thanks to all who helped..

CSA Report- Jenn Tonso – CSA Snow Show was Oct. 7 – 9 in Denver.

Groomer Report- Joe Tonso

Groomer Workday – possibly this Saturday, Oct. 22, to put fixed groomer tracks back on groomer. Joe Tonso to let club and groomers know if it's a go.

Items discussed: Groomer tools needed have been purchased. There is no asphalt milling available for groomer barn approach.

Discussed comparative prices of Severson Supply and Samuelson for rentals to do groomer barn excavation. Dave Watson will do ground work at Groomer barn, if possible.

Will wait to fill the groomer fuel tank until winter grade fuel is available. The fuel tank will stay where it's at until groundwork is done.

NOWECOS Groomer contract for this season, \$33,304, Next season will be lower.

Old Business

Audit Committee –Brad Moore, annual audit completed. No problems found. David Bray moved to accept the report, 2nd, Dave Watson. Audit report approved.

NEW BUSINESS

Annual Grooming Clinic – Saturday, Nov. 12 at Prinoth Building, Grand Junction. Let Joe Tonso know if you will attend by Nov. 1.

Annual County Agreement - Brad Moore will renew the agreement.

Groomer Equipment Box – Brad M. has list of what needed. David B. moved Brad M. buy equipment needed. 2nd – Jimmy R. Motion passed.

SPOT new Generation 3 & Delorme - information discussed. SPOT = \$149/yr., \$49.95 for the replacement. Joe T. to check prices and he recommended we do something to update groomer emergency & information communications.

Groomer Barn Property Map – Brad M. will keep it with his records. Also gave a list of other important records he has.

Other Items Discussed

Dave W. to talk to land owners to see if we can go through their property with the groomer so we don't need to go on highway edge.

Brad M. has list from Duane C. of items to take care of during the year.

Calendar of Events - Poker Run – Jan. 21. Saturday

Arctic Cat Snowmobile Raffle – Ron S. moved to not participate this year.

2nd – Dave W. Motion passed.

2016 – 17 Season Rides – Wait to schedule later. Meeker brought up as a choice.

Nov. meeting treats – Brad M.

Meeting adjourned

Respectfully Submitted Jenn Tonso, Secretary