

Hampshire White Riders Snowmobile Club Meeting *MINUTES*

September 2, 2026

1. Call to Order *AT 7:05 PM BY THE PRESIDENT.*
 - a. Introduce any guests or new members. *NONE.*
2. Secretary's Report (Kathy) *MOTION TO ACCEPT BY BULLITT AND SECOND BY LINDA.*
3. Treasure's Report (Becky) *SEE REPORT. THE CLUB RECEIVED \$500 FROM THE CAR CLUB FOR PUTTING UP AND TAKING DOWN THE FENCE AT THE CAR SHOW. WE MADE A SMALL PROFIT FROM THE FOOD BOOTH AND SOLD SOME RAFFLE TICKETS WHICH WAS GOOD CONSIDERING THE BAD WEATHER AND SMALL TURNOUT THIS YEAR. MOTION TO ACCEPT BY BULLITT AND SECOND BY KEITH.*
4. Trail Report (Dan) *THE GROOMER WAS OUT FOR THE COON CREEK DAYS PARADE AND IS ALL READY FOR THE SEASON. WE WILL BE GETTING SOME NEW TRAIL SIGNS.*
5. SEP Report (Mike, Keith) *THE CLASS WILL BE ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2026 STARTING AT 7:00 AM. THERE ARE TWO STUDENTS SIGNED UP SO FAR.*
6. Web Site Report (Chris) *THE SITE IS CURRENT.*
7. Facebook Page (Mack or Ed) *THE PAGE IS CURRENT.*
8. IASC Report (Dwain)
 - a. IASC Conventions 2026 to be held at Chestnut Mountain Resort in Galena again.
 - b. IASC is still looking for someone to take over web site.
 - c. IDNR has paid on all grants that were turned in.
 - d. Magazine to stay digital at this time, but a button to be added to click on to print the magazine using your printer, Dino has an ad donation plan for clubs.
 - e. IASC Raffle tickets are here and Chris will distribute as soon as our raffle is over.
 - f. Next meeting is 9-8-2026 at The Double O Saloon in Monroe Center 7pm.
 - g. Balance on all accounts as of last meeting \$222,318.90
9. IASC Region #5 Report (Dwain)
 - a. Region #5 Raffle grossed \$10,000.00 do not know the profit yet.
 - b. HWR only winning member Steve Leffler won a pop-up tent and chairs.
 - c. Region doing Convention book again this year.
 - d. Balance on all accounts as of last meeting \$20,273.62
 - e. Next Region Meeting 9-9-2026 at Coaches Corner in Belvidere 7pm.
10. Old Business (Dwain)
 - a. Club Trip Jan 15-17 Great Northern Motel in Mercer Wisconsin.
 - b. Yellowstone trip update. *TRIP IS SCHEDULED FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2027 – SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2027, AND WE WILL STAY AT THE BEST WESTERN DESERT INN IN WEST YELLOWSTONE. DWAIN DISCUSSED THE PRELIMINARY ITINERARY AND COSTS. SOME MEMBERS ARE INTERESTED.*
 - c. Car Show and Coon Creek updates. *THE COON CREEK PARADE WENT WELL WITH A GOOD TURNOUT AND WE DIDN'T RUN OUT OF CANDY. MANY NO-SHOWS DUE TO WEATHER AT THE CAR SHOW, ONLY 387 CARS AND \$400 FROM THE GATE. WE HAVE EXTRA SUPPLIES FOR THE HOT DOG ROAST LEFT OVER FROM THE FOOD BOOTH.*
 - d. Raffle ticket update. *SEVERAL TICKETS ARE OUT & SOME ARE BACK ALREADY.*
 - e. HWR Wear *JEFF IS WORKING ON AN ORDER FORM.*

11. New Business (Dwain)

- a. Future club meeting locations??? ***THE OCTOBER MEETING WILL BE AT KEITH'S AT 7:00 PM. WE DISCUSSED POSSIBLY HAVING THE MEETINGS AT NIKOS OR THE COPPER BARREL.***
- b. ***WE DISCUSSED HAVING THE MEAT/CASH RAFFLE AT NIKOS OR THE COPPER BARREL.***
- c. ***WE PLAN TO HAVE THE CHRISTMAS PARTY AT THE TOWNSHIP BUILDING.***
- d. ***THE HOT DOG ROAST WILL BE ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2026, AT 7:00 PM AT THE HASEMAN'S.***

12. Announcements

Club Hats \$15.00 & Club Stickers \$2.50

IASC Meeting is 9-8-2026 at The Double O Saloon in Monroe Center 7:30pm.

Region #5 meeting 9-9-2026 at Coaches Corner in Belvidere.

Club Trip Jan 15-17 Great Northern Motel in Mercer Wisconsin.

Hay Days North Branch Minnesota Sept 12-13

Wide Open Wisconsin Show Sept 25-27 Fair Grounds in West Bend Wisconsin.

Belvidere Prairie Riders Grass Drags & Swap Meet Oct 4th 8am-5pm.

IASC Convention Nov 6-7 Galena Illinois.

HWR Meat & Cash Raffle 11-21-2026 7pm location in Hampshire to be determined.

Membership 2025-2026 Members/Landowners/Honorary- 72 Families

13. Adjournment: Motion Made By: *BULLITT* Second: *KEITH*

The Rules for Snowmobiling in The Village of Hampshire

The Hampshire White Riders Snowmobile Club has had an agreement with The Village since 1980 about snowmobiling in Hampshire. This will address many questions about riding in the village. We need to get the word out ourselves to everyone. We think our website, social media, and all of us members talking to anyone in the Village of Hampshire who will listen is key.

1. You can ride any village street STRICKLY FOR THE PURPOSE OF GETTING TO AND FROM THE TRAIL AT A SPEED OF 15mph OR LESS, NO JOY RIDING IN THE VILLAGE. Stay off sidewalks and grassy surfaces, such as parkways or lawns. STAY OUT OF THE PARKS

2. You may not ride on State Street, Allen Road or Rt #72 you can cross these roads, but you cannot ride on them.

3. You may not cross State Street between Terwilliger and Washington (Downtown Business District) due to the poor visibility.

4. Trails are LEGALLY open from December 10 - March 15 with 4" of snow on frozen ground and 6" of snow on unfrozen ground.