

Sno-Eagles, Inc. Snowmobile Club

Duties of Officers, Directors, and Committees

The President shall:

- 1. Be the principal executive officer of the corporation.
- 2. Supervise and manage all business and affairs of the corporation
- 3. Preside at all membership meetings and Board of Directors meetings
- 4. Have authority to appoint such agents and representatives of the corporation, as he shall deem necessary and to delegate the authority to them.
- 5. Have authority to sign all documents on behalf of the corporation in the course of its regular business with the consent of the majority of the Board of Directors.
- 6. Authorize the Vice President or any officer or agent of the corporation to sign such other documents in his absence, with the same authority.
- 7. Appoint the Trail Boss(es) every two years with the approval of the Board of Directors.
- 8. The President shall appoint such committees as necessary to work on projects and events.

The Vice-President shall:

- 1. Attend all membership and board meetings
- 2. In the absence or resignation of the President, perform the duties of the President
- 3. When so acting, shall have all the powers of and be subject to all the same restrictions upon the President.
- 4. Perform other duties as directed by the President

The Secretary shall:

- 1. Attend all membership and board meetings
- 2. Take and distribute the minutes of the membership meetings
- 3. Take and distribute the minutes of the Board of Directors meetings
- 4. Be the custodian of the records of the corporation
- 5. Perform all the duties incidental to the office of secretary and such duties as may be delegated or assigned by the President
- 6. Send appropriate Club correspondence i.e.: Thank You notes, flowers or cards for special needs of the members
- 7. Provide the Board of Directors meeting minutes to the President for review and then once reviewed, distribute to the Board of Directors
- 8. Provide the membership meeting minutes to the President for review. The President will distribute the unapproved minutes with the next monthly newsletter
- 9. Prepare and send absentee ballots upon written/electronic request

The Treasurer shall:

- 1. Attend all membership and board meetings
- 2. Conduct duties of Treasurer according to club by-laws and applicable laws.
- 3. Pick up mail daily @ Eagle River Post Office, PO Box 866, Eagle River
- 4. Pay all invoices and expenses
- 5. Make deposits for all checks and cash received by club to M-Bank Eagle River
- 6. Maintain check register
- 7. Enter all check register items on account sheets
- 8. Balance checkbook twice per month
- 9. Prepare monthly financial statement-ending balance in check register must match ending balance on monthly financial report
- 10. Prepare a Budget versus Actual report starting in January of the fiscal year and monthly thereafter
- 11. Present current financial status to monthly board and membership meetings
- 12. Maintain files for all receipts and invoices per chart of accounts
- 13. Prepare information the WI Fuel Tax Refund and Federal Excise Tax Refund
- 14. Submit fiscal year financial records to club accountant for preparation of annual Federal Tax Return
- 15. As Chairman of the Budget Committee prepare annual budget for presentation to the Board of Directors at August Board Meeting
- 16. Review groomer driver's time sheets and submit to accountant for preparation of payroll checks
- 17. Prepare information for quarterly sales tax returns and submit to accountant for filing return.
- 18. Prepare on AWSC website, enter all membership renewals and new members. Pay AWSC dues for members. When received, mail AWSC membership cards to members. Maintain file of all applications. Send a copy of applications to the Membership Committee Chair

The Directors shall:

- 1. Attend all membership and board meetings
- 2. Represent the membership by supervising the activities of the club/corporation
- 3. Directors have the fiduciary responsibilities of the corporation
- 4. Represent the membership in safeguarding the purpose and mission of the club
- 5. Directors shall volunteer to serve as a committee chair or sub-committee chair of the club activities

Community Liaison Committee Chair:

- Shall manage the Trail Hotline Phone update from Dec. 1 until the end of the snowmobile trail open season
- 2. Shall update the following websites for the club:
 - a. SnowmobileEagleRiver.com
 - b. TravelWisconsin.com
 - c. Snowtracks.com
- 3. Shall function as the Trail Easement Coordinator between the Sno-Eagles and the private land owners as well as Vilas County. This includes verification of the easements via letters to private land owners each year after July 1 and before the start of the snowmobile season.

- 4. Shall provide the Treasurer a list of landowner names for trail liability insurance
- 5. Assist the club with various activities throughout the year.

Publicity Committee Chair:

- 1. The Publicity Committee is responsible for publicizing Sno-Eagles activities.
- 2. Announce and promote Sno-Eagles activities through local media, website and electronic communications
- 3. Provide publicity update at board of directors and membership meetings

Fundraising Committee Chair:

- 1. Shall ensure that each sub-committee assumes responsibility for their sub-committee and accomplishes the fundraising activities.
- 2. Delegate authority to the sub-committees to accomplish all fundraising activities
- 3. Report fundraising activities at the board of directors meetings and at the membership meetings.

Activities Committee Chair:

- Shall ensure that each sub-committee assumes responsibility for their subcommittee and accomplishes all activities
- 2. Delegate authority to the sub-committees to accomplish all activities.
- 3. Report various activities at the board of directors meetings and at the membership meetings.

Sub-committee Chairs:

- Assume responsibility for organization and implementation of specific fundraising and club activities
- 2. Provide monthly report of applicable event to Fundraising or Activity Committee chair
- 3. Provide pertinent information and details of the event to the Publicity Committee chair in timely manner to ensure effective promotion

Tellers Committee Chair:

The Tellers Committee serves to facilitate the Club annual meeting with the Election of Officers and Directors. Responsibilities of the Tellers Committee include:

- The Tellers Committee shall conduct the business of the Club in accordance with these adopted rules, the Bylaws of the Sno-Eagles Snowmobile Club and adopted parliamentary authority
- 2. Each member of the Tellers Committee shall be a member in good standing with the Sno-Eagles Snowmobile Club
- 3. Election functions include:
 - Members of the Tellers Committee shall verify the candidates are able to fulfill the duties of office and that each candidate is a resident of the Eagle River area prior to the start of the Club annual meeting
 - b. Determination of a quorum. The President will announce the start of balloting
 - c. Each Club member will complete his/her ballot and hand it to a member of the Tellers Committee
 - d. Members of the Tellers Committee will count the ballots

- e. The Tellers Committee is responsible for tabulating, recording, and certifying the results of elections.
- At the annual meeting the Tellers Committee will open the sealed absentee ballots for counting
- g. Ballots will be checked to ensure validity.
- h. The number of votes for a given candidate shall be counted repeatedly until the same result is obtained twice.
- i. The number of votes for each candidate shall be recorded on the election report and certified by the Committee Chair.
- j. The Chair will then hand the election report to the President, who will announce the result.
- k. Submission of a report recording the results of all votes and elections during the Club annual meeting to the President

Budget Committee:

The President shall appoint the Treasurer as Chair of the budget committee. The principal functions of the budget committee are to:

- Develop an annual budget consistent with the purpose and mission of the Sno-Eagles Snowmobile Club with guidance from the Board of Directors
- 2. Receive and review individual budget estimates concerning different budget line items
- 3. Suggest changes, modifications in accordance with organizational objectives
- 4. Suggest corrective action to improve efficiency and achieve budgetary goals
- **5.** In performing these functions, the budget committee, headed by the budget committee chair, becomes a management committee

Membership Committee:

The President shall appoint a Chairperson to form the Membership Committee. The duties of the Membership Committee are:

- 1. Prepare a Welcome Packet for each new member/family of the Sno-Eagles
- 2. Suggested composition of the Welcome Packet:
 - a. Welcome letter from the President
 - b. Welcome letter from the Membership Chairperson explaining the contents of the packet.
 - i. Explanation of membership and membership year
 - ii. Explanation of membership into AWSC and membership year
 - iii. Explanation of newsletters, website and how to get involved in the club
 - iv. Sno-Eagles decal

The Trail Boss(es) shall:

The club trail boss(es) is an appointed position by the President of the Sno-Eagles Snowmobile Club with the approval of the Board of Directors, for a term of two years. Listed below are the key duties and responsibilities of this position:

Communication

- 1. The Trail Boss(es) is required to attend all board of directors and membership meetings
- 2. Maintain a positive relationship with land owners
- 3. Provide accurate and timely data entry into the Snowmobile Automated Reporting System (SNARS)
- 4. Maintain a positive relationship with the City of Eagle River and Vilas County
- 5. Maintain and open and friendly work environment with the grooming and maintenance staff
- 6. Maintain open communication with other snowmobile clubs' trail bosses in the area

Groomer Maintenance

- 1. The Trail Boss(es) has the overall responsibility of equipment and building maintenance. The Trail Boss will work closely with volunteers and recruit volunteers to assist in equipment and building maintenance
- Conduct weekly maintenance program with drivers and volunteers; ensure that equipment maintenance logs are completed. Ensure pre-start up checks are completed
- 3. Coordinate special project maintenance

Trail Maintenance & Safety

- 1. Coordinate with the Chairman of the Trail Maintenance Committee the volunteer trail maintenance workdays throughout year
- 2. Assist & coordinate brushing crew
- 3. Assist & coordinate sign crew coordination with Trail Sign Committee
- 4. Work cooperatively with Vilas County Forestry & Recreation
- 5. Inform the board of directors of any route changes or trail improvements needed
- 6. Coordinate and direct volunteers and paid contractors with any work conducted on the trail system

Grooming

- 1. Maintain cost effective and efficient grooming program
- 2. Schedule & train grooming staff
- 3. Ensure drivers understand when to stop if a machine shows warning lights or operating problems
- 4. Post a weekly groomer driver schedule
- 5. Schedule regular groomer maintenance in coordination with Maintenance Committee
- 6. Ensure groomer drivers maintain the daily log books for the equipment
- 7. Address the concerns and suggestions of businesses who support Sno-Eagles regarding grooming & trail issues
- 8. Complete all paperwork required by the County for trail reimbursements and by the club for easements.
- 9. Establish and encourage member involvement
- 10. Develop 3, 5, 10, 15-year equipment replacement plan