

Citizen Resolution # 450320

(For Hearing Officer completion)



Require In-Person Snowmobile and ATV Safety Classes

I would like to have atv and snowmobile safety classes taught in a classroom setting with a licensed instructor as opposed to online classes. It has been proven to be a much more effective way to teach students by giving them a hands on learning opportunity. Some of these students have never been on an actual atv or snowmobile and need the hands on experience that an online course cannot provide. In addition to the experience, it also gives instructors the chance to make sure students get the right helmets that fit correctly and to actually show them in person the correct way to handle and ride their vehicle. Again, this cannot be done well with an online presentation. The majority of my fellow instructors agree with me, that live, in person classroom instruction is best for the students and will provide the best outcome for all concerned. We can do a safe handed on class with a atv set for 15 miles per hour, and a safe riding area. We been doing it for over 40 years. Now that they our riding on more and more roads we can make a difference.

Be it resolved to the conservation congress at its annual meeting held in Outagamie County on April 13th, 2020, that the Conservation Congress work with the NRB and the state legislature to require in person ATV and snowmobile safety training for students.

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