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Subject: Snowmobile Trail

Hi Shawn

Meaford and District Ridge Runners Snowmobile Club is asking for assistance from the Town in establishing a trail into Thornbury for gas, food, and lodging.

We previously had a trail from County Road 40 to the 10th Line and up John St. The landowners the Robinson Family have denied access through their property. With the closing of the bridge on the 10th Line to motorized vehicles we have no access to the town unless we send people along the side of the road on Grey Rd 13 or Grey Rd 2.

These options are not very safe for the people. If we dont have a solution by September 2012 we will have to remove this trail from our trail maps for the upcoming season and post a no snowmobile access to Thornbury sign at Grey Rd 40. This is not good for snowmobilers or the business community.

The Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs are holding there A.G.M. Convention at the Villiage at Blue Mountain September 13-15 2012. This is the second time in three years that they will be here showing support for this area.

Any support or ideas would be much appreciated from the town.

I look forward to hearing from you in the near future to discuss these issues.

Thanks

Keith Bumstead
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