

## **ATV Task Force Agenda**

Date: September 19, 2019

Location: Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Bangor Regional Office, 650 State Street Bangor (Dorthea Dix Complex access from Hogan Road or State Street)

Time: 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

### Agenda

- A. Welcome new member Jim Sinclair.
- B. Discuss meeting minutes and Task Force landing page on IFW website.
- C. Discuss today's objectives.
- D. Discuss gathering stakeholder and public information.
- E. Review and Discuss 2003 ATV Task Force Report.
  - 1. Update by Brian Bronson on where we are today in relation to the landowner and trail goals of the 2003 report (cost comparisons, miles of trail, program infrastructure, etc).
  - 2. Discuss how we reach consensus on costs per mile for construction and maintenance in relation to the 2003 report and present-day costs.

10:30 – Break (10 mins)

- F. ATV Definitions in the U.S. (presentation by Dave Chabot)
  - 1. Defining ATV/UTV to further our discussion on appropriate trail size and construction standards.
  - 2. Discuss narrowing Task Force discussion on an ATV definition for max width and weight.
  - 3. Discuss tire size and air pressure as a limiting factor for ATV's/UTV's.

12:00 to 1:00 - Lunch (on your own)

- G. Trail Construction and Maintenance
  - 1. Discuss what construction means (upgrading existing path/trail/roads in the woods? cutting new trails? do we focus only on existing woods roads/trails/public roadways? to what trail widths?).
  - 2. How do we determine standards for construction?
  - 3. What does maintenance mean?
  - 4. Who determines when maintenance needed?
  - 5. What is the role of clubs vs. contractors in construction and maintenance
- H. Review next meeting dates and plans.
- I. Homework and agenda topics for next meeting.

2:40 - Public comment

3:00 - Adjournment