NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING CRANDON-ARGONNE JCT CORRIDOR HEARING

COMMITTEE: FOREST COUNTY FORESTRY AND RECREATION COMMITTEE

PLACE: CITY HALL

DATE: June 16, 2020 TIME: 4:00 P.M.

Members Present: Campbell, Chaney, Dehart, Karl, Miller, Stamper

Members Absent: Houle

Staff: Carly DeVet, Katie Schallock, Mindy Samz

Others Present: Public attendees as well as others by go-to meeting.

1. Call to Order.

Meeting was called to order by Chaney at 4:00 p.m.

2. Roll Call.

Six (6) members present, one (1) absent.

3. Approval of Agenda.

Motion by Stamper and seconded by Dehart to approve the agenda, all present voting aye, motion carried.

4. Confirm Compliance with Open Meeting Requirements.

Hearing was advertised in newspaper for minimum of 2 weeks. Notices were mailed to property owners along railroad grade. Notice was posted on Forest County website and on Courthouse doors.

5. Inform the Public of Hearing Procedures (time for each speaker).

Public and go-to meeting attendees were informed of public hearing procedures: Do not talk amongst yourself, direct questions to committee and/or staff, state name prior to speaking to ensure accurate notes, 5 minutes will be allowed per speaker if information is not being repeated, closure of meeting, deliberation and decision.

6. Open the Public Hearing.

Motion by Dehart and seconded by Campbell to open public hearing, all present voting aye, motion carried.

7. Reading of the Notice.

Forest Administrator read the official Crandon-Argonne JCT Corridor notice.

8. County Presentation (Staff report)

Introduction of Forestry Committee and staff.

9. Comments from the Public (if any).

Prior to meeting date over 200 letters had been sent to the Forestry Department. Forest Administrator read a few of the letters for the attendees and noted that all letters are available upon request for review. Public was allowed to speak; Committee and staff noted public concerns and recommendations and would consult with DNR to determine next steps.

10. Final Questions from the Committee.

No questions.

11. Entertain a Motion to Close the Public Hearing.

Motion by Stamper and seconded by Campbell to close public hearing, all present voting aye, motion carried.

12. Deliberation and Decision.

All present voting: Campbell (AYE), Chaney, (AYE), Dehart (AYE), Karl (AYE), Miller (AYE), Stamper (AYE). Motion by Stamper and seconded by Campbell to approve the Crandon-Argonne JCT Corridor extending the Wolf River State Trail for recreational use, motion carried.

13. Adjourn.

Motion by Dehart and seconded by Campbell to Adjourn at 4:50p.m., All present voting aye, motion carried.