

BYLAWS

Red River Snowmobile Club, Inc.

ARTICLE I – MEMBERSHIP

Section 1 – Membership

The Board of Directors shall establish, consistent with the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws, the qualifications for membership, duties of members, annual dues (if any), and the manner and timing of payment.

ARTICLE II – MEETINGS OF MEMBERS

Section 1 – Place of Meetings

Meetings of members may be held at the registered office of the Corporation or at any other location designated by the Board of Directors.

Section 2 – Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of members shall be held on or about the fourth Monday of October each year, at a time set by the Board of Directors and stated in the meeting notice.

At this meeting, members shall elect directors and conduct other business as appropriate.

If the annual meeting is not held or directors are not elected, a special meeting may be called for that purpose by the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, or upon request of any voting member.

Section 3 – Special Meetings

Special meetings may be called by:

- The President
- The Board of Directors
- Any two directors
- Members holding at least twenty percent (20%) of the voting power

A written request for a special meeting shall be submitted to an officer, who must issue notice within seven (7) days. The meeting shall occur no fewer than ten (10) and no more than sixty (60) days after the request.

If notice is not issued within seven (7) days, the requesting members may set the meeting time and provide notice.

Section 4 – Adjournment

If a meeting is adjourned, no additional notice is required if the new time and place are announced at the meeting.

Section 5 – Notice of Meetings

Written notice stating the time and place of each meeting, and the purpose of any special meeting, shall be provided at least ten (10) days in advance to all voting members.

Section 6 – Waiver of Notice

A member may waive notice of a meeting in writing before or after the meeting. Attendance at a meeting constitutes waiver unless the member objects at the outset.

Section 7 – Quorum

A quorum shall consist of two-thirds (66.6%) of members entitled to vote.

If a quorum is present, business may continue even if members later leave and quorum is lost.

Section 8 – Voting Rights

Each member is entitled to one (1) vote.

Section 9 – Method of Voting

Voting must be conducted in person.

Section 10 – Action Without Meeting

Any action requiring a vote may be taken without a meeting if all voting members provide written consent.

ARTICLE III – BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1 – Number of Directors

The Board shall consist of no fewer than three (3) and no more than ten (10) directors.

Section 2 – Election and Terms

Directors shall be elected by the members for three (3)-year terms.

To maintain continuity, initial terms shall be staggered:

- One-third for one (1) year
- One-third for two (2) years
- One-third for three (3) years

There is no limit on the number of terms a director may serve.

Vacancies may be filled by the remaining directors until the next member election.

Section 3 – Meetings

Board meetings shall be held at locations determined by the Board.

Section 4 – Notice of Meetings

Meetings may be called by the President or any two directors. Notice shall include time and place but need not include purpose.

Attendance constitutes waiver of notice.

Section 5 – Quorum

A majority of directors constitutes a quorum.

Section 6 – Action Without Meeting

Board action may be taken without a meeting if all directors provide written consent.

ARTICLE IV – OFFICERS

Section 1 – Election and Term

Officers shall be elected by the Board and include:

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer

Officers serve until the next annual meeting or until successors are appointed.

Section 2 – President

The President shall:

- Preside over meetings
- Execute authorized documents (with a co-signing officer)
- Perform duties assigned by the Board

Section 3 – Vice President

The Vice President shall perform the duties of the President in their absence and other assigned duties.

Section 4 – Secretary

The Secretary shall:

- Maintain meeting minutes
- Issue notices
- Maintain records

- Perform customary duties of the office

Section 5 – Treasurer

The Treasurer shall:

- Manage financial records and funds
- Perform customary duties of the office

Section 6 – Compensation

Officers shall not receive compensation but may be reimbursed for reasonable expenses.

ARTICLE V – GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 1 – Indemnification

The Corporation shall indemnify directors and officers for reasonable expenses incurred in legal proceedings related to their roles, except in cases of misconduct or failure to perform duties.

Section 2 – Committees

The Board may establish standing or special committees as needed.

Section 3 – Conflict of Interest Policy

A conflict of interest exists when personal, financial, or organizational interests could interfere with objective decision-making.

A. Actual Conflicts

Examples include:

- Personal financial gain
- Gifts or compensation from related parties
- Employment or family ties with involved entities

B. Potential Conflicts

Any situation that could influence decision-making must be disclosed.

C. Individual Responsibility

Members and officers must avoid using their position for personal or family benefit.

D. Organizational Conflicts

Conflicts may arise if the Club has divided loyalties or access to unfair advantages.

E. Disclosure and Management

All conflicts must be disclosed. The Board may require recusal or take other appropriate action.

ARTICLE VI – AMENDMENTS

Section 1 – Amendments

These Bylaws may be amended, repealed, or replaced by a majority vote of the Board of Directors.