The document is a Motorized Recreation Grant Application for the Taylor County Forest and Recreation Department. The application is for the construction of a new winter ATV trail in Lincoln County.

The project description summary states that the trail has been maintained by Taylor County for many years. It is located between Bridge Avenue and the Lincoln County line, with 2.7 miles of plowed town road to access it. The trail is groomed with ATV's allowed when the air temperature is 28 degrees Fahrenheit or less.

The applicant certifies that all maintenance and land use agreements are on file. The estimated cost for the project is $270.00.

The applicant's signature and date are provided, confirming the accuracy of the information submitted.
We do not have that on our map as an ATV accessible trail. However, if your club applies for ATV funding up to our Wildwood Ave. that is OK with me because Wildwood Ave. is already open to ATVs year round. After that it hits a town road which is also open to ATVs. If they want ATVs on it I don't see a problem with that.

Dean

On Tue, Mar 29, 2022 at 2:58 PM Walcisak Jake <jake.walcisak@co.taylor.wi.us> wrote:

Thanks Dean. Specifically, how about trail 86 between Spirit Falls and the Taylor County line?

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Good Morning,
I have no problem with trail reimbursement going through Taylor County for this segment. We have an agreement with Rick to have the trail on our county forest and he comes in every year to drop off their certificate of insurance. Marathon County clubs have a couple funded trail segments through Lincoln County as well. Thanks for asking.

On Wed, Jan 12, 2022 at 9:12 AM Walcisak Jake <jake.walcisak@co.taylor.wi.us> wrote:

Morning Dean,

Ricky Schmitz from the Northwoods Riders brought a trail funding item to my attention. Trail 86 is located in the very NE corner of Taylor County on the County Forest. The Taylor County Grooming Association grooms this trail and continues from the Lincoln County line in a NE direction to Wildwood Ave where they turn around. This has been common practice for many years. This occurs because the Lincoln County groomer would need to deadhead down many miles of town road from the north to arrive at this short segment. State funding has never been allocated for this segment. I would like to request that this segment of trail be allocated to Taylor County within SNARS so that it may be added to our annual maintenance agreement and receive future funding. I attached a screenshot from groomer tracking systems mapping. I highlighted along the side of this segment. I will be on a conference call until 11:30 today but am available the rest of the day if you would like to talk on the phone. Thanks and take care Dean.

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