

September 9, 2020

Meeting called to order by President Bob Barnum

In attendance:

Bob(KC9RF), Dave(N9DBS), Kyle(AB9AX), Jeff(N9NIC), Scott(W9JU),
Phill(K9UC), Marv(KD9MVE), Jeffery(KD9FYU), Scott(WA9STI),
Dennis(KC9SKA), Roger(KD9EPX), John(KD9DQZ), Mark(KC9WI),
RayBob(KD9DDE)).

Minutes from August 12th 2020 meeting were approved.

Treasures report from August 12th meeting were approved.

No Tech Talk this month.

Discussion: Extending repeater coverage for Vilas County.

Wires-X for Land O Lake repeater.

Established that the club is interested in placing another repeater system within Vilas County. Roger felt that it would be a good idea to replace the Big Red repeater in the Three Lakes area. Mark volunteered to place the repeater on his tower in Three Lakes. Mark also made the comment that it would be a good idea to seek out the Emergency Management Director for Vilas County about about plans for establishing VHF- UHF repeaters within the county. It is also necessary to find out what repairs

are necessary for the duplexers be for plans can continue. The cost of new duplexers would make it unlikely that the club could continue with these plans. Also, same question arises as to technical support for this system. Discussion to be continued.

Wires-X and Land O Lake repeater.

Questions still remain as to who will provide Internet access and succession of establishment of Internet access as well as technical support of this system. Discussion to be continued.

WECON SYSTEM:

This state wide repeater system is in need of financial support in order to maintain its operation. The Vilas County Amateur Radio Club will make a one time donation to this organization and anyone who wishes to donate may do so through their website.

Next meeting scheduled for October 14, 2020

Motion to ajourn – 7:23 P.M.

