10/2/2026

## Motor Sports Comm Meeting

Members In attendance: Mike Okonski, Greg Rowland, Lynn Horton, Greg La Pan, Jason Siduski, John Sullivan, Nick Lasch, Dennis Campbell, Vicky Campbell, Teigan Ramsey, Jason Hamilton, Brian Brockway, Tim Havens Sr and Fred Wolfe.

Lynn discussed the Power Wheels Derby. She thought it went well. Likes the 12:30 start time better than the later one from this year with the rescheduling of events on Sunday. She still kept the 11am registration time for those who did not know of time change. She was not included in early discussions about the time change of events. Lynn thought it was tough for the kids and parents. She thought it was a tight turnaround from power wheels to the demo. Had concerns about the setup for the demo during the power wheels event. Mike said that was on him, they were crunched for time and apologized. Discussion about starting the registration possibly at 10am year...

Teigan thought it was tough moving the trucks out after the pull with all the demo cars coming in. Some trucks moved to the outer pit and then they went back into the fair which caused congestion in the outer pit. May need them to go out across the roadway and park. She was not staffed properly for the rescheduled event and had to find extra help the day of. Sara and Gary St Mary helped her and as did Sabrina Sullivan.

Monday Demo: We had 65 cars and they went well.

Garden Tractors: Dean was not in attendance. Discussion held about pit passes for the morning and evening event with garden tractor pullers. Teigan gets a list to know who is staying for the night show.

Deisel Trucks: Show went well. Hoping for some more wild street diesels next year as some were broke this year. 3.0 diesel only had one truck, we will run one more year and then take another look at the class.

Antique tractor pull: Jared would like to add a 1st place trophy for each class next year. Approx $220 for the trophies. **The committee recommended adding the trophies**.

Gas trucks: No issues with cancellation. No refunds were given on pit passes.

Out of field tractors: Event went well. Need to keep policing the tractors to make sure they are in the proper class.

NYTPA: The event went well. Discussion about the cost of the event keeps going up. Reaching out to Full Pull Productions to come and give a presentation.

Sunday Demo: 97 cars entered! That's a record! Need to look for an announcer for 2027 for both events. Tim suggested Keith Harrington, Mike will reach out.

Discussion held about the day as a whole.

Mike did not like the reschedule of events. Feels that it's a bad precedent to reschedule an event when you cannot do that for all events. No time to redo farm pull or NYTPA for example. Mike was concerned about the safety of everyone with so much going on at once in the afternoon. John said it was difficult fitting everything in at the outer pit, tough to tech cars with little room. Teigan stated the outer pit was very congested and at times we had no fire lane in the outer pit. Teigan requested a copy of the track crew list so she knows who is coming to help each year and also a list of fire dept/EMS coverage for the week.

**Things needed for next year:**

**Teigan needs a name badge.**

**More Air horns for demos.**

**A replacement RPM tech, one of ours does not work.**

**More track Crew shirts, we have not ordered any in a long time.**

Next Meeting on 11/5/2026 at 7pm.