Hawkeye Bike Club Executive Board Meeting Marion Public Library Monday, September 8, 2014 at 7:00PM

The President called the meeting to order at 7:00PM with the following members present: David Turzai (President), Sue Henderson (Secretary), Dave Benderson (RAGBRAI), Diane Potter (Swine Trek), Mark McDowell (Treasurer), and Mark Dimke (Touring Director).

Secretary's Report: The minutes were read by Sue and approved with a correction of the word our before Ragbrai participation. in Old Business.

Treasurer's Report: The treasurer's report was read by Mark and approved. Dave Benderson will turn in the final Ragbrai expense report. We will once again donate \$1000.00 to the Iowa Bike Coalition.

Webmaster Report: The 2014 Ragbrai trip report by Dave Evans has been posted on the website.

Swine Trek: There was a low participation of only 50 riders probably due to the weather and the date. That brought a loss of \$72.71. The board discussed changing the date to June as Ragbrai preparation as well as increasing the registration fee.

Ragbrai: No report as Dave joined the meeting late.

Touring Report: One of the issues discussed were ride leaders who scheduled rides solely to meet Ragbrai requirements for acceptance, then canceling their rides. Restrictions on mileage for the Saturday rides at the beginning of the season, and the direction the club should take in the future were other topics of discussion. The latter will be brought up to the members at the annual meeting in October.

Old Business: Sunday, October 5th is the annual meeting at Squaw Creek Park from 1:00 to 4:30. This will be a luncheon meeting with grilled burgers and potluck, speaker Brandon Whyte and election of officers. An Email was sent to members and will be sent again one week prior to the event, as well as post cards sent as another reminder two weeks in advance.

New Business: Election of officers will be determined at the annual meeting. At this time we need a president, treasurer, and possibly a vice president. There has been interest in the treasurer position, as well as inquiries into the other open positions. The secretary has another year to fulfill.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 PM. The next meeting is scheduled for October 13, 7:00 PM at the Marion Public Library, Marion, Iowa.

Respectfully submitted, Sue Henderson Secretary