## **AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2022 MEETING**

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM

Roll call of officers: All present, except Josh Rich

**Meeting Minutes**: Motion to accept July 2022 Meeting minutes as written; Motion passed.

**Mail**: American rifleman magazine, Info Request from SAM, and Acton Fair Flyer.

**Bills**: Motion to pass bills to committee; motion passed.

Conservation/Stocking: N/A

Scholarship: N/A

<u>Legislative</u>: Assault weapons ban currently in the Senate. If it passes the Senate, it goes to President, who will likely sign. If you have time, contact your senators. Proposed changes to State Fishing/Hunting laws – on the State website.

By-Laws: N/A

**Hunter Safety**: Posted online.

**Trap Shoot**: Going good, have more shooters showing up.

**Membership**: We currently have 882 Members. Motion to accept all new members as read; Motion passed.

**Building**: N/A.

**Gun Show**: N/A

<u>Sanford Range</u>: Had to replace the stove pipe on pistol range. Someone shot at 50-yard range and shot it up... member speaking too soft spoken, cannot make out details. Something about cutting trees.

**Berwick Range**: Received another noise complaint, Zach got an email from town manager. Art and Zack talked to a complainant for hour and a half. Biggest objection is early mornings and Sunday afternoons. Art shot "around" - the 6 pistol bays and shot gun and trap ranges are louder than expected. Will be making changes to accommodate – to start, the Club would like to change Range hours of operation to start at 8am to Sunset, 7 days a week. Will also try to move our organized shooting events (ex. Steel Challenge, Cowboy) to Saturday instead of Sunday – but this won't be implemented until next year.

Complainants would like to see:

- Cease-fire at 6pm two nights a week. (Friday & Saturday)
- No Shooting on Sunday.
- Sound Barrier

Motion to change the Berwick range start time to 8:00am effective August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Motion carries.

**Publicity**: N/A

Cowboys: N/A

Archery: Replacing some of the old Archery Targets, Saturday August 6th.

2-Gun Shoot: Next shoot - Sunday Aug. 14th.

<u>USPSA</u>: Next shoot – Sunday Aug.7<sup>th</sup>. Already have 58 people already signed up.

Steel Shoot: Next shoot - Aug 21st.

Range Safety: N/A

<u>Unfinished Business</u>: <u>New Trap Machine</u> – Nothing to add tonight, table to next meeting.

New Business: N/A

For the good of the organization: Club Raffle won by Nathan Burchett.

## **Calendar of Monthly Events:**

Next Club Meeting – September 1st @ 7:00pm
E-board Meeting – August 16th @ 6:00pm
Slow Fire Pistol – Aug. 7th @ Sanford 9:00
Trap Shoot – Aug. 7<sup>th</sup>,14<sup>th</sup>,21<sup>st</sup>, and 28<sup>th</sup>
USPSA – Aug. 7<sup>th</sup>
2-Gun Shoot – Aug. 14th
Cowboys – Aug. Match Canceled.
Steel Challenge – Aug. 21<sup>st</sup>
Archery Hunter Safety Course – Session #1 Aug. 24<sup>th</sup> at Alfred Town Hall.
Archery Hunter Safety Course – Session #2 Aug. 31<sup>st</sup> at Alfred Town Hall.

Motion to Adjourn Meeting; Motion passed by majority vote. Meeting adjourned at 8:10pm