

**CNOG MEETING
AUG. 18, 2024**

MEETING WAS HELD FOR DOUG TO REPORT ON WHAT HE FOUND IN LOOKING FOR A NEW MOWER. HE TOLD ABOUT THE 3 YEAR OLD SKAG WE HAD RECEIVED A QUOTE ON, TELLING THAT THE CONDITION WAS OK FOR 3 YEARS, WITH 284 HOURS ON IT. HE WAS TOLD ABOUT A NEW MOWER LIKE WE HAVE, FOR \$12,000 WITH A 60" CUT. DOUG ASKED ABOUT A 72" CUT AND WAS GIVEN A PRICE OF \$12,200, BRAND NEW WITH A FULL 3 YEAR, 750 HOUR WARRANTY. HE CHECKED WITH JOHN DEERE WHO WAS TOLD THEY WERE OUT OF THEIR NEW 72' MOWERS, BUT HAVE SOME ON ORDER WITH NO IDEA WHEN THEY WOULD BE COMING. THEY COULD NOT COMPETE WITH THE OFFER OF THE NEW SKAG MOWER. WE WOULD GET A DISCOUNT OF CLOSE TO \$4,800 ON THE BRAND NEW MOWER. SERVICE TIME WAS DISCUSSED, ACKNOWLEDGING THAT THEY HAD WORKED ON THOSE PROBLEMS AND CAME UP WITH A SOLUTION, ASSURING US THAT IT WOULD NO LONGER BE A PROBLEM.

DAWN MADE A MOTION TO BUY THE 72" SKAG MOWER AT A PRICE OF \$12,200, EVELYN SECONDED THE MOTION. BRAD VOICED HIS CONCERN OF SPENDING THIS MONEY WITH THE SOLAR EXPENSES UPCOMING. HE MADE IT CLEAR THAT THIS HAS TO BE THE LAST THING WE DO. EVELYN POINTED OUT THAT WE WOULDN'T BE DOING IT NOW IF THE ENGINE HADN'T NEEDED FIXED. DEB CALLED FOR THE VOTE- UNANIMOUSLY PASSED. DAWN WILL CALL TO INFORM THEM THAT WE ARE BUYING IT, BRAD WILL GO PAY FOR IT WHEN DAWN GOES TO PICK UP THE OLD AND THE NEW MOWERS.

DAWN MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN, LYNN SECONDED. MEETING ADJOURNED.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

DAWN DURGIN