



Guidance for Snowmobilers

The Windssock Village Aviation Corporation would like to remind residents of the general policies and procedures surrounding the operation of snowmobiles and other motorized vehicles (excluding aircraft) on the runway and taxiways.

- **Snowmobiles are allowed to operate on the edges of the runway and taxiways with the following limitations:**
 - Residents may only use the runway/taxiway to transit from one place to another. No general riding is allowed. For example, one could ride from one's house to the trail system or back, but other general riding is not permitted.
 - Please avoid the portions of the runway and taxiway used by aircraft. Stay as close to the edges as practical. Cross the runway only at the very ends.
 - Speeds should be moderate and conservative. This is important.
 - Anyone that causes damage to the runway or taxiway will be responsible for the cost of the repair. Please avoid operations without sufficient snow cover.
 - Always be alert for aircraft which obviously have the right-of-way. It will not be possible to hear a landing aircraft when on a snowmobile.
- **Special note regarding access to NH Corridor Trail 19.**

Access from Windssock to the #19 Corridor trail is generally via Ira's Lane or down

the powerline right-of-way that runs parallel to Ira's Lane. Ira's Lane is a private plowed road and access may be limited by the owners. Please respect any gates or other barriers that have been installed by the owners.

Access to the powerline ROW requires traversing private property owned by Jen and Tom Huckman. The Huckmans have asked that anyone wishing to cross their property stop by in person to ask permission and so that Tom can help them determine the best route to use. Tom is often working at his shop and catching him for a quick chat should not be too difficult. If you have trouble connecting with Tom, feel free to contact a board member for assistance. In no circumstances may the Huckman's property may be used without their permission.

- **Final note:**

Please be respectful of private property and resident's peace and quiet. Snowmobiles aren't everyone's favorite machines and abuses of this policy may very well be reported to the aviation board. If the board determines that the policies are being ignored, there may be no choice but to further limit access.

If you have any questions or would like further clarification, please feel free to contact me or any WVAC board member.

Thank you and enjoy the season.

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