Delta Junction Trails Association – Meeting Notes

Thursday, September 19, 2013 @ 5:30 p.m.

Meeting held at Jarvis Bldg, Coop Extension

**ATTENDEES:** Colin Barnard, Ellen Clark, Ellie Schneider, Wendy Gerry, Audrey Brown, Pete Hallgren, Judy Hicks, Mindy Eggleston

**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT:** 5:30 p.m.

**AGENDA**

MINUTES

TREASURER

REPORTS

NONPROFIT STATUS

MATSU/RTCA

DROPBOX

SPECIAL EVENTS

PRIORITIZING PROJECTS

TMOs

NEXT MEETING

**REVIEWED MINUTES FROM 8/22/2013** (Wendy): Reviewed and approved.

**TREASURY REPORT** (Carol absent): Reviewed by Mindy Eggleston.

* After Mindy was paid back for fronting the money and shirts sold, we had a $40 profit.
* There are 2-3 shirts still left for sale.

**REPORTS** (Mindy)

**NONPROFIT STATUS**: Two options: Alaska Trails or 501(c3) On Our Own

* Discussed Alaska Trails with their knowledge and sponsorship. They will guide us in paperwork and help with grant writing, contract to be signed, but they would require 10%. Pete brought up that perhaps being associated with Alaska Trails would give us credibility.
* Few committee members suggested that before we go into a new grant idea, we should try our own to keep cost down.
* Pete Hallgren asked if we have to be in existence for a period of time before becoming a 501(c3).
* Audrey Brown is researching more information regarding this topic.

**MATSU/RTCA (**Mindy)

* Webinar, 09/25/2013, Wednesday, 9-10:30 Trail Maintenance
* Webinar, 10/08/2013, Tuesday, Partnering and paying for alternative

**DROPBOX** (Mindy)

* Submit pictures to Dropbox for DVD development
* Develop DVD to help with grants or donations from - Ft Greely, Soil and Conservation, City, GVEA – any group we might be presenting to

**SPECIAL EVENTS** (Mindy)

* Donnelly hike possibly before winter sets in
* Run/Walk around town
* Recommendation made for Harvest Moon Walk, October 19
* Get KDHS radio station involved

**PRIORITIZING PROJECTS** (Ellen)

* Discussed changes/ideas
* Suggested at last meeting to send off to RTCA for review but we will wait for them to help us one-on-one

**TMOs** (Judy)

Decided to work in one large group

Meeting adjourned: 7 p.m.

**NEXT MEETING:**

Thursday, October 24, 2013 @ 5:30 p.m. @ Coop Extension

Notes taken by: Wendy Gerry